# Domaine Chanson, Burgundy, France



# Beaune 1er Cru Clos des Fèves



#### DETAILS OF PRODUCTION

A Chanson "monopole" in the very heart of the first Growth vineyards of Beaune. The vineyards cover 3.80 ha and is located on a mid slope with clay and limestone soils. The "Clos des Fèves" was already known in the 14th century under the latin word "Fae".

After a very cold winter and a cold spring, the weather at the start of summer was quite demanding. It became fine again in the second half of August with hot temperatures. The harvest commenced early September under a bright sunshine. The combination of all those climatic factors has engendered a significant drop of the yields but quality is there. Meticulous vinifications have produced wines with very pure aromas and a very fresh structure. Aging in oak casks during 14 months.

## TASTING NOTES

Bright ruby colour. Delicate floral fragrances mixed with intense aromas of ripe red berries. Complex, deep and subtle. Precise with a finely woven texture. Very pure fruit. Long and elegant aftertaste.

## How to serve

Game (pheasant), poultry and all the classic cheeses (Epoisses, Langres).

"91/100. A beam of marinated cherry steams ahead in this vibrant, silky red. Vanilla, olive, earth and tobacco accents add complexity, while the finish tightens up. A pleasant, stony inflection lingers. Best from 2017 through 2026."

BRUCE SANDERSON, WINE SPECTATOR, 15TH NOVEMBER 2016 CHANSON BEAUNE 1ER CRU CLOS DES FÈVES 2012

Vintage

2012

STYLE Red

BLEND OF GRAPES

100% Pinot Noir

Winemaker

Jean-Pierre Confuron

ALCOHOL 13.5%

