

MOUNTFIELD CLASSIC CUVEE 2016



## Grape Varietals

Abv

12%

40% Chardonnay25% Pinot Noir30% Pinot Meunier5% Reserve wine

## Vinification

Fermented in stainless steel and held in barrel and tank until bottling in April 2017. The wine is blended with 5% of the 2015 vintage for further complexity. The wine was lees aged for over 4 years and disgorged in January 2021.

## History

The Mountfield Estate near Robertsbridge in East Sussex is owned by Simon and Lucinda Fraser, and has been in Lucinda's family since 1850. The 3.5 hectare vineyard with on-site winery and cellar door is a rare example of a boutique fully integrated wine making operation in England. The focus of the estate is quality over quantity and to produce beautifully balanced sparkling wines with a distinct personality.

## **Tasting Notes**

Delightful aromas of lemon, citrus and peach on the nose, which follow through on the palate, alongside crisp red apple with a touch of brioche and creaminess. A lush mousse on the finish with lively acidity and freshness..

Suggested food pairings: perfect as an aperitif or partner to shellfish, dover sole and white meats.