

2018 RUSSIAN RIVER PINOT NOIR

Every Flowers wine is made to express the land where it was grown. Our wines are crafted with minimal intervention, fermented with 100% native yeast, and farmed using sustainable practices. Flowers Russian River Pinot Noir shows layers of rich red fruit and a plush texture that is expressive of the Russian River Valley.



BALANCED. ELEGANT. EXPRESSIVE. WINES THAT TELL THE STORY OF PLACE.

TASTING NOTES

Aromas of dark cherry and bramble with hints of crushed stone and dried herbs. Tannins are fine and precise, providing a bit of tension to balance the rich flavors and plush texture.

VINTAGE NOTES

With mild temperatures leading to a long growing season and a surprise-free harvest, the 2018 vintage can only be described as idyllic. Alternating spells of cool and warm weather during bloom led to varying berry sizes, perfect for developing complexity in the wine. Morning fog, afternoon sunshine and a lack of heat spikes throughout the summer allowed for a long ripening period that developed fruit with excellent natural acidity and beautiful flavors.

SOURCING

Partnering with a small selection of family-farmed vineyards in the Russian River Valley as well as our Russian River home vineyard. Each partner vineyard is carefully chosen to be representative of the Russian River Valley's distinct neighborhoods to create a balanced expression of Russian River Pinot Noir.

FERMENTATION

100% native yeast

AGING

100% French Oak (20% new) for 15 months

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Varietal: 100% Pinot Noir Alcohol: 14.1%