

MERRIAM

VINEYARDS



2019 PINOT NOIR

RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY

VINEYARD

The Merriam Estate is located on Los Amigos Road, just south of Healdsburg in the Russian River Valley appellation. The 12-acre estate is certified by the California Certified Organic Farmers (CCOF). Growing conditions include cool morning fog, hot sunny days and low overnight temperatures. The diverse ecosystem surrounding the vines features constructed wetlands and a water reclamation pond functioning as a filtration and storage system for the property's irrigation. Planted in 2009, our south facing property is made up of single vineyards including Danielle's Vineyard (Sauvignon Blanc), Diana's Vineyard (Pinot Noir) and Evanthea's Vineyard (Chardonnay).

TASTING NOTES

A classic representation of Russian River Valley Pinot Noir, this cuvee of 5 different clones showcases lush aromas of pomegranate, blueberry, and red plum, married with notes of pink rose petal, vanilla, and black tea. Notes of terroir in the form of wet soil and crushed leaves linger on the palate with a finishing touch of tart raspberry.

BLEND | 100% PINOT NOIR

ALCOHOL | 14.6% BY VOLUME

PH | 3.68

TA | 5.8 g/L

AGING | 25% NEW FRENCH OAK

PRODUCTION | 152 CASES

