

Antica Cascina dei Conti di Roero

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Municipal district: Canale d'Alba Grape variety: 100% Barbera Exposure: east Altitude (above sea level) 250 metres Soil: sandy marl Vine training system: Espalier-Guyot Age of vineyard: 15 years

Harvest: the grapes are harvested by hand into 20-kg crates. Late September

Vinification: fermentation with maceration lasting 15/20 days

Ageing: in steel tanks for 12 months, with bottling the year after, just before the harvest

Sensorial overview: bright ruby red; scents of ripe fruit, plum, blackberry and Marasca cherry; fragrant, fresh, good acidity, aftertaste of mixed berries and vanilla.

Serving temperature: 16-18 °C

Pairing: agnolotti al plin made with three roasts, tajarin with meat sauce, roast, stewed and boiled meats, medium-mature cheeses and Toma di Langa cheese.

Our recommendation: bagna cauda (traditional Piedmontese garlic, anchovy and oil dip served hot with vegetables)

When to drink it: anywhere, with lots of friends