



2020

Notes

VARIETAL
100% Pinot Noir

COOPERAGE
9 months
25% New French oak

ALCOHOL
14.3%

PRODUCTION
2,625 Cases

SRP
\$29

UPC
85644205625

GEHRICKE

Sonoma Coast - Pinot Noir
Sonoma, California

Tasting Notes

This pale ruby Pinot Noir greets the nose with lively aromas of ripe blackberry, white pepper, and earthy wild mushrooms. On the palate, distinctive notes of freshly baked old-fashioned cherry pie and dark berries are interlaced with hints of cocoa and roasted walnuts. A long, smooth finish with lingering spicy notes.

Vintage Notes

Despite the challenges of Covid-19 and record wildfires in Sonoma County, the 2020 growing season was a success. Beginning with a dry winter with just half of the region's typical rainfall, flowering came early and was followed by a warm growing season, August heat spells accelerated ripening, resulting in an early harvest, protecting the fruit from the smoke of the late-summer. The grapes ripened at lower sugars and boasted concentrated flavors.

Food Pairings

Pair this food-friendly wine with pungent washed-rind cheeses, gourmet sandwiches, fresh seafood, baked salmon, roast duck with herbs and mushrooms, or a chocolate mousse for a sweet pairing.

Growing up in Sonoma, we spent a lot of time exploring the local countryside. I remember the excitement of discovery and freedom while thoroughly studying our small town and its outskirts. I remember old dusty roads that led to forgotten vineyards and properties... Gehricke is a tribute to one such road.

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