



# TEGERNSEERHOF

WEINGUT MITTELBACH · WACHAU - AUSTRIA

## Ried Loibenberg Grüner Veltliner

Smaragd® 2019

**vineyard:** Ried Loibenberg

**soil composition:** Gfoehler Gneiss with loess deposits

**altitude:** ~200 - 420 m

**exposure:** south

**average age of vines:** ~ 50 years

**varietals:** 100% Grüner Veltliner

**farming practice:** traditional, hand harvest – no herbicides, no pesticides

### **the vineyard**

Loibenberg is the second monumental site in the eastern Wachau. The 31 hectares of vines on this mountain are exposed to a Pannonian climate that leaves its signature on the wines of these vineyards. Despite this, the warmth is moderated by vast differences in altitude. 200 vertical metres separate the Danube and the border of the forest at 420 metres. The steep terraces of Gfoehler gneiss and loess combined with the climate guarantee a large versatility in wine styles.

### **wine production**

**harvest time:** October 2019

**fermentation:** cool fermentation in stainless steel tanks

**ripening:** almost half a year in stainless steel tanks.

Selective hand harvest of ripe and healthy grapes multiple times. Destemmed, skin contact for 12-24 hours, pressed and fermented in stainless steel tanks.

**alcoholic content:** 14% by vol

**total acidity:** 3 g/l

**residual sugar:** 5.3 g/l

**potential:** 2020-2030

### **tasting notes**

Our Loibenberg Grüner Veltliner Smaragd® shows a light creamy texture paired with a long lingering finish. The dense fruit flavors on the palate and its tanginess lead to structure and length and prove that the Loibenberg lives up to its reputation as an exceptional cru for producing complex and aging wines.

### **food pairing**

A versatile accompaniment to food.

**ideal temperature to drink**

45-50 °F



## Winery Tegernseerhof

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**wine-maker:** Martin Mittelbach

**size:** ~66 acres

**total annual production:** ~200.000 btl.

**grape varieties:** 60% Grüner Veltliner, 30% Riesling, 5% Zweigelt, 3% Pinot Noir, 2% mixed varieties

**region:** Wachau - Austria

**geography:** west of Vienna next to the river Danube

**climate:** continental

**soil:** Gfoehler Gneiss



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