



FAIRSING VINEYARD 2021 KENNEY PINOT NOIR

VINTAGE

The 2021 growing season was 8% warmer than normal, however temperatures in the critical months of fruit development and ripening were normal to slightly below average. Although the Willamette Valley experienced record-breaking heat in late June, we received rain just prior to the heat event which hydrated the vines and prevented damage. Budbreak occurred in the third week of April and bloom began on June 4. Veraison was observed on August 12 with harvest for our Pinot noir program September 10. After 100 days of drought, a welcome and rejuvenating rain arrived September 18, one day after harvest of the full vineyard was complete.

This combination of Dijon 114, Wadenswil, and Pommard fermented in new Chassin House Select Cru and Seguin Moreau Icone Elegance French oak barrels and twice and thrice-filled barrels from a variety of coopers with an emphasis on the Allier, Tronçais, Nevers, and Vosges forests.

Total elevage was ten months in 28% new French oak to an alcohol of 13.1%.

WINEMAKER

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

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 within a one hundred-acre Certified Family Forest and is distinguished by its biodiversity, varied topography, and panoramic views of the Northern Willamette Valley.

APPELLATION

Yamhill-Carlton AVA

COMPILATION

100% Pinot noir

SELECTIONS

Dijon 114, Wadenswil, and Pommard

HARVEST

September 10, 2021

AGING

10 months, 28% new French oak

BOTTLED

August 25, 2022

ALCOHOL | pH | TA

13.1 | 3.41 | 6.4 g/L

PRODUCTION

206 cases | 6 Magnums

