Barbaresco Bordini

intense aromas flower leaf, dried fruit and spice ...

Denomination:
Vintage: 2011
Grape variety: 100% Nebbiolo
Alcohol content: 14.5% by vol.
Awards: 93 pts James Suckling
Average production: 13,000 bottles per year
First vintage: 2006

Vineyard:
Name/location: Bordini, Neive
type of soil: calcareous
Average vine age: 27-30 years
Average altitude: 270 m a.s.l.
Vineyard size: 4 hectares (8.8 acres)
Special characteristics: southern exposure
Farming: sustainable, no use of herbicides or pesticides

Winemaking process:
Time of harvest: beginning to middle of October
Cellar: LA SPINETTA, Castagnole Lanze
Fermentation: alcoholic fermentation for 7-8 days in temperature controlled roto-fermenters, malolactic fermentation in oak
Aging: 20 - 22 months in 50% new and 50% one-year-old, medium toast French oak barrels
Bottling: transfer to stainless steel vats for 3 months before bottling, aging in bottles for another 24 months
Particularities: no filtration, no clarifying
Release: 4 years after harvest

Wine description:
Color: typical light red of Nebbiolo
Bouquet: Aromas of flower leaf, dried fruit and spice follow through to a full body with round, chewy tannins and a savory, tea, ginger and berry aftertaste. Good tannins, very structured.
Taste: 20 to 25 years
Evolution: 375 ml, 750 ml and magnum
Available bottle sizes: ideal with grilled food, sauced and roasted red meat and wild game
Pairings: Guyot
Training system: 5.5%
Total acidity: 0
Sugar content: 3.6
pH level: 16-17 Celsius
Recommended serving temp: Burgundyy
Recommended glass: