

Pollùce is named after the mythical Dioscuri to whom the temple of Castor and Pollux is dedicated, of which the archeological remains enrich Cori's heritage.

Wine of refined elegance obtained entirely from the vinification of Nero Buono, an ancient grape variety of millennial tradition, recovered and relaunched by Cincinnato thanks to research and testing which have documented its particular qualitative characteristics.

Nero Buono IGT Lazio "Polluce"

GRAPE VARIETIES

Nero Buono

WINEMAKING

Soft pressing and destemming; fermentation with skins contact for about 10 days at 24°C; malolactic fermentation.

AGEING

In stainless steel tanks for 12 months; refining in bottles for 6 months; to be tasted 2-3 years after its vintage.

ANALYTIC DATA

Alcohol content: 13 % vol.

ORGANOLEPTIC CHARACTERISTICS

Ruby red color with purple highlights; intense and fragrant nose with scents of red fruits; delicate fruity palate, harmonic, with an elegant complexity.

GASTRONOMY

Perfect with strong tasting dishes.

Serving temperature 16-18°C

75 cl



AWARDS

- 2013 1 bicchiere Vini d'italia Gambero Rosso 2016
- 2013 16 migliore acquisto della regione I Vini d'Italia 2016 L'Espresso
- 2013 4 grappolo Bibenda 2016
- 2012 3 grappoli Bibenda 2015
- 2011 84 Parker
- 2011 2 grappoli Bibenda 2014
- 2010 vini qualità prezzo Almanacco del berebene
- 2010 2 bicchieri Vini d'italia Gambero Rosso
- 2009 gran menzione Vinitaly
- 2009 85 punti Annuario dei Migliori Vini Italiani di Luca Maroni



ERCOLE Nero Buono Igt Lazio Inky-purple. Very ripe aromas of blackberry nectar, stewed plums, dried herbs and cocoa. On the complex, deep nose. Rich but suave, with lively acidity adding a peppery bite and noteworthy lift to the ultra-ripe blue and black fruit flavours. Finishes long with hints of balsamic oils and of an herbal edge. A very ripe wine but one that manages the neat trick of staying light on its feet.

91/100

RAVEROSSE Cori Doc Rosso Very dark, almost opaque ruby. Intense green bell pepper notes on the nose speak of methoxpyrazines and camouflage subdued blue and red fruit aromas. Then smooth, juicy and bright, without any of the unripe red and blue fruit quality than I found on the nose, with youthful chewy tannins and good inner-mouth perfume but the green streak lingers on. Finishes medium-long, a tad hot and with the underlying green element that just cannot be shaken off. I could be wrong, but I doubt these grapes reached full physiologic maturity prior to being picked.

87/100

POLLUCE Nero Buono Igt Lazio Dark pumple. Woodsy underbrush-dominated aromas of blackberry and soy sauce, with a bright violet topnote adding complexity. Then lively, crisp and juicy, with a strong mineral underpinning to the floreal dark berry and Oriental spice flavours. Long suave and clean, this is an outstanding example of a Nero Buono wine. It is also one of the best young reds I have ever tried from Cincinnato.

91/100

CASTORE Bellone Igt Lazio Bright straw. Vivid aromas of apple, pear and nectarine complicated by botanical herbs. Then more fruit cocktail-like flavours in the mouth lifted by bright harmonious acidity. Finishes very long and fresh: this juicy, lively, fruity white is just about perfect as a picnic or Sunday brunch wine, but boasts sneaky complexity and concentration.

91/100