

## 2024 SCHLOSS JOHANNISBERGER RIESLING ROTLACK KABINETT

### GRAPE VARIETY

100% Riesling

### APPELLATION

Rheingau | Single vineyard - Schloss Johannisberg

### TERROIR

The rounded 50-hectare single vineyard encloses Johannisberg Castle in a semicircle and slopes down to the Rhine in terraces to the south. The soil is characterized by Taunus quartzite with an overlay of fertile loam and a layer of loess, as well as a small amount of iron dioxide, which colors the soil reddish.

### VINTAGE PROFILE 2024

2024 was a very rainy and therefore challenging year in the vineyard. Early budbreak followed by late frosts in mid-April led to isolated damage in the flatter sites. The following months were normally warm, but very wet due to frequent rainfall. Keeping the vines healthy required our full attention and effort. Summer weather set in August, just in time for veraison. The grapes developed and ripened quickly. We began harvesting at the end of September. At this point, rainfall became more frequent again, which required a highly selective hand harvest. We were able to pick healthy and ripe grapes with a balanced, lively acidity structure, but neither Auslese, Beerenauslese nor Trockenbeerenauslese qualities. A Kabinett vintage.



### VINIFICATION

Hand-picked and gently pressed. Fermentation 100% in stainless steel. Maturing on the fine lees until bottling in March 2025.

### CHARACTERISTIC

Intense nose with fresh pineapple, lime, juicy peach and some nashi pear. A hint of orange blossom honey, herbal spice and white flowers such as lemon verbena and elderberry. Mineral notes of quartzite complete the fragrance.

Juicy on the palate, crystal clear with precise acidity. Harmonious, with a well-balanced fruit sweetness. Excellent drinking flow, with a long finish.

### PAIRING

TOM KHA GAI  
coconut | lemongrass | chicken

COLD SMOKED TROUT TARTARE  
avocado wasabi | beurre blanc

PINEAPPLE CHARLOTTE  
yogurt | passion fruit

### ANALYSIS

residual sugar – 26,5 g/l • acidity – 8,4 g/l • alcohol – 10%

### DRINKING TEMPERATURE

7° - 9° Celsius



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