



FAIRSING VINEYARD 2017 Rosé of Pinot Noir

The Vintage

The 2017 growing season started wet and stayed record-breaking wet with over 58 inches of rain recorded in our rain year (October to October). Bud break occurred slightly later than average on April 27 followed by slow early growth.

Our cool Spring gave us reason to hope for a cool vintage but we warmed right up with fast shoot growth. Bloom occurred in mid June, while late summer gave us increased degree day accumulations and numerous days over 90 degrees. We harvested our Rosé blocks on September 15 as the rains began.

This combination of Dijon 777 and Pommard selections soaked ten hours on the skins and was allowed to settle for an additional 48 hours before barrel fermentation in neutral French oak.

The Vineyard

Fairsing Vineyard is managed sustainably in Oregon's Yamhill-Carlton American Viticulture Area (AVA) with 38 acres of Pinot noir and five acres of Chardonnay in production.

The vineyard is nestled inside an 80-acre Certified Family Forest distinguished by biodiversity, varied topography, and panoramic views of the Northern Willamette Valley.

With over 40 years of viticulture and winemaking knowledge, Robert Brittan's extensive experience as a winemaker ensures Fairsing Vineyard wines reflect the abundant beauty and complexity of our estate.

Tasting Notes

This 2017 Rosé of Pinot Noir with beautiful coral hue, is balanced and refreshing. Inviting summer scents waft from the glass. On the palate sweet strawberry and poached stone fruits marry with crisp acidity.

Appellation:

Estate Grown Pinot Noir
Yamhill-Carlton AVA

Wine Maker: Robert Brittan

Selections: Dijon 777 and
Pommard

Harvest: September 15, 2017

Bottled: March 15, 2018

Aging: 100% neutral French oak

Production: 200 cases

Alcohol: 13.5%

pH: 3.28

TA: 6.7 g/L

Price: \$30

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