

Valli Bendigo Pinot Noir 2019

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Viticulture

Location: Chinaman's Terrace, Bendigo, Central Otago

Climate: Semi-Continental Altitude: 314 - 374m

Clones: Abel, 115, UCD 5, 667, 777

Soils: Large top area of Clydeshallow sandy loam soil, with a higher

clay content and a lower small section is gravelly Alexandra

steep land soil.

GDD: 1240

Rainfall: Approximately 450 mm per Annum

Planted 2005 Vine Age:

4.54 Tonnes / Hectare Yield:

4545 / Hectare Vine Density:

Trellis System: **VSP**

Winemaking

Harvest Date: 9th and 13th April 2019

24.8 Brix: Whole Bunch: 58% 32°C Peak Fermentation Temp: Cuvaison: 25 Days New 30% Oak Percentages: Time in Barrel: 12 Months

Coopers Used: Ana Selection, Billon, Richelieu

Fining: None Filtering: None 14% Alcohol: Total Bottles Produced: 14,060

Tasting Notes

"Purple hue with an incredible floral fragrance and lifted fruit aromas of boysenberry and plum, followed by savoury notes of toasted almond, coffee, and cedar. Flavours of blackberry and cherry on the palate with nutmeg, mushroom, and earthy loam. The palate is voluminous and mouth-filling with silky tannins that build in the mouth giving a long, memorable finish. Powerful yet refined, this is quintessential Bendigo Pinot with a tangy freshness that comes from grapes grown at elevation. Lively and inviting in its youth, this wine will also go the distance and is worthy of cellaring for 12

+ years." Jen Parr