

# ADELSHEIM

## 2021 RIBBON SPRINGS PINOT NOIR

### TASTING NOTES

Leading with vibrant aromas of cinnamon bark, crushed violets, black cherry, and fresh loam this wine leaps across the palate bringing excitement and polish. I look forward to watching it as it ages long into the future.

### WINEMAKER'S THOUGHTS

Ribbon Springs is such a special place, immediately recognizable whenever we bring someone there for the first time. The property is sizeable but we have only half of it planted to grape vines; the rest is all rolling hills and forest and animal habitat. It's quiet. It feels like you're in a private preserve, tucked away from the world of vehicles and people. Plus it has the best wild blackberries in all of Oregon. True story. And when I go there to sample grapes on the cusp of harvest I'm definitely not eating them all up.

- Gina Hennen, Winemaker



### DESCRIPTORS:

BLACK CHERRY  
CINNAMON BARK  
POLISHED

### PRODUCTION:

445 x 750mL 12pk  
100 x 750mL 6pk

### HARVEST DATES:

September 11, 2021  
& September 13, 2021

### COMPOSITION:

100% Pinot noir

### APPELLATION:

Ribbon Ridge

### ALCOHOL | pH:

13.5% | 3.57

### BOTTLING DATE:

August 2, 2022

### FERMENTATION

The grapes were hand-picked during the middle to end of harvest. Most of the clusters were destemmed into tank, with a small amount of whole clusters included to add complexity and structure (~6%). Following a 5 day cold soak, fermentation commenced and lasted 9-13 days. After fermentation concluded the wine was pressed and settled prior to racking into barrel.

### AGING

The wine was aged in French oak barrels, 36% new, for 10 months prior to bottling.

### VINEYARD

Ribbon Springs is our largest estate vineyard at around 100 acres, but only 55 of them are planted. The planted acres contain both Pinot noir and Chardonnay; the rest of the property is filled with beautiful forest lands. The vineyard sits at 400-600' elevation and is composed of sedimentary soil formed from ancient seabed.

Block 1 (Pommard): 93% | Block 21 (Pommard): 7%



TASTING ROOM OPEN DAILY

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