

Beaune 1er Cru Clos des Mouches Blanc

2022

92 POINTS

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This historic Beaune négociant house is also an important proprietor in its own right and one that's only growing, with the acquisition last year of 20 additional hectares located in Saint-Romain and Saint-Véran. The Drouhin family remains committed to the ideal of elegance, and the 2022 vintage has played into their hands in that respect, producing a crop of sensual, charming wines that come warmly recommended. Robert Drouhin told me that they're planning to extend white wine élevage—which I might have the temerity to suggest complementing with a more reductive handling in the cellar, as I have tended to find recent vintages of the Laguiche Montrachet more glorious in the flush of youth than after a decade in the cellar.