

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS SINCE 1906

## Château Ducru-Beaucaillou 2021, 2éme Grand Cru Classé St Julien

 Price
 £270.00

 Code
 DUCR120

This 49 hectare estate has recently been in outstanding form to maintain its reputation as a 'Super Second Growth'. Bruno Borie has continued to reduce the quantity of Ducru produced, nearly halving the quantity since 2003.

## **Tasting Notes:**

A deep and brooding bouquet with concentrated blackcurrant and plum fruits. This vintage sees the highest ever proportion of Cabernet Sauvignon, providing a firm and sturdy structure. Cassis dominates with undertones of pencil lead and tobacco. A smouldering finish, this is a top wine in 2021.





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| Specification     |  |
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| Vinification      | Yields of only 20hl/ha, the wine is aged in 100% new oak for 18 months   |
| ABV               | 13.5%  |
| Size              | 75cl   |
| Drinking Window   | Drink from 2031 through to 2045  |
| Country           | France   |
| Region            | Bordeaux   |
| Area              | Saint-Julien   |
| Туре              | Red Wine   |
| Grape Mix         | 98% Cabernet Sauvignon, 2% Merlot  |
| Genres            | Fine Wine  |
| Vintage           | 2021   |
| Body              | Rich, bold and robust  |
| Producer          | Château Ducru-Beaucaillou  |
| Producer Overview | Château Ducru-Beaucaillou was built in 1720 and began acquiring its excellent reputation, both domestically and internationally, under the careful ownership of the Bergeron family. |
| Closure Type      | Cork   |
| Food Matches      | Enjoy with a classic beef wellington.  |