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## Blaufränkisch 2000

1. Variety: Blaufränkisch

2. Vintage: 2000

3. Soil: calcareous loam and loess

4. Region/micro zone: Mittelburgenland/Deutschkreutz

hilly country around Neusiedlersee/Pöttelsdorf

5. **Vineyard and microclimate**: warm, south-facing slope, but also slightly cooler southeast-facing vineyards on the plateau

6. Harvest date: 22 September 2000

7. Age of the vines: 22 - 40 years

- 8. **Vinification**: Selection in the vineyard, harvesting by hand, gentle processing, crushing of the mash cake several times a day. 12 days of maceration. No pressing, only free run wine.
- 9. **Ageing**: 6 months of natural sedimentation in large wooden barrels, followed by 40 months in small oak barrels, 16 months of ageing in large wooden barrels, 12 months of bottle ageing
- 10. **Wine description**: coconut, caramel, incense, mix of dark berries, blackthorn, elderberry, well-balanced tannin structure, bitter chocolate, well integrated wood "Sensational you note the high quality ripe, good wines can achieve." A la carte 2009.

Food pairing: Ravioli stuffed with venison, goose leg

11. Serving temperature: 16 °C – 19°C

12. Technical data:

§ Alcohol: 14% vol § Residual sugar: 1 g/l

**§ Acidity**: 5,5 g/l

§ Bottling date: January 2006

13. Storage potential: 2007 - 2020