



Vineyard

Locality

## OSTERBERG

RIBEAUVILLÉ



**O**n the fringes of Ribeauvillé, bounded to the south by the «*Osterbergweg*» path and to the west by the Grand Cru Geisberg, lies the Osterberg. Its 24,60 ha of medium to steep slopes face east-southeast, at an altitude of from 250 to 350 metres, benefitting from excellent exposure to the sun.

**T**he soil is stony clay, overlying a subsoil of Marl and middle Muschelkalk soil with, to the east Lettenkohle with dolomite calcareous (*magnesian limestone*) and intercolored marl.

**T**he Osterberg is ideally suited to Riesling, Gewurztraminer and to Tokay Pinot Gris.

**L**ong renowned, the Osterberg is mentioned in documents dating from the Middle Ages, when the nobles of Ribeaupierre owned vineyards on this slope.

**A**wine which ages particularly well, the Riesling develops a powerful body, an aroma of great finesse and the famous mineral notes. The Gewurztraminer and Tokay Pinot Gris are rich and powerful, with lots of elegance and finesse. They also will age extremely well.