

WINEMAKERS COLLECTION

Pinot Noir 2014



Winemaker's notes

Wine – Winemakers Collection Pinot Noir

Vintage – 2014

Region – Hawkes Bay

Varietal – 100% Pinot Noir

Harvest Date – 06/03/2014

Alc. – 14.00%

PH – 3.76

TA – 4.95

RS – .05g/l

Crushing/Pressing – Destemmed and lightly crushed to open fermenter. Cold soaked on skins for 5 days before ferment

Fermentation - Wild fermentation, with Spontaneous Spring Malolactic Fermentation

Oak/Barrel handling – Racked to French Barriques immediately after pressing.

Fining - Minimal Egg White Fining

Filtration – Sterile Pad Filtered

Awards – Gold - Air New Zealand Wine Awards 2016

Tasting Notes - Deep and richly coloured with wild berry and smokey savoury aromas lead into a palate that is a blend of Bing cherry and red and blackberry fruits.

This wine offers mouthfilling intensity that builds in intensity in your mouth. The tannins are fine and silky and elegantly support a generous structure that finishes long and lush. Seven to Ten Years cellaring potential

