

# Papapietro Perry

2023

CAMPBELL RANCH

Sanama Goast PINOT NOIR

# **WINEMAKER'S NOTES**

This remarkable vineyard is located near the town of Annapolis on the northern Sonoma Coast, an area now referred to as the "West Sonoma Coast" AVA. Perched on the fog line at 750 feet above sea level, Campbell Ranch sits in a remote and tranquil setting. Planted in 2000 with Dijon clones 667 and 777 in low-vigor soils, the vineyard consistently produces exceptional fruit. The results are always outstanding, and we're confident you'll find them just as impressive.

# WINEMAKING PROCESS

Over the years, we've refined our winemaking techniques to celebrate the unique qualities of our Pinot Noirs. Each clone and vineyard lot is fermented and aged separately, providing us with a diverse range of blending options. The process begins with a two- to three-day cold soak to extract color and flavor, followed by fermentation with specially selected yeast strains ideal for Pinot Noir. Fermentation lasts seven to twelve days, during which we hand-punch the fermenters up to four times daily to maintain precise temperatures. After fermentation, the wine is pressed and aged in François Frères oak barrels for a minimum of 11 months, allowing it to develop complexity and depth before bottling.

Ben R. Capapietro OWNER/EXECUTIVE WINEMAKER

Dave Low

# **WINE PROFILE**

Varietal: 100% Pinot Noir

Appellaton: Sonoma Coast

Harvest Date: October 4, 2023

**Alcohol:** 14.1%

**T.A.:** 5.7 g/L

**pH:** 3.6

RS: Dry

Cooperage: 11 Months in François

Frères French Oak

50% New

50% One & two year

old

**Bottled:** August 5, 2024

Production: 580 cases / 750ml

#### **TASTING NOTES**

The amazing dark garnet color is driven by the nuances of strawberry, cranberry and blackberry notes. On the nose, hints of crushed rock, and complex minerality are expressed with notes of forest floor and pleasant mushrooms. As the wine opens, blackberry, boysenberry, and cranberry notes emerge with hints of cherry cola and warming brown spice. A textured mid-palate, subtle tannin and refreshing acidity creates body and balance.

# **Papapietro Perry Winery**

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