





# CHATEAU DE LA CHARRIÈRE DOMAINE YVES GIRARDIN

## SANTENAY 1ER CRU CLOS ROUSSEAU

Ruby with dark purple tints. Seductive nose of ripe cherry and backed by elegant oak. The palate shows full-on freshness with a lovely exuberant fruit and spice duo.

#### **ORIGIN**

Grape Variety: 100 % Pinot Noir

Colour: Red

Soil: Limestone and clay Premier cru Appellation

#### VITICULTURE

Plantation density: 10 000 vine

stocks/hectare

Pruning: Guyot simple and Cordon

de Royat

Sustained vine growing

Average vine age: 40 years

### VINIFICATION

Harvest hand picked

Sorting in the vineyard et in the winery

100% destemming

Maceration during 15 days (pumping over and "pigeages" according to the vintage)

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Cold pre-fermentation during 5 days to

extract fruit

Hot post-fermentation to stabilize the colour and the tannins

#### **AGEING**

French oak barrels (25 % in new oak)

Length: 10 to 12 months

Light filtration

Bottling in the downward moon

## SERVING

Temperature: 16°C / 17°C

Gastronomy: Brilled red meat, poultry,

cheese

Cellaring: 5 to 8 years if the preservation

conditions are good (constant temperature and rather important

humidity)