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## Maringer Reif Piesporter Michelsberg Riesling Weingut Weller-Lehnert (Matheus) *Germany - Mosel*

### ABOUT THE WINERY

Weller-Lehnert is a family winery located in the Middle Mosel's Piesport region. This eighth-generation organization is rooted in tradition and committed to producing wines of the highest quality. Weller-Lehnert is a member of the "Bernkasteler Ring", the oldest wine auction company on the Mosel, Saar and Ruwer.

The winery is run by Petra & Jorg Matheus, who took over in 1991. They manage the winery with their sons Frank & Kai, both of whom are earning degrees in Viticulture and Oenology. They produce wines under the brands Weller-Lehnert, Matheus & Maringer-Reif.

The winery covers 18 hectares over select Piesporter locations, one of which is the world-famous "Piesporter Goldtröpfchen". Other vineyards are in Piesporter Domherr, Piesporter Falkenberg, Piesporter Grafenberg and Piesporter Treppchen. The Matheus philosophy is "as much as necessary, as little as possible" - gentle grape processing is followed by a gentle winemaking & temperature-controlled fermentation. They intervene as little as possible, allowing the terroir to shine through.

### ABOUT THE WINE

A beautiful wine with delicate perfumed aromas. Medium bodied, well balanced, filled with peaches and green apples, crisp and fresh acidity.



Appellation	Mosel
Varietal(s)	100% Riesling
Soil	Devonian slate. The blue-grey stone works as drainage for heavy rains, as well as a heat reservoir (it absorbs the sun's energy and returns it at night), which is important for the ripening process of the grapes at the end of summer.
Vines	The vines are planted along the steep slopes of the Mosel river, which are mostly facing east-south-west direction. The roots of the vines are growing deep in the rocky slate soil, lending a mineral taste to the wine.
Size	12/1.0 L
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