

CHATEAU L'ENCLOS POMEROL 2009



THE OWNERS:

OWNERS: Stephen and Denise Adams

WINE CONSULTANT: Gilles Pauquet

THE VINEYARD:

SURFACE: 7,5 hectares (19 acres)

SOILS: Sandy, gravely surface soil with clay and iron subsoils

LOCATION: Situated on the western slope of Pomerol's famous plateau across 3 terraces of the appellation

NEIGHBORHOOD: Clos René and Château Le Pin

VINIFICATION AND AGEING:

VATS: Cement Tank thermoregulated

VATTING TIME: 30 to 35 days

AGEING: 12 to 16 months

BARRELS: 40 % new French oak barrel and 60 % one year old

THE WINE:

WINE VARIETIES: 81% Merlot, 16% Cabernet Franc and 3% Malbec

PRODUCTION: 3,000 cases

TASTING NOTES:

APPEARANCE: Deep ruby color

NOSE: A well-defined bouquet, fleshy red-berried fruit, very clean and precise developing some lovely plum notes with time

MOUTH: The palate is medium-bodied with fine tannins, good weight, slightly earthy but very fresh and vibrant towards the finish. This is a very fine L'Enclos- Robert Parker

2009 PRESS RANKINGS:

NEAL MARTIN: 89-91/100

JAMES SUCKLING: 88-91/100

BETTANE & DESSAUVE: 14/20

LE FIGARO CLUB VIN : 90-92/100

RVF : 15,5/20

DECANTER COMMENDED
