HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Château Olivier 2020 Grand Cru Classé, Pessac Leognan

Price	£46.75
Code	OLIV060

Classified for its red and white wines, Château Olivier is surrounded by forest that not only influences the property's micro-climate, but which has given it 8 hectares of prime vineyard, already in the Pessac-Léognan AOC. A detailed geological survey in 2003 revealed the forest was planted on a croupe of compact gravel, perfect for Cabernet Sauvignon.

Tasting Notes:

Dark purplish-red colour. The complex nose is underpinned by ripe, crunchy fruit and spicy notes. Starts out straightforward on the palate with plenty of tannin and no aggressiveness whatsoever. The wine is wonderfully concentrated, with crunchy fruit aromas once again coming to the fore. The freshness contributes elegance, precision, and complexity, culminating in an impressively long finish.



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Specification	
Vinification	Yields of 43hl/ha. Aged for 12 months in 35% new oak barrels.
ABV	14.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink from 2026 through to 2045
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Pessac-Léognan
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	52% Cabernet Sauvignon, 42% Merlot, 2% Petit Verdot
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2020
Body	Rich, bold and robust
Producer	Château Olivier
Producer Overview	Château Olivier has been in the hands of the de Bethmann family since it was acquired by Alexandre de Bethmann in the late-19th century.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Delicious with rare roast beef with seasonal vegetables and yorkshire pudding.