

## AN EPIC JOURNEY WE LIVE TOGETHER

The dream, birth and development of a Grand Cru in China
We are all participating to this adventure from Ao Yun team to wine lover Long term vision: we build for next generation

## HIMALAYAN TERROIRS EXPRESSION

Not a new winery in well known terroir but a discovery of new terroir Reflecting Himalayan Terroirs through purity, finesse and complexity Terroir impact winemaking, cellar at 2600 m of altitude ( $25 \%$ less oxygen)

## NO LIMIT TO CREATIVITY AND ACCURACY

No machinery in vineyard, $100 \%$ by local farmer's hand
3500 hours/ha/year in vineyard (X4 of other vineyard all done by hand) Chinese Moving Mountain attitude

MORE THAN ORGANIC, RESPECTING THE VIRTUOUS CIRCLE OF NATURE $100 \%$ sustainable, autonomous and regenerative viticulture Each farmer grow plant that are feeding his animal that feed back his plant What we take, we give it back to mother nature

## PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE IN EVERYTHING WE DO

We divided our 27 ha into 727 sub-blocks, 35 terroirs among them
We discard until $50 \%$ of our fruits
Blending assessment done at sea level for precise sensation
Bunch cleaning before harvest
Delicate and accurate process to crack slightly berries instead of crushing



## THE LUCKIEST OF ALL

Best climate so far
Showing us best condition under our unique climate

## CLIMATE IS MAIN ACTOR OF THIS VINTAGE

Homogeneity of quality and ripeness
Late beginning, medium duration harvest of 51 days for CS mature Small crop at $900 \mathrm{~g} /$ plant of mature $\mathrm{CS}=18 \mathrm{hl} / \mathrm{ha}$

## VINEYARD: IMPROVED WATER CONSTRAINT MANAGEMENT

## Tailormade water constraint decision tool

Toping up at variable geometry depending on terroir \& seasons

## REFINING WINEMAKING

Aromatic extraction, less air = preserve fine aromas
Tannin extraction, from 28C to 26C maceration temperature
Less Barrel usage, more Terroir transparency

## LESS DENSITY, MORE ELEGANCE

## Alc 14\% and 3,35 PH

$59 \%$ of harvested grapes made it to the blend 60\% Cab Sauv, 19\% Cab Franc, 10\% Syrah, 6\% Merlot, 6\% Petit Verdot 8th consecutive time Best wine of China by MW Edward Ragg from Robert Parker


