



FAIRSING VINEYARD 2012 Estate Pinot Noir

The Vintage

The 2012 Vintage will be remembered as an outstanding growing year. We experienced 110 days of drought, which caused some nail biting but produced smaller berries with more intense flavors. Our warm dry year provided excellent ripening and resulted in little to no disease pressure. We were delighted to harvest on October 5 in the absence of rain with cool nights and mornings.

Fairsing Vineyard's 2012 Pinot Noir was fermented in small temperature controlled steel barrels and punched down twice daily. The wine was then transferred to small oak barrels. After 14 months of aging the wine in 25% new French Oak and 30% in one-year old oak, our wine was carefully bended to produce this rich and delicious Pinot Noir.

The Vineyard

Fairsing Vineyard is a sustainable Pinot noir grower in Oregon's Yamhill-Carlton American Viticulture Area (AVA). We have 38 acres of Pinot noir and 2 acres of Chardonnay in production. Our vineyard is nestled inside an 80-acre Certified Family Forest, distinguished by biodiversity, varied topography, and panoramic views of the Northern Willamette Valley.

Appellation: 100% Estate Grown Pinot Noir
Yamhill-Carlton AVA

Selections: Pommard & Dijon 115

Harvest: October 5, 2012

Production: 300 cases

Aging: 14 months in new French Oak

Alcohol: 13.9%

Price: \$46

We feel that our exquisite site in conjunction with our impeccable farming practices create every possibility for consistently beautiful wines. Our 2012 Fairsing Vineyard Pinot Noir was crafted from two of our favorite blocks: Pommard from the southeast portion of our vineyard and Dijon 115 from the southwest side of the vineyard.

Tasting Notes

Our 2012 Fairsing Vineyard Estate Grown Pinot Noir displays a gorgeous deep ruby color, with scents of blackberry, cassis and a warm forest floor aroma. It overflows with lush flavors of plum, dark spice and orange zest. The finish is impressive, filling the mouth with complex flavors that linger. This wine may be enjoyed now through 2025.

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Estate Grown Pinot Noir and Chardonnay in Oregon's Yamhill-Carlton AVA