



2022 Pinot Noir

Shuttleworth Creek Vineyard, Okanagan Falls Sub-GI 100% Pinot Noir

Our Shuttleworth Creek Vineyard continues to prove itself as an ideal site for high quality Pinot Noir. Being slightly cooler than our Estate vineyard, the fruit shows a distinctly different profile. The grapes were 100% destemmed, without crushing, leaving as much whole berry fruit as possible. After a 4-day cold soak, the must was warmed and inoculated with selected yeasts. Hand punch-downs started at 3 times daily and tapered off to once a day as tannins progressed. Free run juice was drained off and the skins were pressed off as soon as the primary ferment was completed. All lots were racked into French oak barrels (17% new, remainder 2nd & 3rd fill), where each lot rested for 12 months, before being blended, stabilized and bottled.

TASTING NOTES: Pale ruby in colour with a delicately lifted nose full of florals and high-toned red fruit. Deceptively complex and richly flavoured, the concentrated palate of cherry, raspberry and wild strawberry is complimented by savoury and earthy notes, fresh minty herbs and botanicals. Silky fine-grain tannins and bright acidity create great tension on the palate, and lengthen the deliciously savoury finish.

PAIRING: This elegant Pinot pairs well with roast chicken, rack of lamb, beef wellington, roast pork with fennel, mushroom dishes, roast or grilled lobster, venison, cassoulet, turkey dinner, beef tenderloin, and blue cheeses.

12.7 % alcohol

TA 5.6 g/L

RS 1.4 g/L

pH 3.6

400 cases produced.

CSPC 333096

Enjoy now and over the next 5 years.

