

# DONUM

GIFT OF THE LAND

2023

## CARNEROS PINOT NOIR

### INTRODUCTION

The Carneros Pinot Noir is our flagship wine, produced every vintage since our inception in 2001. Sourced from vineyard blocks across our Estate, this wine is meticulously crafted using only barrels that meet our rigorous quality standards. The grapes are organically grown, and fermentation relies on native yeast from the Estate. Each block is harvested and fermented separately, then aged for 16 months in French oak. In the final month, we select the best barrels to capture the terroir of our Estate and Carneros region to create the final blend.

### WINEMAKER NOTES

The 2023 Carneros Pinot Noir is medium to deep ruby in color, with a signature Carneros aroma of sassafras, complemented by notes of raspberry, five-spice and black cherry. The palate is lush and vibrant, with juicy red and black fruit layered with hints of toasted oak and black sesame paste. The finish is long and refined, with lingering cherry flavors and exceptional balance. Drink from 2025-2030.

### FRUIT

38% Pommard, 25% 667, 9% Swan, 14% Calera, 6% Mt. Eden, 5% Martini, 3% Donum

### HARVEST DATE

September 9 — October 4, 2023

### ESTATE BOTTLED

February 10, 2025

### CASES PRODUCED

968 cases

### AGING

16 months in 61% new French oak



24500 Ramal Road, Sonoma, CA 95476

tel: 707 939 2290 [THEDONUMESTATE.COM](https://www.thedonumestate.com)