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GIFT OF THE LAND

2018 SINGLE BLOCK RESERVE RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY PINOT NOIR TEN OAKS

INTRODUCTION

A small block of Pommard clone Pinot Noir was planted on our Winside Vineyard in 2008, nestled amongst ten majestic oak trees. Pommard clone is unusual in that it can be picked at quite a range of ripeness levels resulting in a very different wine. For our Ten Oaks we pick earlier in the season, in order to highlight bright red fruit flavors and vibrant freshness, as a complement to the power displayed by our other Russian River Valley Pinot Noir wines.

WINEMAKER NOTES

The 2018 Ten Oaks is bright and fresh on the nose, with red fruit and floral notes that make the density of flavor on the palate all the more surprising. Black cherry, strawberry, and even a hint of cranberry are flavors associated with a lighter bodied wine, yet the palate is deep and concentrated at the same time, with elegant structure carrying through on the finish.

FRUIT

Pommard clone Pinot Noir from the Winside Vineyard

HARVEST DATE

September 6, 2018

ESTATE BOTTLED

January 23, 2020

CASES PRODUCED

191 cases

AGING

38% new French oak

ALCOHOL

13.3%



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