

Nicolas Carlin

Sancerre Manoline 2012



Though Nicolas grew up in Paris and studied software, his family house in Crezancy-en-Sancerre was where his heart was always drawn. He interned summers in the wineries not only of family friends but also at Domaine de la Voltonnerie, the Sancerre property belonging to his future father in law, Jack Pinson. He matriculated from Paris to Enology school in Beaune and shortly thereafter began making the wine full time at Voltonnerie. Carlin launched his own Manoline line in 2011.

Manoline is a composite of the first names of Nicolas & Alix's two daughters Manon and Caroline. The two handprints on the label symbolize the conjoining of Carlin's life in Paris with his new life in Sancerre, and also the 'balance, structure, and love' that goes into the production of each bottle of Manoline.

Appellation: Sancerre

Grape varietals: 100% Sauvignon Blanc

Location: Crezancy-en-Sancerre

Agricultural method: sustainable farming

Vinification: Selected yeasts, direct press, and temperature controlled fermentation in stainless steel vats.

Alcohol content: 12.5%

