## Bosco del Merlo 'Bricola<u>'</u> Chardonnay DOC



## THE FACTS

COUNTRY: Italy REGION: Veneto

APPELLATION: Venezia CEPAGE: 100% Chardonnay

**WINEMAKING:** The grapes and the must, after destemming, are cooled and kept at a temperature of 5 °C. The cryomaceration process lasts on average 24 hours to extract the fruit aromas and richness.

**ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 13.0%** 

AGING: 5 months in stainless steel tanks on lees

## THE STORY

Bosco del Merlo was founded in 1977 in Annone Veneto, when Valentino Paladin realized his dream of creating wines from sustainable practices that could best express the potential andidentity of the territory, sealing them in time.

PHILOSOPHY: Bosco del Merlo comes with a personal ommitment - to find the best ways of preserving the intrinsic quality of the grapes they grow and to work towards preservation of the land and its ecosystem.

**BIOGRAPHY:** The winemaking team is composed of Antonio Lucarelli (enologist of Bosco del Merlo and Paladin), Carlo Paladin (founder of Casa Paladin) and Professor Leonardo Valenti.

The agricultural and vineyard management is followed by Valentino Paladin, third generation of the family.



**OVERALL**: Mineral & Fresh

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Stone Fruits & Citrus

MOUTHFEEL: Full & Balanced

## THE SELLING POINTS

Unique Terroir from Friuli stony soils AWARDS: 91pts James Suckling

SUSTAINABILITY: Certified Sustainable, Vegan PAIRINGS: Sea Bass Carpaccio & Crab Cakes



