



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS SINCE 1906

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## Billecart Salmon Clos Saint-Hillaire 2006

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<b>Price</b>	£435.00
<b>Code</b>	BILL055

This cuvée Blanc de Noirs vinified in oak casks allows the richness of the terroir and the purity of the wine to express itself. This rare vintage of incredible typicity will live on for future decades with strength and elegance.

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### Tasting Notes:

A deep yellow gold hue, underlined by intensely golden reflections. A extremely complex, vinous impact on the nose with a touch of biscuit, fresh roasted hazelnuts, white pepper. The palate has hints of citrus fruit flesh and pears in syrup, candied lemon zest & mandarin pulp emerges against a base note of panettone. With a richness bursting with flavours, puffed buckwheat and precious wood the wine is carried by a fullness of taste with bewitching charm culminating in a deliciously chalky root mineral.

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Specification	
ABV	12.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink now throughg to 2034
Country	France
Region	Champagne
Area	Vallee de la Marne
Sub Area	Aÿ
Type	Champagne
Grapes	Pinot Noir
Genres	Fine Wine
Vintage	2006
Style	Brut
Body	Rich, full flavoured and toasty
Producer	Champagne Billecart-Salmon
Producer Overview	Billecart-Salmon, a medium-size Champagne House in Mareuil-sur-Aÿ, was founded in 1818 by the original owners Nicolas Francois Billecart and Elisabeth Salmon who combined their names on marriage to create the brand.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Pair with wild turbot.