



Rudi Wiest
SELECTIONS

Vintage: 2012
Estate: Schäfer-Fröhlich
Region: Nahe
Name: Felseneck
Grape: Riesling
Ripeness: Kabinett
Style: Fruity
Residual Sugar 55 gm/l
Alcohol..... 8.0 %
Soil Type: Blue Devonian slate, basalt and quartz
Production Level: 300 Cases
Closure: Cork
UPC: 767946 50401 5

Estate: In 2005 the Gault-Millau / German Wine Guide chose Tim Fröhlich as newcomer of the year and in 2010 as winemaker of the year (the youngest ever). In 1998 Tim stepped into a virtually unknown estate and shaped it into one of the top Nahe estates in a short period of time. The estate has ownership in the slate based, quartzite laced sites of Felseneck in Bockenau and Halenberg and Frühlingsplätzchen (red slate here) in Monzingen, and the porphyry based vineyards Stromberg in Bockenau and Felsenberg and Kupfergrube in Schlossböckelheim. Tim is a master of indigenous yeast fermentation. His Grosses Gewächs wines garner some of the highest scores in Germany and his noble sweets are some of the finest produced anywhere. Schäfer-Fröhlich is a member of the VDP.

Tasting Note: The nose fills with intense mineral and white peach notes. On the palate the wine is ripe and tangy, packed with white peach, lemon cream and orange citrus notes. These flavors are supported by ripe lime toned acidity. The finish is also impressive, with spicy minerals, red raspberry, and a hint of freshly picked mint.

Food Affinity: Great to enjoy on its own, but also great with salads and spicy dishes or fusion cuisine

