

# CHATEAU PEBY FAUGERES

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SAINT-EMILION

## **Château Péby Faugères 2018**

Saint-Emilion Grand Cru Classé

### ***November 2019 – Vinous, Neal Martin***

**94-96/100**

The 2018 Péby-Faugères has a ripe and generous bouquet with precocious red cherry, boysenberry, fig and violet aromas that are thankfully well defined and focused. The palate is medium-bodied with saturated tannins that frame the multi-layered dark cherry and cassis fruit, allied with a fine balance and probably the most precise finish that I have ever encountered on this Saint-Émilion. Superb.

### ***November 2019 – Vinous, Antonio Galloni***

**93-96/100**

The 2018 Péby Faugères, 100% Merlot from 45 year-old vines, is fabulous. Dense, inky and rich, with tremendous concentration, the 2018 offers superb intensity but with less of the pushed extraction that was once the norm here. Blackberry jam, spice, cloves, menthol, and licorice build in a potent, flamboyant Saint-Émilion. In 2018, Péby Faugères shows a slightly brighter and more floral profile than in the past. It will be interesting to see how the 2018 and future vintages develop, as Péby Faugères has always been distinctive. The 2018 is a terrific effort from proprietor Silvio Denz and consulting winemaker Michel Rolland. My only real critique is that Péby Faugères and Faugères are more closer in style than they usually are, which is remarkable as the blends are totally different!

### ***May 2019 – Jeb Dunnuck***

**96-98/100**

I always love this cuvée, which comes from a specific parcel of very old vine Merlot on the eastern side of Saint-Émilion. The 2018 Château Péby Faugères, which is a selection of 70% of the production and is aging in 65% new oak, reveals a deep purple color as well as a ripe, blockbuster bouquet of black fruits, smoked earth, spicy oak, and graphite. One of the ripe, powerful wines that still stays light and graceful, it's full-bodied, has ripe tannins, no hard edges, and a great finish. This is a sexy Saint-Émilion to drink over the coming 20-25 years. Tasted twice.

### ***April 2019 – James Suckling***

**98-99/100**

Wow. Really savory this year with an extremely dense and gorgeous palate of ripe fruit and ripe tannins, but an underlying minerality and intensity. Shows really integrated and melted tannins, but then it kick-starts at the end. Neoclassical.

### ***April 2019 – Wine Spectator, James Molesworth***

**95-98/100**

Offers layers of dark fig, boysenberry and cassis fruit, with alluring black tea and anise notes. The long, smoldering finish is carried by a graphite edge. Dense, but with serious cut and detail. A classic in the making. Drink now. Score



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***April 2019 – Wine Advocate, Lisa Perrotti-Brown***

**95-97+/100**

Made of 100% Merlot, the 2018 Péby Faugères is deep garnet-purple colored and comes bounding out of the glass with gregarious notes of blueberry pie, plum pudding, chocolate-covered cherries and mulberries with hints of eucalyptus, cinnamon stick, cloves and unsmoked cigars plus a waft of cedar chest. Full-bodied, taut and muscular, the palate has a rock-solid structure of firm, velvety tannins and wonderful freshness, finishing very long with loads of mineral sparks.

***April 2019 – Markus Del Monego***

**96/100**

Dark purple red with violet hue and almost black core. Opulent nose with well balanced fruit, ripe plums, sweet elderberries, very well integrated oak adding hints of roasting aroma and vanilla and giving more depth. Great evolution of the tannins on the palate. The almost sweet tannins, the ripe fruit and the elegant spiciness create a very high tension on the palate. The best Péby Faugères ever tasted en primeur. Very promising on a first class level.

***April 2019 – René Gabriel***

**20/20**

(100% Merlot, 22 hl/ha) Konzentriertes, komplexes, fein opulentes, cremiges, zart marmeladiges Bouquet, Kirschegelee, fein Pralinencreme, Graphit, Schiefer, Minzebonbon, fein Eukalyptus, dunkler Tabak, schwarze Schokolade. Cremiger, kraftvoller, konzentrierter, vielschichtiger, aromatischer Gaumen mit konzentrierter, cremiger, muskulöser, eleganter Struktur, vielfältiger, kraftvoller Aromatik, sehr viel feinem Tannin, sehr langer, konzentrierter, opulenter Abgang mit vielen Rückaromen. 2026 – 2060

***April 2019 –vvWine.ch, Adrian van Velsen***

**18,5+/20**

Dichtes Rubin, hohe Viskosität. Intensive, tiefe, noble Nase, Rauch, dunkle Beeren, Gewürzbrot, auch florale Noten, deutlich komplexer als der kleine Bruder Faugères. Im Auftakt weich, dann packt der Wein zu, ungemein viel jedoch sehr fein gewobener Gerbstoff, das Holz perfekt verpackt, die Säure stimmig, das ist konzentrierte Kraft mit viel Finesse, gefällt mir im Gegensatz zum etwas plump geratenen Faugères sehr gut. 2025-2042+

***April 2019 – Weinzeitung***

**19/20**

***March 2019 – Weinwisser***

**19/20**

***March 2019 – Yves Beck***

**95-97/100**



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Pourpre violacé profond. Bouquet complexe, révélant des notes fruitées telles que cassis et mûres. Avec un peu d'air, le nez gagne en pluralité et en profondeur en révélant son terroir au travers de notes crayeuses, suivies d'effluves de griottes. L'élevage est également présent, de manière filigrane avec une agréable touche de caramel et de cannelle. Au palais, le vin est friand, compact, crémeux et doté de tannins aux grains fins qui assurent bien les arrières. Finale fruitée et persistante. Un vin élégant, qui allie parfaitement le charme, la race, la finesse et la puissance.



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