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## LE GRAND ROSSIGNOL

CRU PARCELLAIRE

**2025 : 91-92/100** – James Suckling – Primeurs 2025.

*“Focused and flavorful with concentrated fruit. Medium body with creamy tannins and texture. Savory finish with excellent length. »*

**2025 : 91-93/100** – Yves Beck – Primeurs 2025.

**2022 : 94/100 – Gold Medal – Best of Class** – 2025 Los Angeles Wine Competition.

**2022 : 92/100** – James Suckling.

*“A ripe and pretty complex nose full of spiced cherries, cassis and some dark chocolate. Juicy and medium- to full-bodied on the palate with fine-grained tannins and a lengthy, compressed finish. Drink from 2026.”*

**2022 : 91/100** – 2025 Decanter World Wine Awards.

**2022 : 15.5/20 - 90-91/100** – Magazine “VertdeVin”.

*“The nose is aromatic and spicy. It reveals notes of wild blackberry, pepper and small notes of concentrated black berries associated with touches of wild strawberry, pepper as well as fine hints of nutmeg and toast. A certain gourmandize. The palate is nicely juicy, fruity and offers minerality, freshness, a small tension, precision as well as a fine creaminess. On the palate this wine expresses notes of cassis, crushed strawberry and small notes of bright blueberry associated with touches of bright small fruits, vanilla, toasted almond and a hint of cinnamon. Tannins are mellow and gourmand. Good length. A salty hint on the persistence”.*

**2022 : 90/100** – VINOUS – Neil Martin.

**2022 : 90/100** – Yves Beck.

**2022 : 2\*** - Guide Hachette des vins 2025.

**2022 : Gold Medal** – 2025 Bordeaux Wines Competition.

**2022 : Gold Medal** – 2025 French International Wine Challenge.

**2022 : Gold Medal** – 2026 “Terre de Vins” Competition.

**2022 : Silver Medal** – 2025 Grands Vins de France Competition – Macon.

**2020 : 94/100** – 2024 Decanter World Wine Awards.

**2020 : 94/100 – Best of Class** – 2024 Los Angeles Wine Competition.

**2020 : 92/100** – Markus Del Monego.

**2020 : 92/100** – Yves Beck.

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**2020 : 91/100** – James Suckling.

*“Aromas of dark fruits with blackcurrants, plum skins, toasted walnut, dark chocolate and baking spices. Some wet earth, too. Medium- to full-bodied. Firm with fine-grained tannins and ripe dark fruit. Lingering and velvety. Try from 2024.”*

**2020 : 91/100** – Wine Enthusiast.

**2020 : 91/100** – Jeb Dunnuck – Primeurs.

**2020 : Gold Medal** – 2022 Bordeaux Wines Competition.

**2020 : Gold Medal** – 2023 International Wine Challenge.

**2019 : 95/100 – Gold Medal – Best of Class** – 2022 Los Angeles International Wine Awards.

**2019 : 92/100** – 2022 Decanter World Wine Awards.

*“Very deep, lovely nose of black cherry, damson and plum. Gorgeous attack, very classy, huge tannins but excellent acidity. »*

**2019 : 92/100** – James Suckling – Releases.

*“This is a delicious Bordeaux Superieur with berry, cherry and light hazelnut character. It’s really nicely integrated with fine tannins and a flavorful finish. Very attractive now, but give it two or three years.”*

**2019 : 92/100** – Yves Beck (most famous swiss wine critic) – Releases.

**2019 : 92-93/100** – Yves Beck– Primeurs.

**2019 : Gold Medal** – 2022 Brussels Worldwide Wine Competition.

**2019 : Gold Medal** – 2022 Bordeaux Wines Competition.

**2018 : 92/100** – James Suckling.

*“Ripe-plum, cherry, chocolate and praline aromas. It’s medium-bodied with firm, chalky tannins. Structured and flavorful. Try from 2022, but already attractive.”*

**2018 : 91/100** – Terre de Vins – Yohan Castaing – Primeurs.

**2018 : Gold Medal** – 2021 French International Wine Challenge.

**2016 : 90/100 – Gold medal** – 2018 Los Angeles International wine competition.

**2016 : 90/100 – Gold medal** – 2018 Gilbert & Gaillard.

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**2016 : Gold medal** – 2018 Brussels Worldwide Wine Competition.

**2016 : Gold medal** – 2018 Bordeaux Wines Competition.

**2016 : Gold medal** – 2018 Entre-Deux-Mers Wines Competition.

**2016 : 15.5/20** - La Revue du vin de France.

« *The nose offers a surprising concentration. The mouth is ripe, rich, and finishes on black fruits notes, close to Toscan style.* »

**2016 : 15.5/20** – Guide Bettane & Desseauve 2019.

**2016 : 1\*** – Guide Hachette des vins 2019.

« *This Grand Rossignol (name of this 100% Merlot single vineyard) is aged during 16 months in french barrels. Rich and fleshy, full of ripe fruits sustained by spicy aromas and flavours, it shows ripe and tight tannins, though a bit prominent. Promising!* »

**2016 : Guide Dussert-gerber 2019.**

« *Developing a delicate nose of underwood and blackcurrant, this is a subtle wine, all in flavors.* »

**2015 : Best Buy – 16/20** – Guide Bettane & Desseauve 2019.

« *Brimming with a superb, very pure and shining fruit, coated with menthol, eucalyptus flower and tobacco notes, this wine offers a savory full body, very fruity and wrapped in vigorous tannins. A strong character that lingers on the long finish.* »

**2015 : Neal Martin** (former Robert Parker right-hand man at Wine Advocate) - **Vinous**

« *A useful Bordeaux Supérieur from their best parcel of Merlot. Simply delicious!* »

**2015 : Gold Medal** – 2017 Bordeaux Wines Competition.

**2015 : Gold medal** – 2017 French International Wine Challenge (Challenge International du vin).

**2015 : Gold Medal** – 2017 Los Angeles International Wine Competition.

**2015 : Gold Medal** – 2017 Gilbert & Gaillard International wine competition.

**2015 : Gold Medal** – 2017 Entre-Deux-Mers Wines competition.

**2014 : Gold medal** – 2016 Brussels Worldwide Wine Competition.

**2014 : Gold medal** – 2016 French International Wine Challenge (Challenge International du vin).

**2014 : Best red Trophy** – 2016 French International Wine Challenge (Challenge International du vin).

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**2014 : Gold medal** – 2016 Entre-Deux-Mers Wines Competition.

**2014 : Best red Trophy** – 2016 Entre-Deux-Mers Wines Competition.

**2014 : Gold Medal** – 2016 Gilbert & Gaillard tasting.

*« Dark red color with young tints. Aromatic nose with vanilla, coconut, blackcurrant and ripe cherry notes. Smooth attack, elegant and lively mouth with good concentration, lovely spicy range, luxurious and refined oak, well-balanced. Cellar for 4-6 years. »*

**2014 : 4.5/5** - Guide Hubert 2016.

*« Brimming and complex fruity nose with floral and mineral notes. Warm and full palate sustained by ripe and tight tannins, for this very aromatic cru. Good ageing potential. »*

**2014 : 1\*** - Guide Hachette 2017.

*« 100% Merlot (planted on the Grand Rossignol Cru) composes this wine full of generosity and ripe fruit. Opulent, rich and full-bodied with silky tannins. »*

**2014 : 89/100** – Wine Enthusiast.

*« This is a smoky wine, full of rich strawberry flavors. Its tannins come from the wood aging that cuts through the fruit. With acidity as well, the wine is developing well and should be ready from 2017. »*

**2012 : Coup de coeur** - Guide Hachette 2015.

*“A magic terroir : Merlot on swelling clay. An ambitious winemaking : malolactic fermentation in new french oak, sixteen months ageing on lees in barrels. The result ? An outstanding "vin de garde". The colour is deep. Intense nose combining ripe fruit to oaky notes of smoke and toast. From attack to finish, the mouth shows power, elegance and intensity, framed by big though coated tannins”.*

**2012 : Coup de Cœur - 16/20** - Guide Bettane & Desseauve 2015.

*“The 2011 was already surnamed a little alien, bis repetita with this 2012! Very elegant nose full of personality, showing beautiful red and black fruit flavors and ripe black plum, violet and smoke. Voluptuous palate, tasty, silky, smooth tannins and a long-lasting finish. Big potential.”*

**2012 : 5/5 - Tenor of the year** - Guide Hubert (Restaurants & Wines).

*“Very harmonious nose, refined and full of personality, with beautiful aromas of red and black fruit, very ripe, plum, violet and smoke, warm mouth, rich, creamy, very aromatic, with tight tannins and plenty of length. Full of charm and high potential.”*

**2012 : Guide des Vins Dussert-Gerber 2017.**

*« Well-integrated and coated tannins, complex bouquet mingling ripe red fruits and earthy notes, full-bodied . »*

**2012: Great Gold medal** – 2014 Brussels Worldwide Competition (Concours Mondial de Bruxelles).

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*Only 7 wines were awarded this highest score in all Bordeaux wines categories. Outclassing many Grand Crus and Grand Crus classés.*

**2012 : Gold medal** – 2014 French International Challenge (Challenge International du Vin).

**2012 : Gold medal** – 2014 Los Angeles International Wine competition.

**2012 : Gold medal** - 2015 Gilbert & Gaillard tasting.

*« Deep black color. Intense nose, ripe black fruits, toasted notes and cocoa. Velvety attack, fleshy and full palate. Aromas are brimming and tannins are full-bodied. The oak is subtle on the long finish. Keep it for 3-4 years. »*

**2012 : 90/100** – James Suckling.

**2011 : Gold medal** – 2013 French International Challenge (Challenge International du Vin).

**2011 : 2\*** - Guide Hachette 2014.

*"Although the estate is not based in the Medoc or any other prestigious area, they export 80% of their wines. This vast Entre-Deux-Mers estate (100 ha) is definitely a safe bet in the guide, with 4 "coups de cœur" in the recent years. The assets: A modern winery and complementary skills of the 2 owners. Le Grand Rossignol unveils an outstanding terroir of swelling clay planted with Merlot. It could have been another "coup de cœur" both for its qualities and its potential. Displaying a very deep colour with purple tints, it delivers intense fruit of blackberry and blackcherry married with subtle notes of cacao and toast, inherited from 16 months in french barrels. Frank, powerful, ample and full-bodied, with big though coated tannins, this wine deserves a long ageing. Cellar to 2017-2020."*

**2011 : Coup de Cœur - 16/20** - Guide Bettane & Desseauve 2014.

*"A little alien within Bordeaux Supérieur appellation, crafted from 7 acres of superb terroir. Everything is concentrated: The black color, the nose with candied black fruit notes and violet, the warm and full-bodied mouth, hopefully well-balanced by freshness that makes this wine really enjoyable."*

**2011 : 17/20** - Vinogusto Blog - September 2013.

*"Divine! Deep colour that announces full body. Enjoyable fruity, spicy and oaky aromas. Good intensity, smooth and well-balanced palate. Fine tannins, long-lasting finish. Cellar for 3 years for more complexity."*

**2011 : 89/100** – Andréas Larsson & Markus Del Monego – Tasted 100% Blind.

**2010 : Gold medal** – Guide Gilbert et Gaillard 2014.

*« Deep garnet colour with purple tints. The nose brims with spices, mocha, ripe black fruits and toasty oak. Enjoyable experience, fleshy palate, tense, ample, silky tannins. Fresh and spicy on the long finish. »*