

CHEHALEM

2019 STATEMENT PINOT NOIR

SRP: \$110 | 68 CASES PRODUCED

VIOLETS COCOA ROSE PETALS



APPELLATION

Ribbon Ridge, Chehalem Mountains, Willamette Valley, Oregon

VINEYARD COMPOSITION

Sourced entirely from a single block of Pommard clone Pinot Noir on our Ridgecrest Vineyard.

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

100% Pinot Noir

ÉLEVAGE

This select cuvée is a blend of three barrels, two of which were new French oak, that aged for 10 months before blending. The wine was put back into neutral French oak for an additional seven months to marry together before bottling. It was then held back in bottle for another year and a half to achieve harmony and maturity before release.

TASTING NOTES FROM WINEMAKER. KATIE SANTORA

The culmination of years of evolution, our 2019 Statement shows both tension and restraint. Savory notes of toasted marshmallow, baking spice, and rose petal develop into cocoa, violet, and a rich umami character. On the palate, there is a subtle balance between power and delicacy that unfolds slowly, telling the story of this special place and moment in time.

VINTAGE OVERVIEW

The growing season from bud break through harvest all fell within days of the 2013 vintage. Cool, we tweather arrived in early September, but by late September and October, conditions returned to sunny days and brisk nights. The resulting wines are lower in alcohol, with delicate flavors and beautiful nuances. The 2019 vintage will be one we remember thanks to the tremendous character and charisma in the wines.

HARVEST September 29, 2019 **ALCOHOL** 12.7%

BOTTLING April 28, 2021 <mark>рН</mark> 3.37

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