

# DONUM

GIFT OF THE LAND

## 2023 COLLECTION SERIES

### RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY RESERVE PINOT NOIR

#### INTRODUCTION

Our Russian River Valley Reserve Pinot Noir is a selection of the finest barrels from our Winside Vineyard, planted in 1997. The different clonal blocks perform differently each vintage, depending on the climatic conditions of the season and the progression of each separate fermentation. For this reason, when the time comes to select the final blend for our Russian River Reserve, we maintain an open mind and allow the wine in barrel to determine the final blend. In 2023, this resulted in a Dijon 667 heavy blend, but with a significant contribution from the Pommard clone as well.

#### WINEMAKER NOTES

Deep ruby in color, with aromas of raspberry, blackberry, toasted cedar and pomegranate. Juicy blue and black fruit lead the way on the palate, with a hint of graphite adding complexity and a splash of red fruit emerging at the mid-palate. The finish is electric, featuring concentrated purple fruit and layered spice notes. Drink from 2025-2031.

#### FRUIT

70% 667, 30% Pommard

#### HARVEST DATE

October 2 & 3, 2023

#### ESTATE BOTTLED

February 10, 2025

#### CASES PRODUCED

220 cases

#### AGING

16 months in 90% new French oak



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