



RUSSIAN RIVER VINEYARDS

2019 Horseridge Pinot Noir



Description:

Horseridge Vineyards lies just 8 miles from the Pacific Ocean on an east facing slope facing the Mayacamas Mountains. The cool night breeze preserves the acidity in the grapes while the warm summer day allows the vines to produce just the perfect amount of sugar in each cluster. There is a huge element of wood at play here, but the fruit is sufficiently intense and the acid quite noticeable. Apple, fig, blueberry, and tobacco are just a few of the savory notes found in this wine.

Appellation:

Russian River Valley

Unique Qualities of Vineyard/Location:

East facing slope, sandy loam Goldridge soils

Fermentation Details:

Fermentation started in open top fermenters then transferred to French oak barrels to finish secondary fermentation

Farming Technique & Maintenance:

Vertical, Cordon spur trained

Harvest Date: 9/15/2019

Cold soak: 5-7 Days

Aging Process: 16 Months

Secondary Fermentation: Yes

Bottling Date: 4/12/2020

Case production: 330

Oak program: New French

New oak %: 33