



# VALLI

VALLI VINEYARDS LIMITED

## Valli Gibbston Pinot Noir 2019

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### Viticulture

Location:	Gibbston Highway, Gibbston, Central Otago
Climate:	Semi-Continental
Altitude:	343 – 351m
Clones:	777, 115, UCD 5, 114, 10/5, UCD 6, 113
Soils:	Alluvial loess between 0.5 and 1 metre deep over firm river gravels and colluviums
GDD:	Approximately 909
Rainfall:	Approximately 600 mm per Annum
Vine Age:	Planted 2000
Yield:	5.5 Tonnes / Hectare
Vine Density:	4040 / Hectare
Trellis System:	VSP

### Winemaking

Harvest Date:	7th, 9th, 14th, 19th and 21st April 2019
Brix:	23.3
Whole Bunch:	25%
Peak Fermentation Temp:	32C
Cuvaison:	25 Days
Oak Percentages:	New 30%
Time in Barrel:	11 Months
Coopers Used:	François Frères, Ana Selection, Billon
Fining:	None
Filtering:	None
Alcohol:	13%
Total Bottles Produced:	17,604

### Tasting Note

"Glimmering garnet hue with captivating aromas of fresh herbs (wormwood, rosemary, and wild thyme) that "leap" out of the glass and are complemented by fig, cherry and dried rose petals. The palate commences savoury with delicious dried herb, dukkah and mushroom flowing into bright red fruit, with a long and spicy finish. The wine has a silky texture with fine tannins and exquisite detail. This vintage has delivered a "classic" Gibbston Pinot Noir that is understated, graceful and complex with so much intrigue creating an aura of suspense. A delight to the senses at release, this wine will continue to captivate for 15 or so years." *Jen Parr*