HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Château Olivier 2021 Grand Cru Classé, Pessac-Leognan

Price	£39.00
Code	OLIV075

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:

Yielded at a relatively small 41hl/ha, and aged for 12 months in 1/3 new oak barrels, this vintage of Olivier shows a lovely fresh and raspberry-scented claret, with an underlying streak of sweet cherry and mocha. There is elegance in abundance, some ripe and chunky tannins, but these melt toward the finish. Long, elegant and refined.



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Specification	
Vinification	Yields of 41hl/ha. Aged for 12 months in 35% new oak barrels.
ABV	12.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink from 2027 through to 2033
Country	France
Region	Bordeaux
Area	Pessac-Léognan
Type	Red Wine
Grape Mix	55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Merlot, 5% Petit Verdot
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2021
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.