

Parcelles de Saulx

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Under the same ownership as Château de la Commaraine and Domaine Belleville, Parcelles de Saulx functions as a negociant, vinifying white wines from single vineyards and purchasing red wines after vinification, again from single vineyards. We tasted three wines of each colour, though the full range in 2023 extends to 16 whites and 19 reds. They have taken the decision to stand back from grander appellations because of the price of the grapes or wine in bulk.

2023	St-Aubin En l'Ebeaupin, Parcelles de Saulx	White	★★★★★	87-89
2023	Chassagne-Montrachet La Goujonne, Parcelles de Saulx	White	★★★★★	89-91
2023	Meursault Pré de Manche, Parcelles de Saulx	White	★★★★★	89-91

2023, St-Aubin En l'Ebeaupin, Parcelles de Saulx

Clear mid yellow, lemon fruit, and some yellow plum, mostly one year old oak, currently a bit marked on the nose, but fresher on the palate with good length and a steely finish. Drink from 2026-2029. Tasted Oct 2024.

Star rating: ★★★★★

100pt score: 87-89

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2023	Chassagne-Montrachet La Goujonne, Parcelles de Saulx	Oct 2024	White	★★★★★	89-91
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2023, Chassagne-Montrachet La Goujonne, Parcelles de Saulx

First vintage in 2023. A little lime touch to the lemon. A more elegant nose than the St-Aubin, this is a stylish and nuanced Chassagne, with some flesh behind. The sunshine is present but has smiled gently on the grapes. Drink from 2027-2030. Tasted Oct 2024.

Star rating: ★★★★★

100pt score: 89-91

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2023	Meursault Pré de Manche, Parcelles de Saulx	Oct 2024	White	★★★★★	89-91
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2023, Meursault Pré de Manche, Parcelles de Saulx

A holding of 0.19ha, old vines with millerand grapes. The team from the sister company, Domaine Belleville manage the vineyard which is being certified organic, and pass the grapes over to Parcelle de Saulx. A touch of oak and toast, this is certainly powerful, plenty of weight and still with good acidity. Drink from 2027-2030. Tasted Oct 2024.

Star rating: ★★★★★

100pt score: 89-91

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VINTAGE ^	WINE v	TASTED v	COLOUR v	STARS v	SCORE v
2023	Aloxe-Corton Boutière, Parcelles de Saulx	Oct 2024	Red	★★★★★	87-88
2023	Gevrey-Chambertin Estournelles St-Jacques 1er Cru, Parcelles de Saulx	Oct 2024	Red	★★★★★	89-91
2023	Clos Vougeot Grand Cru, Parcelles de Saulx	Oct 2024	Red	★★★★★	93-95

2023, Aloxe-Corton Boutière, Parcelles de Saulx

Racked in September, and likely to be bottled in December. Palish red purple, fresh enough fruit but a little undernourished, seems like picked a little early. Infusion style vinification, I suspect. Drink from 2027-2029. Tasted Oct 2024.

Star rating: ★★★★★

100pt score: 87-88

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2023	Gevrey-Chambertin Estournelles St-Jacques 1er Cru, Parcelles de Saulx	Oct 2024	Red	★★★★★	89-91
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2023, Gevrey-Chambertin Estournelles St-Jacques 1er Cru, Parcelles de Saulx

New this year. Much richer purple, evidently later picked. Dark cherry and raspberry. The wine wants to lighten up to suit Estournelles but it is a heavier hand at the tiller. Some quite firm tannins and a fresh acidity. Fair length. Drink from 2028-2032. Tasted Oct 2024.

Star rating: ★★★★★

100pt score: 89-91

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2023	Clos Vougeot Grand Cru, Parcelles de Saulx	Oct 2024	Red	★★★★★	93-95
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2023, Clos Vougeot Grand Cru, Parcelles de Saulx

A fine medium purple colour. Rather a charming raspberry and strawberry fruit. Whole bunches add to the lifted sense. Very elegant for the appellation and properly persistent. Enough stuffing to justify and very well made. Drink from 2030-2038. Tasted Oct 2024.

Star rating: ★★★★★

100pt score: 93-95

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