

WEINGUT JUNGMAJR

About Weingut Jungmayr

In the middle of the rolling hills of the western Weinviertel, Austria, we vinify regionally typical *Qualitätswein*, wines that express our love for nature and for the life of the winegrower. Our family has owned this estate and worked the land here for generations now, with roots that reach back deeper than 250 years. Even twenty-five years ago, Robert Jungmayr recognised the potential of the soils around Ebersbrunn, when he established the best foundation for the development of our estate. Today, our twenty hectares of vineyards are located within a radius of only two kilometres from our cellar, and the old, deeply rooted parcels of vines provide the ideal working capital for our enterprise.

Authentic & honest wines, that bear our signature

The western Weinviertel offers optimal conditions for growing white wine varieties such as Grüner Veltliner and Riesling. In the region around Ebersbrunn, though, a special microclimate also favours red wines – so we currently vinify about eighty per cent white wines and twenty per cent reds, from traditional Austrian grape varieties. Our star performer is the Grüner Veltliner with its spicy & ‘peppery’ character, fruit-laden bouquet and fresh acidity, which we also bottle under the designation of origin »Weinviertel^{DAC}«. Its relative, the Roter Veltliner, is a specialty of our region: this vine thrives beautifully in the deep loess soil and yields elegant wines with finely spicy aromatics. In addition, we rank Zweigelt and Riesling among our most important varieties. All grape varieties share a common theme, that we bring them as unadulteratedly as possible into the bottle and only refine them with our signature. Our Classic line offers wines full of drinking pleasure, spice and vitality, while our Reserve/DAC line consists of opulent and multi-layered wines with great potential for development.

Soil & climate provide a sense of origin: one can taste this

Our elevation at 350 metres above sea level guarantees fresh and spicy aromaticity, even in very warm years. The southern slopes of Ried Hochstrasse with their deep loess soils produce particularly fruit-forward, spicy and vivacious Grüner Veltliners. Our Riesling enjoys the warm soil of the Ried Oberer Berg, whose gravel banks were deposited over 10 million years ago by the primeval Danube. Parcels of Zweigelt and Merlot are planted in the calcareous gravel soils of Ried Kreimelberg.

A family with passion for wine

Robert Jungmayr is the head of the operation: twenty-five years ago, his foresight made it possible for us to now have the best sites in the western Weinviertel among our vineyards. He loves direct customer contact and regularly delivers the best wines personally to our clientele.

Erna Jungmayr, with her flair for good taste and hospitality, ensures that every visitor to Weingut Jungmayr feels right at home with us. Whether cellar-door sales, wine tasting or presentations, Erna always finds the right words. And she is also often found in the vineyard, along with our Labrador retriever Willi.

Daniel Jungmayr is already taking over the next generation in the cellar. After his training at the viticultural college at Klosterneuburg, the oenologist travelled abroad for experience and enrichment, and today makes certain that our truly marvellous grape material gets into the bottle as purely as possible. The enterprising young winemaker is always open to new things – he is currently experimenting with fungus-resistant types of vine – and represents us at international trade fairs and tastings.