ADELSHEIM

2019 CALKINS LANE PINOT NOIR

DESCRIPTORS:

BLACKBERRY ROASTED CHESTNUTS CHEWY

RELEASE DATE:

November 2022

SUGGESTED RETAIL:

\$75

COMPOSITION:

100% Pinot noir

APPELLATION:

Chehalem Mountains

FERMENTATION:

The grapes were hand-picked during the beginning of harvest and destemmed into stainless steel tanks. Following a 4-5 day cold soak, fermentation commenced and lasted 13-17 days. After fermentation concluded the wine was pressed and settled prior to racking into barrel.

AGING:

The wine was aged in French oak barrels, 32% new, for 10 months prior to bottling.

ALCOHOL | pH:

13.0% | 3.54

PRODUCTION:

376 x 750 12pk 20 x 1.5L 6pk

HARVEST DATE:

September 12, 2019

BOTTLING DATES:

August 3 & 5, 2020



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2019 HARVEST

What a unique harvest 2019 was! It certainly had its challenges—yet the end result is something truly special—wines full of life and electricity and thousands of hours of passion. We saw our earliest vines wake up in the beginning of April. Warm, dry weather followed bud break and allowed the vines to grow quickly. By July, we noticed that, unlike the last few early and warm vintages, we were not experiencing extreme heat spikes. The temperatures were mild almost the entire summer, promising a classic, cool Oregon vintage. September was the challenge. Temperatures cooled and several strong rain events passed through the vineyard. But this was Adelsheim's 43rd harvest, and experience kicked into gear. We were patient, protected our vines, and after a perfect stretch of dryout days arrived, we sprung into action. The end result was fruit of exceptional quality and a vintage we are immensely proud of.

TASTING NOTES from WINEMAKER GINA HENNEN

'Evocative of roasted chestnuts and freshly picked blackberries still warmed from the sun, the aromas absolutely float up out of the glass. The tannins are chewy, mouth filling, and distinctive of Calkins Lane fruit. Perennially one of our most ageable wines the 2019 vintage is no exception. I would happily revisit this tomorrow night, next month, and in 10 years' time.'

VINEYARDS

This wine is made entirely from our LIVE-certified Calkins Lane estate vineyard, the property surrounding the winery and tasting room. It is composed of our favorite section of the vineyard—the long skinny blocks that run parallel to the road at the northwest corner of the estate. Dijon clones 667 (51%) and 115 (39%) are well represented here along with a sprinkling of 777 (10%) for fun.