

Wittmann



„LA BORNE“ RIESLING ALTE REBEN

This year our "La Borne" Riesling Alte Reben is part of the VDP.AUCTION in Bad Kreuznach again. We are offering 300 0,75 liter bottles of the current 2022 vintage. Additionally, six magnum bottles of the 2017 vintage will be auctioned as a special rarity.

One of our oldest vineyards in the upper MORSTEIN profited by this condition exceptionally because of its altitude. From grapes with small berries and after a late harvest we get a highly complex wine of intensive fruit und minerality. The upper layer of soil is primarily heavy clayish marl interspersed with deposits of limestone. The water-conducting layers of limestone that predominate in the subsoil, ensure that the vines are well supplied with nutrients and minerals.

The elderly of Westhofen called this part of the MORSTEIN "Laborne". If the name comes from the French "la borne" (boundary stone) or from "Born" (fountain), is not definitely clear.



JAMES SUCKLING – STUART PIGOTT, 1. SEPTEMBER 2022 – 97 Punkte

97 POINTS – LA BORNE RIESLING Alte Reben 2021: "Effusive ripe stone fruit aromas! When did I last taste such aromatic mirabelles? Concentrated [...]. Tons of chalky minerality that carry the very long, precisely delineated finish. Wonderful freshness and delicacy. Excellent aging potential."

ROBERT PARKER WINE ADVOCATE – STEPHAN REINHARDT, 30. DEZEMBER 2022 – 96 Punkte

96 POINTS - LA BORNE RIESLING Alte Reben 2021: "(...) offers a deep, pure, fresh and very chalky bouquet that intertwines with ripe and concentrated lemon notes; the nose is puristic and almost ascetic but on the other hand also very exciting for exactly the same reasons. On the palate, this is a silky, or better velvety, round, refined and elegant La Borne with intense, lush and charmingly textured fruit structured by fine and silky limestone acidity, fine tannins and a persistent, uplifting salinity. The La Borne is probably the most adored at this stage, but it is rare (...)."

Last year's results:

0,75l bottle

vintage	Winning bid in Euro (Net)	bottles
2019	300,00	400
2020	330,00	374
2021	390,00	304

2017 „LA BORNE“ RIESLING ALTE REBEN MAGNUM

The year 2017 brought us the smallest harvest in the modern history of our estate. Nevertheless, we were certain of the exceptional quality of this vintage. Our 2017 “La Borne” Riesling Alte Reben proves this now with a first hint of bottle age. It shows extremely fresh and well equipped with potential for many more years to come. We are very pleased to offer you six magnum bottles of this rare vintage from our archive.



JAMES SUCKLING – STUART PIGOTT, 19TH SEPTEMBER 2018 – 99 Punkte

99 POINTS – LA BORNE RIESLING Alte Reben 2017 :

“Stunning vitality and great mirabelle fruit, as well as a floral touch on the nose. Then, the chalky mineral character charges through and drives the finish ever further out there. A unique expression of the Morstein site.”

ROBERT PARKER WINE ADVOCATE – STEPHAN REINHARDT, MARCH 2020 – 96 Punkte

96 POINTS - LA BORNE RIESLING Alte Reben 2017:

“The 2017 Riesling Alte Reben La Borne is rich and intense yet fine, precise and spicy or flinty on the pure, complex and elegant nose. Highly elegant and salty on the palate, with intense and concentrated fruit and very fine tannins, this is a crystalline, highly complex and elegant La Borne with long and stimulating salinity, mineral tension and finesse. A great wine that combines richness and concentration with purity, finesse and elegance. Tasted at the domaine in March 2020.”

Last year’s results:

1,5L bottle

Vintage	Winning bid in Euro (Net)	bottles
2015	1700,00	9
2016	1800,00	6

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2022 „LA BORNE“ Riesling Alte Reben
(auctioned volume: 300 bottles à 750 ml)
Starting bid: 90,- Euro net

Quantity of bottles (750 ml)	Pricelimit per bottle in Euro
<i>For example: 48 bottles</i>	<i>150 Euro</i>
<i>For example: 30 bottles</i>	<i>200 Euro</i>
<i>For example: 12 bottles</i>	<i>300 Euro etc.</i>

2017 „LA BORNE“ Riesling Alte Reben – Magnum
(auctioned volume: 6 bottles à 1500 ml)
Starting bid: 250,- Euro net

Quantity of bottles (1500 ml)	Pricelimit per bottle in Euro

ADDRESS: _____

Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Street: _____

ZIP Code, City: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Fax: _____

Please note, that the prices are net prices, plus 5 % bidding commission for the commission agents and 19 % VAT.