

# Rully 1er Cru `Les Cloux` Dom. Belleville 2022



## Region

Côte Chalonnaise lies between the Cote de Beaune to the north and the Mâconnais to the south. Côte Chalonnaise is made up of five communes, from north to south these are Bouzeron, Rully, Mercurey, Givry and Montagny. The Mâconnais is centred around the town of Mâcon and has a warmer climate which is largely due to the hilly topography which leads to lower levels of rainfall but also due to its position south of the Cote d'Or, both of which help ripening conditions in the vineyards and give the richer style found in the Cote Chalonnaise. As is the case across Burgundy, the presence of limestone in the Chalonnaise is vital. The increased minerality it creates in the wines is highly valued and the best vineyard plots are often those with a high content of limestone.

## Producer

Domaine Belleville was formed in Rully at the beginning of the 20th century, in the heart of the wine-making region of Burgundy. With 28 hectares of vineyards spread out from north to south Burgundy, Domaine Belleville offers distinctive wines full of elegance and finesse. It stands next to Chateau de Messey (Maconnais) and Manoir Murisaltien (Cote d'Or), all of which belong to the Dumont family.

## Tasting Notes

This 1er Cru wine is 100% Chardonnay and is grown on limestone slopes surrounding the village of Rully. It is delicate yet lively and has developed rich aromas of stewed apple, brioche, exotic fruits and hazelnuts. Smooth and round in the mouth with a fine acidity, it finishes long with nuances of buttery oak lingering on the palate.

## Food

Best served with white fish or a creamy chicken dish.

## Technical Information

<b>Country</b>	France
<b>Region</b>	Burgundy, Maconnais & Chalonnaise
<b>Grape(s)</b>	Chardonnay (100%)
<b>Type</b>	White
<b>Style</b>	Rich
<b>Oaked Style</b>	Lightly oaked
<b>Body Style</b>	Medium bodied
<b>Sustainable</b>	Yes-sustainable practices

<b>Dry/Sweet Style</b>	Dry	
<b>Alcohol Content</b>	13%	
<b>Closure Style</b>	Cork	
<b>Organic/Biodynamic</b>	No	
<b>Allergens</b>	<b>Milk:</b>	No
	<b>Egg:</b>	No
<b>Vegetarian/Vegan</b>	<b>Vegetarian:</b>	Yes
	<b>Vegan:</b>	Yes



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