



2017: A YEAR WITH CHALLENGES BUT ALSO WITH QUALITY POTENTIAL

2017 is one of those years that just won't leave you in peace. In the beginning it was the very heavy weather conditions in winter followed by variations between days of high temperatures and days of rain that slowed down the development of the grapes, until mid-summer, when the high heat led to a shorter growing cycle.

However, with the beginning of harvest, the weather shows signs of stability, with normal temperatures, and short showers that help to cool off the grapes. Moreover, in a year with a lot of challenges, our interventions in the vineyard, such as the green harvest in the beginning of summer, helped to start harvest earlier in a late ripening year, and to produce healthy grapes. This, in combination with the lower yields of this vintage, will give us the possibility to produce quality wines.

