



Wine Tasting 14th February

2014

at 3 La Vacherie
56220 St Jacut Les Pins



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This wine tasting brought some surprises. The wines we liked the least were the most expensive and the cheaper wines were for the most part very palatable. Let me correct that, the most expensive wines were horrible. I think Roy Waite was right that Rose wines should be chilled in the freezer and left there!

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| 1 | Vinglogg Produced in Germany | IKEA Nantes and other outlets. 12.5% €3.45 | Not a Rose wine but a lovely red heart on the bottle made this a must for inclusion. Served warm it really was very nice and good value for money. |
| 2 | Ladubay Rose Brut Saumur France | Intermache Redon 12.5% €5.95 | Another wine from the Ladubay production in Saumur. Again a lovely bubbly, pink and very drinkable. Good value. |

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| 3 | Crement de Bourgogne Rose Brut Bourgogne France | Leclerc Redon 12% €6.50 | A good competitor to the Ladubay. Again good value for money but the Ladubay had the edge on the Crememnt de Bourgogne. |
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| 4 | Domaine du Chavigne 2012 Appellation Rose D'Anjou France | Super U Malansac 10.5% €5.01 | Drinkable and good value for money. Pity the weather wasn't warm and dry as this is definitely a patio wine. |
| 5 | Domaine Goupil Cabernet D'Anjou 2012 Appellation Cabernet D'Anjou Controlee | Intermache Redon 11% €4.11 | A very nice wine and excellent value for money. Once again better weather needed to really enjoy this wine. |
| 6 | Blush Gold Country 2010 California USA | Cavavin Redon 10.5% €4.95 | An OK wine and good value. Lower alcohol than most makes this a good choice for the summer. |
| 7 | Chateau Haut Lamouthe 2012 Bergerac France | Cavavin Redon 12.5% €6.10 | A really nice wine at a good price. Quite a surprise for Cavavin. |
| 8 | Chateau Minuty Prestige 2012 Cotes de Provence | Cavavin Redon 13% €18.90 | This was just terrible. Not liked by most. Definitely not worth the price paid. |

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| 9 | Chateau Vannieres 2012 Bandol Appellation D'Origine Protegee France | Leclerc, Redon 13% €13.50 | From terrible to worse, really not palatable and a universal condemnation of a wine. |
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The wine tasting on the 11th February is postponed until 18th February due to bad weather and road closures in the area.