Theatre Harvest at the University Wine Estate

The National Theatre of Pécs held a theatre harvest at the University Wine Estate of Pécs on 11th September. Autumn is a busy and exciting time in the lives of actors and winemakers alike.

The intertwining of wine and culture is a centuries-old tradition, and in the spring of 2022, for the first time in the history of the theatre, the National Theatre of Pécs and the University Wine Estate of Pécs, the local "marryers" of wine and culture, selected and presented the wines of the Theatre. The Rozé of the University Wine Estate of Pécs 2021 and Summa Pinot Noir 2019 won the honour of being the Theatre's wines and theatre audience's favourites!

Autumn is the most exciting time of the year for both institutions: the season begins, the harvest begins! We played around with the idea of changing professions for the sake of the play, of what happens when the winemaker takes the stage and the actor harvests. So far, the only example of the latter has been the harvesting of the theatre staff on Sunday 11th September, while the 2022 Theatre Rozé was harvested and processed by the ensemble of the National Theatre of Pécs under the professional guidance of István Szabó Ipacs, the head winemaker at the Research Institute's vineyard on Péter Pázmány Street.