



CHÂTEAU POUJEAUX

Moulis en Médoc

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Terre de Vins **Mai 2024** **93-94/100**

« Nez d'un beau fruité, cette année la proportion de cabernet et de petit verdot est plus importante. La bouche est adossée à une ferme structure tannique, une ossature marquée mais sans apérités, une belle fraîcheur réglisse en soutien. Une certaine droiture dans la matière, qui s'étire sur la longueur et garde une jolie sapidité. »

James Suckling **Avril 2024** **92-93 /100**

“The tight tannins and pretty fruit are very attractive now, with medium body and a juicy finish. I like it.”

Markus del Monego **Avril 2024** **93/100**

« Dark purple colour with violet hue. Fragrant nose with hints of liquorice and fine toasting, backed by ripe dark berries and hints of ripe plums. On the palate well structured with fine fruit quoting the nose, firm yet ripe tannins convincing length.”

XL VINS - Xavier Lacombe **Mai 2024** **93-94/100**

Jeff Leve **Mai 2024** **91-93/100**

« Licorice, black currants, mint, tobacco, and cedar, with flowers open the perfume. On the palate, the wine is fresh, and filled with chewy black, with red currant, anise, spice, and flowers. There is a vibrancy that lingers on the palate, and in the finish that give the wine a real upbeat nuance.”

VINOUS – Neal Martin **Avril 2024** **91-93 /100**

“The 2023 Poujeaux was picked from September 18 to October 4 and matured in 30% new oak. The first couple of samples tasted didn't quite engage as much as a third bottle on the penultimate day's tasting, which seems more representative. This Moulis, owned by the Cuvelier family (Clos Fourtet) has a tempting nose with blackberry, wild strawberry, incense and crushed violet scents—well defined and focused, blossoming nicely in the glass. There's good energy and vibrancy. The palate is medium-bodied with crunchy black fruit. Perhaps just a little gritty in terms of texture, there is a bit of rigidity apropos the tannins on the finish. Hopefully, it will gain more elegance once in bottle, but it feels as if it will meld together during élevage.”

Inside Bordeaux - Jane Anson **Avril 2024** **93 /100**

« Always an estate that works hard and is often a good bet across a variety of vintage conditions. It works again in 2023, pretty austere right now, layers of tannic architecture along with signature mint leaf and cigar box. No question this will age, don't rush it, needs time to unwind, feels like an impressive Left Bank claret full of classic character, and confident tannic architecture. High proportion of Petit Verdot, 33% new oak for ageing, 38hl/ha yields, after hail on a small part of the vineyard.”

Alexandre Ma **Avril 2024** **91-93 /100**

La Revue des Vins de France – Olivier Poels **Avril 2024** **91-92 /100**

« Le cru signe un 2023 très élégant et fidèle à son style, avec une matière soyeuse, des tanins mûrs et fondus, et une jolie fraîcheur en fin de bouche. Très séduisant. »

JM Quarin **Avril 2024** **16,5/20 - 92/100**

Antonio Galloni **Avril 2024** **90-92 /100**

“The 2023 Poujeaux is plump, juicy and super-inviting right out of the gate. Inky dark fruit, sweet spice and floral accents caress the palate, all framed by supple, silky tannins. There's a bit more Petit Verdot in the blend this year, and that comes through in the wine's dark flavor profile and structural feel. This is a fine vintage for Poujeaux. Tasted four times.”

Wine Advocate – Yohan Castaing **Avril 2024** **89-91 /100**

“The 2023 Poujeaux offers up youthfully reserved aromas of licorice, dark wild berries and smoke. Medium-bodied, firm and slightly austere, it's elegant and gently structured with powdery tannins and a long, somber finish. A second encounter revealed greater flesh and plentitude. It's a blend of 55% Cabernet Sauvignon (a higher proportion than usual), 35% Merlot and 10% Petit Verdot.”

Jeb Dunnuck **Mai 2024** **89-91 /100**

“This château that was hit by hail in July. The 2023 Château Poujeaux is based on close to equal parts Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot, with a splash of Petit Verdot. Ripe redcurrants, cassis, leafy herbs, and some floral, graphite notes all emerge from the glass, and this medium-bodied Moulis has good overall density and depth, ripe tannins, and a solid finish. This elegant, pretty 2023 will shine right out of the gate. Tasted three times with consistent notes.”

VERTDEVIN **Juin 2024** **91/100**
