

## HOLLORAN VINEYARD WINES

## Notes for April 2021 Wine Club Shipment

2020 Holloran Rosè of Pinot Noir (Club level: Dundee, Eola, Willamette)

*Tasting Notes:* Tangerine & strawberry aromas mix with spicy rhubarb notes on the nose. The palate offers fresh strawberry, with additional hints of pineapple. The finish is quite crisp, with citrus and lemon zest highlights.

*Pairing:* Enjoy it as an aperitif, with raw shellfish, grilled items, or try this summer salad: <u>Baby</u> <u>Lettuce with Feta, Strawberries & Almond</u>. This wine is intended for early consumption, enjoy with summer cookouts, it will pair well with a wide variety of cuisine.

Drinking: 2021-2022.

*Vineyard Information:* The 2020 Holloran Rosè comes primarily from our ANA vineyard in the Dundee Hills. The block we used in 2020 was planted in 1999 and is Pinot Noir Dijon 777. It occupies a west-facing hillside, exposing it to afternoon sun and a full ripening profile.

2016 Holloran Pinot Noir ANA vineyard (Club level: Dundee, Eola, Willamette)

*Tasting Notes*: Pure cherry fruit aromas are complemented by hints of clove & orange peel. The mid-palate features a silky texture with a touch of earth around pure red berry flavors, An extended finish follows framed by smooth ripe tannins.

Pairing: Pair with <u>Roast Chicken with Garlic Thyme Butter</u>, or <u>Pork Loin Roast with Herbs & Garlic</u>, or sautéed wild mushrooms with pearl onions.

Drinking: 2021 – 2028. Decanting in the early years is suggested.

*Vineyard Information:* ANA vineyard is in the Dundee Hills AVA. It is a 20 acre site, planted starting in 1974, with 15 acres under vine. We dry farm this site, forcing the roots down many meters. Our farming is organic and biodynamic.

There were two main blocks of Pinot Noir producing in 2014, an own-rooted block of Pommard clone, from 1974, that is south facing and fairly level, and a block of Dijon 777.

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