



Le Carezze
cantina biologica





The Family and the Territory





In 1994, the founder Luigi Marangoni and his family, driven by their love for nature and together with their passion for wine, bought these lands in order to transform them into a small paradise of organic agriculture.

Le Carezze means wine, but not only. It's vineyard, but also woods, flower meadows, tree-lined avenues, bees, and wild animals. This is the kingdom of biodiversity, nature in all its shapes and sizes.


The name of the winery itself comes from the vegetation of the area: a marsh grass or "carretto", called "carezza" in the dialect of the area.



This area was born from the formation of dunes by the surrounding rivers, Adige, Fratta and Terrazzo, breaking their banks and the riverbeds changes.

The water of these rivers left in the area many volcanic deposits such as: limestone, calcium, magnesium, manganese, and iron. These materials, along with ground and hummus stratified over millennia, make this territory (as well as fertile and generous) able to provide structure, sapidity, minerality, alcohol, and freshness to the wines produced. All these deposits had been eroded from the mountains, the valleys, and the plains by the rivers from their source till Terrazzo. In particular, the territories having this richness are, like our strength, and with a thin sandy substratum.





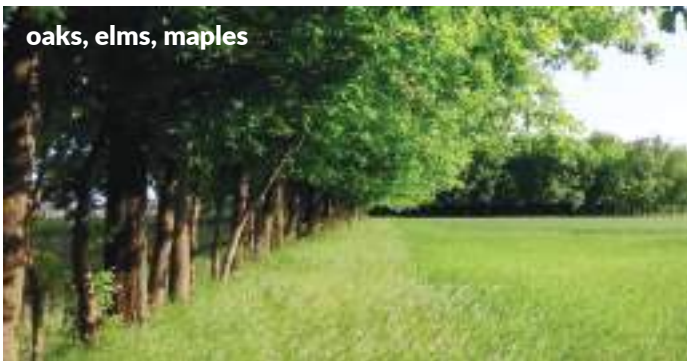
Our countryside is a fascinating ecosystem hosting a huge diversity of living beings, contributing to the biodiversity of the entire area. In our estate, the vines are in symbiosis with the herbs, microorganisms, and wild animals. All around the vineyards we have created woods, tree-lined avenues, and bushes, since we strongly believe that in order to respect the vines, we must respect their surroundings. The vineyard grassing has the major role in this perspective, creating the perfect environment for several herbaceous varieties and maintaining this way the specific habitat. During the spring, the fields nearby are transformed in a garden: thousands of flowers and different species living in perfect balance. The bees are on the flowers to collect nectar and pollen from the flowers and contribute to the production of differently scented grapes.

the vineyards

the hill with the cypresses



oaks, elms, maples



the pond



the footpath





the park

“Le Carezze” winery, surrounded by the greenery of an oasis in the plain Veronese, is the realization of a dream that started about 30 years ago.

In 1994 our family bought land with plants of orchards bred with the conventional system.

In three years, no longer being able to accept chemical treatments, we have eradicated all the orchards and started to structure a highly biodiverse environment.

40,000 tall trees have been planted (oaks, ash, hornbeam, alder, megaleppi, field maple etc.) creating 4 hectares of woods, tree-lined avenues, ponds and hills with Tuscan black cypresses.

In 2015 we considered the territory suitable for inserting one noble and demanding cultivation like the vineyard with relative cellar. All organic certified.

Take a walk, with a good chance of seeing the woodpecker, the kingfisher, the owl, the buzzard, the hoopoe as well as the various passerine birds, hares, pheasants and wild ducks, instills serenity and relaxation and fully satisfies the spirit.

Given the reviews of restaurateurs, wine bars and direct customers, we believe that the goal of producing high quality wines that respect the tradition has been achieved.



the black poplars



The Cellar





The cellar consist of four rooms:

- an air-conditioned room for the steel tanks
- a room for oak barrels and for drying where a ventilation and dehumidification system has been provided, in case the weather conditions require it;
- a built-in shed, where destemming, wine-pressing and fermentation will take place;
- a bright and welcoming tasting room, capable of accommodating even large groups. We have taken care of the details of the structure.

We have taken care of the structure in detail.

The roof of the steel tank room is made with integral oak beams and the cladding with terracotta tiles. The external corners of the walls are built with exposed face bricks, the internal walls and the floor are covered with clinker.

Rooms for the production processes and wine storage





The Tasting Room

We have paid special attention to the aesthetics of the tasting room, taking care of even the smallest details: door arches, fireplace and fountain in fine Vicenza stone, Murano glass chandeliers, wall coatings in antique bricks, and solid wood roof.



Hospitality

We offer to our guests different experiences, to discover the story and the philosophy of our winery, the territory, and our wines.



Starting the experience with a walk in the woods and the vineyard, you are completely immersed in an oasis surrounded by nature, discovering the flora and fauna living in the area. In 2023, many hectares of the estate were covered with flowers for beekeeping, creating amazing contrasts with all their colours.

The visit continues in the cellar and, finally, with the tasting in the new tasting room, pairing our wines with high-quality local products, focusing on sustainable and km0 productions.





Verona is part of the Great Wine Capitals Global Network (GWC) project: 12 international cities sharing an important economic and cultural side: their wine regions, that are recognized all over the world.

On June 2023, during the main event **VERONA WINE TOURISM**, at the Chamber of Commerce of Verona, seven wineries from Verona area have been awarded for their greatness in different wine-tourism activities.



Le Carezze winery has been awarded for **"SUSTAINABLE WINE TOURISM PRACTICES"** with the following motivation:

"For the commitment shown in creating an oasis in nature, taking care of the flora and fauna as well as the vines, combining the passion for wine with the preservation of the ecosystem."



the Mission



An immense work has been done in the past twenty years with the goal of preparing a suitable environment for an organic vineyard and cellar. The last 10,000 vines planted are the result of a selection of plants resistant to late blight and powdery mildew with the aim of avoiding use of sulfur and copper.

We planted fifty thousand vine plants and forty thousand forest plants, creating with hard work and not indifferent economic expenditure a small earthly paradise.

We trust that our efforts and commitment will be shared and appreciated by those who will taste our products.

Regardless of the economic result, a walk with ours dogs among the wonderful rows of forest plants and vines is and always will be priceless.

Horacio L. L. L.







Our Wines

Our wine range is composed of: sparkling wines from Sauvignon Kretos, Johanniter and Fleurtai grapes, white wines from Malvasia and Palava grapes, red wines from Cabernet Volos and Merlot grapes, raisin wine from Palava grapes.

Several vines in our estate are PIWI.

We strongly believe in the PIWI varieties since they are highly resistant to diseases



and they allow us to clear the vineyards (almost fully) from chemical treatments. These plants are the result of many cross-pollinations between different varieties, chosen for their resistance to diseases.

The main goal is to produce fine high-quality wines respecting the tradition. As per the feedbacks we are receiving, it seems we are following the right path.



sparkling
wines



Soil :

Tasting notes :

Dry extract :

Acidity :

Alcohol content :

Serve at :

Recommended pairings :

Bottle :

GENESI

QUALITY SPARKLING WINE – CHARMAT METHOD

BRUT – MILLESIMATO – ORGANIC

From Fleurtai - Johanniter grapes

Limestone and clay.

Fleurtai and Johanniter are grape varieties resistant to downy mildew and powdery mildew, needing 70% less chemical treatments (including sulphur and copper). The grapes, slightly dried, provide fruity scents of peach and pear, tropical fruits (ananas and avocado), and almond. Elegant on the palate, with a pleasant minerality and important structure. Fine and elegant bubbles thanks to the long fermentation on the yeasts (more than 6 months).

31 gr/l

7.9 gr/l

13.5 %

6 ÷ 8 °C

Starters, fish-based first courses, second courses with fish, cheese and white meat.



750 ml





Federico
SIGNATURE

Soil :

Tasting notes :

Dry extract :

Acidity :

Alcohol content :

Serve at :

Recommended pairings :

Bottle :

IRIS

SPARKLING WINE – CHARMAT METHOD

BRUT – MILLESIMATO – ORGANIC

From resistant grapes of Sauvignon Kretos

Limestone and clay.

Sauvignon Kretos is a grape variety resistant to downy mildew and powdery mildew, needing 70% less chemical treatments (including sulphur and copper). The grapes, slightly dried, used for this noble sparkling wine, has transferred aromas of tropical fruits, pleasantness and structure, with flavor and freshness. Fine and persistent bubbles, thanks to the long fermentation on the yeasts (more than 4 months).

29 gr/l

7.6 gr/l

13 %

6 ÷ 8 °C

Starters, fish-based first courses, second courses with fish, cheese and white meat.



750 ml





FONDAZIONE
EDMUND
MACH



2^a Rassegna Nazionale Vini PIWI

1° Classificato
Categoria Vini Spumanti

IRIS 2021

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S. Michele all'Adige (TN)



2022



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EDMUND MACH



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IRIS 2021



San Michele all'Adige, 02 dicembre 2022

IRIS 2021 was awarded 1st place in the sparkling wine category,
in one of the most prestigious contest on PIWI wines
at Fondazione Edmund Mach.



white wines



ATHENA



FLEURTAI - JOHANNITER
MILLESIMATO - VENETO - IGT

Soil :

Limestone and clay.

Tasting notes :

Fleurtaï and Johanniter are grape varieties resistant to downy mildew and powdery mildew, needing 70% less chemical treatments (including sulphur and copper). Intense and complex on the nose, with fruity scents (tangerine, apricot, and pear), sweet almond, and Mediterranean herbs. On the palate the same aromas found on the nose, with balanced acidity and minerality.

Dry extract :

31 gr/l

Acidity :

7 gr/l

Alcohol content :

12.5 %

Serve at :

10 ÷ 14 °C

Recommended pairings :

Ideal for fish dishes, raw fish, cheeses, and white meat.

Bottle :



750 ml

2017

While supplies last



JUPITER

PINOT GRIGIO

MILLESIMATO - Merlara DOC

Soil :

Limestone and clay.

Tasting notes :

Very intense and complex and the nose, with scents of Apples, Pineapples, Bananas, Grapefruit and a light hint of vanilla. Strong minerality. Fresh and savoury on the palate.

Dry extract :

30.7 gr/l

Acidity :

6.8 gr/l

Alcohol content :

14 %

Serve at :

10 ÷ 14 °C

Recommended pairings :

Ideal to accompany fish-based dishes, risotto, white meat (even with complex preparations), cheese.

Bottle :



750 ml

2022 vintage
While supplies last

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JUPITER

SPECIAL REFINEMENT



PALAVA

MILLESIMATO - VENETO - IGT

After fermentation at controlled temperature, one year in steel barrels and two months in oak barriques, it was further refined in steel, obtaining exciting aromas and flavors that will surely satisfy the most demanding palates.

Soil :

Limestone and clay.

Tasting notes :

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Dry extract :

30.7 gr/l

Acidity :

6.8 gr/l

Alcohol content :

14 %

Serve at :

10 ÷ 14 °C

Recommended pairings :

Ideal to accompany fish-based dishes, risotto, white meat (even with complex preparations), cheese.

Bottle :



750 ml



DIONISO

BIANCO VENETO

MILLESIMATO · IGT · ORGANIC

From Palava grapes

An excellence that is the fruit of our soil and a strict selection of the grapes in the vineyards. Drying the grapes and maceration on the skins for 5 hours. Low temperature fermentation in order to keep the scents and the typical flavours of this great Palava grape. Aging in new barriques for 2 months.



Soil :

Limestone and clay.

Tasting notes :

Intense and complex on the nose, with tropical fruits, citrus, yellow fruits, and white flowers perfumes. On the palate the same complexity, balanced by a great minerality. Long gustatory persistence.

Dry extract :

35 gr/l

Acidity :

7.5 gr/l

Alcohol content :

16.5 %

Serve at :

10 ÷ 14 °C

Recommended pairings :

Ideal paired with fish dishes, risotto, white meats with complex recipes, and cheese.

Bottle :



750 ml



red wines



Soil :

Tasting notes :

Dry extract :

Acidity :

Alcohol content :

Serve at :

Recommended pairings :

Bottle :

URANO

CABERNET "VOLOS"

IGT VENETO · ORGANIC

Limestone and clay.

Cabernet "Volos" is a grape variety resistant to downy mildew and powdery mildew, needing 70% less chemical treatments (including sulphur and copper). Important structure and pleasantness with aromas of ripe fruit, light notes of leather, tobacco and licorice and with intense flavor.

48 gr/l

6.5 gr/l

15 %

18 ÷ 20 °C

Ideal to accompany pasta dishes with meat sauces, cold cuts, roasts and game.

Excellent with aged cheeses.



750 ml 1500 ml





VULCANUS

MERLOT

IGT · VERONA

MILLESIMATO



Soil :

Limestone and clay.

Tasting notes :

Very intense and complex on the nose, with scents of cherries, tamarind and raspberries, spicy notes of pepper and cloves. There are also tertiary notes of leather, coffee and liquorice.

Dry extract :

55 gr/l

Acidity :

6.52 gr/l

Alcohol content :

16.5 %

Serve at :

18 ÷ 20 °C

Recommended pairings :

Ideal to accompany pasta dishes with meat sauces, cold cuts, roasts and game.

Excellent with aged cheeses.

Bottle :





ZEUS

MERLOT

IGT · VERONA

MILLESIMATO



ZEUS (*VULCANUS evolution*)

An excellence that is the fruit of our soil and a strict selection of grapes in the vineyards.

Drying of the grapes to concentrate and let the sugar parts evolve.

Grapes destemming and fermentation in a special fermenter patented by our oenologist Fabio Melotto. This fermenter pumps over the skins, without using a pump, avoiding the disruption of the seeds that might be responsible of an unpleasant tannin.

Aging for at least one year in barrique.

Extraordinary complexity, perfect elegance, powerful expression, and long aging potential are its main assets.

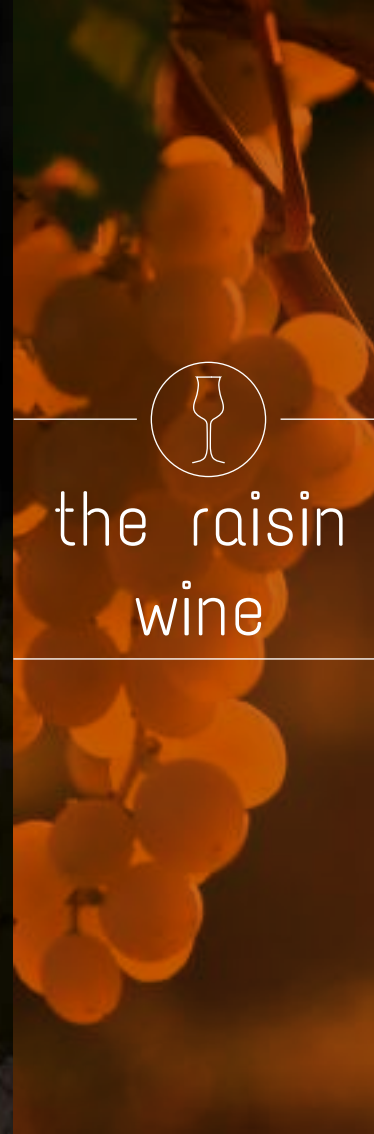
A great red wine, unveiling in the glass its intensity and long persistence.



750 ml

Alcohol content: 18 %

Serve at: 18 ÷ 20 °C



the raisin
wine



Calypso

Passito from Palava grapes • IGT



Soil :

Tasting notes :

Dry extract :

Acidity :

Alcohol content :

Serve at :

Recommended pairings :

Limestone and clay.

Meditation wine, complex, structured, with an ancient color. The aromas are intense and persistent and recall ripe tropical fruits (pineapple - papaya) with a peach and banana background. Excellent persistence and almond finish.

32 gr/l

7.3 gr/l

12 %

12 ÷ 14 °C

Ideal to accompany dry small pastries, preferably made with almonds, pistachio, dried or candied fruit. Excellent with seasoned or blue cheeses.

It also goes perfectly with dark chocolate.

Bottle :



375 ml



the Awards

Asia International Wine Competition



Vinality (5StarWines)



Top Hundred “Il Golosario”



International Wine Challenge 2020



Wine Channel - Best Italian Wine Selection



Decanter - World Wine Awards

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Top 100 - The guide to the wines of Verona



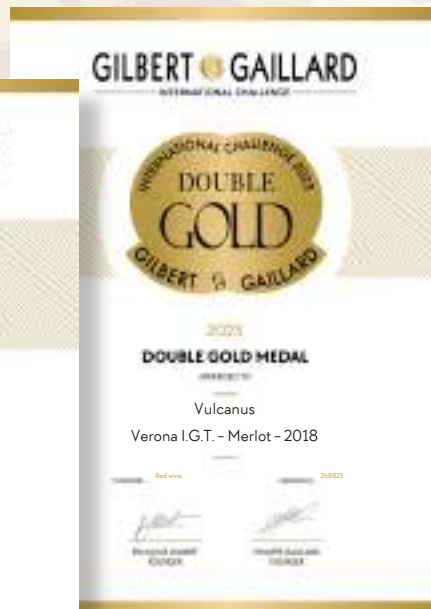
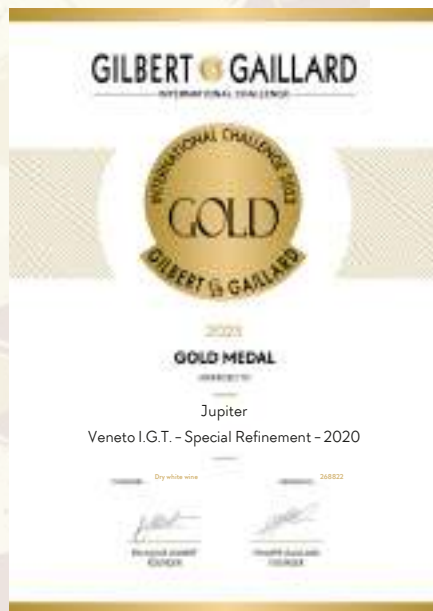
Fondazione Edmund Mach

2ª Rassegna Nazionale Vini PIWI (resistant grapes)



GILBERT & GAILLARD

INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE



PIWI Wine Award International



International Wine Challenge 2024



Concours International de Lyon



Concours International des Cabernets



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