

2019 Podere Conca Elleboro Bianco

Rating	Release Price	Drink Date	Producer: Podere Conca
89	\$23	2020 - 2023	From: Italy , Tuscany , Tosca
Reviewed by	Issue Date	Source	Color: White
Monica Larner	17th Dec 2020	December 2020 Week 3, The Wine Advocate	Type: Table

A release of 4,000 bottles, the Podere Conca 2019 Elleboro Bianco is a blend of mostly Viognier blended with Chardonnay and a smaller part Sauvignon Blanc. This steel-fermented wine is lean in texture, although there is some creaminess that gives it more volume than your standard easygoing white. The natural richness of both the Viognier and the Chardonnay contribute to the wine's slightly amped up texture. The bouquet is redolent of citrus (more like Meyer lemon) and softer orchard fruit. Salty mineral notes also appear on the close, making this a nice pairing with raw oysters.

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Sweetness: Dry

Type: Table

Variety: Proprietary Blend

2018 Podere Conca Bolgheri Rosso Agapanto

Rating	Release Price	Drink Date	Producer: Podere Conca
91+	\$28	2020 - 2026	From: Italy , Tuscany , Bolgheri
Reviewed by	Issue Date	Source	Rosso
Monica Larner	17th Dec 2020	December 2020 Week 3,	Color: Red

This blend of Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc and Ciliegiolo beautifully hones in on a sense of place. I think that the Ciliegiolo component (measured at just 15% of the blend) makes a lasting impression by contributing very energetic and lifted cherry aromas that almost completely define the fragrant bouquet of the Podere Conca 2018 Bolgheri Rosso Agapanto. The wine feels as if it were made in the cooler Chianti Classico climate located further inland. The two Cabernet grapes add ample substance, texture and power. There are some soft oak tannins and end notes of cinnamon and campfire ash. Some 10,000 bottles were made and you get solid value.

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