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Trenton Road Vineyard 2017 RESERVE PINOT NOIR

THIS 2017 HAILS FROM THE TRENTON ROAD VINEYARD IN THE RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY. THIS WINE OPENS WITH A GORGEOUS BOUQUET OF RED CHERRY, RASPBERRY AND CASSIS. THE PALATE FOLLOWS SUIT WITH CHERRY, DARK FRUIT, FOREST FLOOR AND ESPRESSO. A PLEASING ACIDITY WRAPS UP THESE FLAVORS FOLLOWED BY A TOUCH OF VANILLA ON THE LINGERING FINISH.

VINTAGE

In 2017, ample winter rainfall provided much needed relief in the Russian River Valley. Consistently sunny days throughout the spring and summer with heat spikes in September resulted in an early harvest. With harvest finishing in early fall, we were unaffected by the October wildfires and the fruit came in with exceptional quality.

VINEYARDS & WINEMAKING

The Trenton Road Vineyard is situated in the center of the acclaimed Russian River Valley AVA of Sonoma County. With 48 acres planted to vine, it is surrounded by beautiful redwood groves, sloping hillsides, and the nearby Russian River. Known for its cool, foggy climate that sweeps in from the Pacific Ocean and alluvial soils, it is an idyllic site for growing Pinot Noir. After harvest, the grapes were fermented in stainless steel tanks with native yeast and then racked to French and Hungarian oak barrels. After 18 months in French and Hungarian oak (80% new) with regular lees stirring, the wine was bottled.

COMPOSITION & ANALYSIS

Appellation: Russian River Valley

Composition: 100% Pinot Noir

Cooperage: Aged 18 months in French and Hungarian oak, 80% new

TA: 5.08 g/L | pH: 3.81 | Alc: 14.9% | Production: 275 cases