Achievements & Recognitions



Château des Capitans Juliénas

'Press Highlights'

2018

• 93 Pts. - James Suckling, Feb. 18, 2019

'Plenty of plum and blueberry character and hints of iodine. Some tile. Firm tannins. Medium body. Savory finish. Drink now."

• 91 Pts. - Vinous, Oct. 2019

Deep, brilliant ruby. A complex, expansive bouquet evokes fresh cherry and blackberry, along with building floral and earth notes. Stains the palate with sweet red/blue fruit, violet pastille and spice-cake flavors that deepen steadily on the back half. Delivers an attractive combination of richness and energy and finishes very long and juicy, with dusty, even tannins and repeating florality."

90 Pts. – Wine Enthusiast, April 2020

...Review Coming Soon...

2017

• 93 Pts. James Suckling, Feb. 18, 2019

"This is a muscular red with sweet-berry character. Structured and powerful at the same time. Medium-to full-bodied, polished and driven. Impressive at the end. Excellent. Better than from barrel."

• 91 Pts. – Wine Enthusiast, March 2019

"One of the Duboeuf wines that is bottled at the estate, this is rich, spicy and full of ripe tannins. A dense black-fruit flavor suggests power which is accompanied by juicy acidity. Age this wine and drink from 2020.

- 91 Pts. James Suckling, December 21, 2018
- "Aromas of wet earth and dried mushrooms with dark berries and hints of violets. Medium body, integrated tannins and a juicy, delicious finish. Very pretty. Direct and crisp style. Drink now."
- 90 Pts. Wine & Spirits, *April 2019*

"Georges Duboeuf bottles this wine for Château des Capitans; it's a sweet and generous Juliénas, packed with wild-berry flavors and black-pepper scents. Its ripe fruit will match roast squab."

2016

• 91 Pts. 'Editor's Choice' - Wine Enthusiast, March 2018

With its Burgundy-colored tile roof and porticoed facade, this is a showpiece estate in Juliénas. The wine it produces is dense, with solid, complex tannins. Ripe red fruits plus acidity and a core of dryness will allow it to age. Drink from late 2018."

• 91 Pts. – Vinous, *March 2018*