

WEINGUT NIK WEIS – ST. URBANS-HOF

FACT SHEET GOLDTRÖPFCHEN KABINETT

THE VINEYARD

Throughout history, Piesport has had a reputation as one of the best wine towns on the Mosel because of the so-called “Piesporter Goldtröpfchen”. Nik Weis’ vineyards are located in one of the oldest parts of the famous site, which is also named “Mosel Lorelei” since the steep rocky banks go directly down to the river. The parabolic, horseshoe-like shape heats easily up, so grapes grow in a warm climate. This effect doubles as the sun reflection from the river is very intense due to the Mosel’s width. For Nik Weis, “Goldtröpfchen” is the perfect site to produce outstanding fruity-sweet Rieslings like Kabinett, Spätlese or Auslese.

WINE DESCRIPTION

Kabinett in its classic meaning stands for a fruity wine with moderate content of alcohol, a great flow and subtle sweetness. Richly ornate aromas of tropical fruits and a sophisticated structure lend our Goldtröpfchen Kabinett its powerful personality and traditional Mosel characteristics. Ideal with dishes such as Indian lamb masala, grilled pineapple with ham (including on toast), cod and passion fruit with a beurre blanc sauce.

GRAPE VARIETY	100 % Riesling
VINTAGE	2016
TRELLISING	Single Post System (traditional method)
AGE OF VINES	30-90 years
VINIFICATION	fermented by indigenous yeasts in both large oak casks and stainless steel tanks
SERVE AT	6-8°C
ALCOHOL	8,5 % VOL.
RESIDUAL SUGAR	55,6 g/l



Founded in 1947, the winery Nik Weis – St. Urbans-Hof has become one of the most important and classic wineries in the Mosel region. Since 2000, the Riesling winery is member of Germany’s renowned VDP (Association of German Quality Wine Estates). From regional-level Estate Rieslings to prestigious Grands Crus, Nik Weis’ passion is to express the unique terroir in the wines’ taste. Therefore, grapes grow in at least six different, steep sites in both the Mosel and Saar valley. A traditional, mostly manual cultivation and a natural, minimalistic cellar working practice lead to elegant, well-structured and complex wines with a high ageing potential. See more: www.nikweis.com