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PINOT NOIR

RUSSIAN RIVER

VALLEY

2021

2021 Vintage Notes

With six distinct growing sub-regions called "Neighborhoods," Russian River Valley is perhaps the most unique and diverse appellation in Sonoma. The 2021 harvest was in by mid-October in a year best described as a "cold start to a warm, fast finish." Grape yields were slightly lighter than average, yet the 2021 crop will be viewed as an excellent vintage from a near-perfect growing season. Though the season was void of long, lingering heatwaves, grapes in warmer regions matured slightly earlier due to it being a lighter crop, while grapes from the cooler region ripened at a more normal pace.

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A delicate yet rich Pinot Noir from one of the premiere appellations in Sonoma. Perfect for year-around drinking with family and friends.

The 2021 Cultivar Pinot from Russian River Valley is every bit as light and crisp as its color and flavor profile reveal. The pale ruby color brings to mind fresh raspberries and Gala apple peel. On the nose: delicate aromas of blackberry, cardamom, ginger, cinnamon, mint, and cracked pepper. The palate is rewarded with strawberry, cranberry, and bright red fruits, but with a light & fruity body. The finish is dry and delicate, featuring medium acid and just a hint of tannins.

This is a Pinot Noir to pair with portabella mushroom burger, stuffed figs & goat cheese, ratatouille, lemon pepper chicken, or sausage and mushroom pizza.

Varietal Production Appellation Alcohol

100% Pinot Noir

161 Cases

Russian River Valley

13.9%

