



BEST OF THE VINE

2021 GREEN VALLEY  
PINOT NOIR

COMMITTED TO SUSTAINABILITY



### WEATHER CONDITIONS FOR VINTAGE

The Green Valley of the Russian River Valley had an excellent growing season in 2021. A warm dry summer provided ideal growing and ripening conditions mostly in the absence of extreme heat spells. The heat drove early ripening by mid-August. Drought conditions resulted in lower Pinot Noir yields but created intense aromas and flavors in exceptional fruit. Our 2021 Green Valley Pinot Noir harvest began on September 5th, 2021.

### VINIFICATION COMMENTS

Sourced from three distinctive vineyards in the Southwestern corner of the Russian River Valley. Soils are Goldridge sandy loam, which is free draining and low vigor, perfect for growing world class Pinot Noir. Fruit is predominantly hand-picked, and gently de-stemmed.

### WINEMAKER COMMENTS

NOSE: Red cherry, raspberry, cedar, and spice cake.

PALATE: Blackberry and pomegranate fruit are interwoven with subtle orange zest and savory notes. The wine is layered with flavors, vibrant acidity, and plush tannins.

ALC.	PH	TA	R.S.	APPELLATION	AGING	BOTTLING DATE
14.5%	3.54	5.6 g/L	0.5 g/L	Green Valley	100% French Oak, 35% new for 10 months	August 16th, 2022

WINEMAKER: CRAIG MCALLISTER

