

2022 Secrest Mountain Vineyard Pinot Noir

Single Vineyard Black Label Collection
Discovered by Nature. Distinctly One of a Kind.

Vineyard

- Secrest Mountain, Oliver

Production

Secrest Mountain Vineyard spans a windswept plateau north of Oliver, where constant airflow and 430 metres of elevation create ideal conditions for slow ripening and site transparency. Planted in 1999 across alluvial soils of coarse sand, gravel, and sandy loam, the vineyard produces fruit of natural lift and structure. This Pinot Noir was hand-harvested on October 6th, cold soaked for four days, and fermented over 14 days using a combination of native and selected yeasts. It remained on skins for 21 days before being gently pressed and transferred to French oak—15% new, primarily barrique with one puncheon. After 10 months of élevage, one lot stood apart for its quiet power and layered depth, chosen for its understated intensity and unmistakable sense of place.

Tasting Notes

Aromas of cherry licorice, dried rose petals, blood orange, and pine mushroom open the glass with both elegance and intrigue. The palate is silky and finely structured, with chalky tannins and bright acidity providing lift and clarity. There's a quiet tension at its core that carries through to a long, focused finish, leaving a lasting impression of restraint and place. Structured yet graceful, this is Pinot Noir with quiet confidence and lasting precision.

Vintage 2022 / Variety Pinot Noir / Acid 6.6 g/L / Residual Sugar 1.87 / Alcohol 13.1%



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