## **NERO D'AVOLA**



"The King of Sicilian wines was born in the old family vineyard, a small-scale production in the "Masseria Vecchia" Vineyard. Very bilance and well-structyre, it it espresse with hints of red berrei and spicy notes. Recommended for social occasions."

Classification | SICILIA D.O.C.
Variety | NERO D'AVOLA BIO
Area of production | Mazara del Vallo (TP)
Vineyard name | Masseria Vecchia
Altimetry | 50 metrm. Above sea level
Soil | Medium-tectured clay

Yiled per hectare | 90 tonnes/ha
Plant density | 3.800/4.000 paints per ha

**Training system** | Vertical trellis with a spurie cordon with 4 spurs

Harvest period | Second / third week of September

**Vinification tecnique** | After de-stemming the grapes ferment in a temperature-controlled stainless stell tank with frequent brief pumping, soft-press racking. Wine obtained in this way undergoes malolactic fermentation in steel. Cold bottling. Refine 6 months in the bottle.

Fermentation temperature | 22°C 25°C

Fermentation duration | 14/20 days

**How to serve** | Served in large glasses, rounded and full-bodied, it can be served immediately after opening or a couple hours later. Best at 16  $^{\circ}\text{C}$  18  $^{\circ}\text{C}$ 

Color | Depp ruby red

**Aroma** | Intense aroma with hints of red berrei, cherry, and plum, with notes of spice and vanilla.

**Palate** | Balanced, persistent and velvety notes. It pairs wonderfully with red meat, roasts, and aged cheeses.