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**2008 Le Piane Boca****Community Tasting Notes**

COMMUNITY TASTING NOTES (10)

Median Score: **93 Points**

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[Note Display Settings](#)**10/28/2014 - GALENICO LIKES THIS WINE:****93 Points** ▾

**SALONE DEL GUSTO 2014; 10/26/2014-10/30/2014 (LINGOTTO FIERE TORINO):** Vino profondo, frutto più scuro e zuccherato, uvetta e sangue raffermo.

Rimane sintonizzato su toni speziati, ma è più carnale rispetto al 2010, più materico.

Con il passare dei minuti esplodono nel naso manciate di fiori rossi, rose e garofani: un bouquet da sposa!! Naso ammaliante!!

In bocca la classica vena balsamica fa da tappeto al frutto maturo, quasi macerato e sotto spirito. E' più amaro rispetto al 2010, meno acido, con più frutto, più tannino e una grande texture vellutata.

Ancora da attendere, ma ha un potenziale di miglioramento infinito.

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**10/10/2014 - NOSTRABACCHUS LIKES THIS WINE:****94 Points** ▾

Decanted for 1 hour. Medium-dark ruby color. Beautifully perfumed nose of sweet dark cherries, tar, violets, menthol, spices and also some black tea kind of thing. On the palate there are similar flavors, but also bright red fruit, candied fruit and graphite as well as herbs. It's medium+ bodied but very dense, with pretty high tannin and medium-high acidity. Very long finish. A super interesting and pretty Nebbiolo... like the Burgundy version of Barolo (which can be Burgundian too, like B. Mascarello). It's my first time having it so I don't know how it's gonna age but I'm pretty confident it will have a very long life ahead... (94+)

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**10/4/2014 - JOHANPE WROTE:****91 Points** ▾

Decanted for a couple of hours. Elegant and almost burgundian nose with mature strawberry, rosehip, roses, violet and melted dark chocolate. Very good although a bit restrained imo. Powerful attack on the palate, solid tanninstructure, the youth is obvious. Doesn't strike me as forward as the last bottle. Day 3 it has opened up a lot more and really sings. Always great but this particular bottle was kind of a slowstarter.

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**8/12/2014 - ANONYMOUS LIKES THIS WINE:**

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Cork stained 1/3 up. Poured just on opening. Extremely aromatic. Initially a bit mouth-puckering, but very quickly put on fuller more rounded expression. Quite good. Enjoyed.

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**6/6/2014 - YOFOG WROTE:****93 Points** ▾

Ripe and black fruity, not overripe but right up to that edge. Asphalt, black tea, damp/dark earth, and herbs became pretty prominent, too, with the fruit tending towards menthol-y black cherry. Very tannic, though fresh and defined and fun to drink now, with a long ageing potential.

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**3/5/2014 - DSCOLLARD DOES NOT LIKE THIS WINE:****87 Points** ▾

It was just OK.. more of a fruit bomb.. not exactly what I was expecting.. especially for the price

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**1/30/2014 - WINE-STRATEGIES LIKES THIS WINE:**

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The Burgundian side of Nebbiolo. Nearly dramatic in its feminine grace, with beautifully lifted, bright aromas of cherry skin, autumn leaves, faint asphalt, and black tea. Medium-bodied, with the sort of structure that portends great things to come. Flavors follow the nose (which by the way, gains more florality and focus with each successive glass), with tea and black cherry dominating early on, then with more pronounced earth and herb notes present on the final half of the bottle. The next bottle will be 2018 or later. 3 hours in decanter, served non-blind. **highly recommended**, 13,5% abv, thru 2039

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**12/5/2013 - PAOLONARDI LIKES THIS WINE:**

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**Nebbiolo:** 85% Nebbiolo e 15% Vespolina. Fiori e sassi rosa, bocca di incanto che riempie di aromi con un tono dolce, ammaliante, di fiori macerati e spezie. Elegante, lunghissimo, salato e buono. Gli aggettivi si potrebbero sprecare. Gran vino.

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**9/15/2013 - ANDERS DANIELSEN LIE LIKES THIS WINE:****88 Points** ▾

frisk og ren nebbiolo fra porfyrjordsmonn; fokusert frukt, mineraler, intense tanniner. Sannsynligvis langt kjellerliv. Litt gjerrig nå.

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**3/20/2013 - ERIC GUIDO LIKES THIS WINE:****94 Points** ▾

**Gambero Rosso 2013 (Metropolitan Pavilion):** The nose showed wild berry with intense floral notes, violet candies, green stems and dried spices. On the palate, it was firm yet densely packed with pretty red fruits, cool menthol and clean, inner floral tones. The finish showed persistent berry and floral notes in a wonderful tapering off that left the palate craving another sip. This was a beautiful expression of Nebbiolo from northern Piedmont and a producer that any lover of Barolo and Barbaresco should be looking out for.

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