



Mission

King's North is the story of two brothers, their love of wine, and the vision of creating a label that truly places the grape as the focal point. To us, King's North is simply about bottling the vineyard; capturing all the natural elements throughout each passing vintage. Specifically, Oregon's diverse set of regions, vineyards, varietals & clones.

Who

The brothers. Sid & Mac Heinze, both owners & winemakers. Sid is lead viticulturist, Mac is head of tasting room & business operations.

What

Distinctive small batch bottlings that give a true sense of place. By taking a minimalistic approach at the winery, we aim to preserve the nuanced complexity of Oregon, in its purest form.

Where

The true north of west coast winemaking, the Willamette Valley. Nestled between the Coastal Range and the eastern Cascades, this dense agricultural hub is being transformed to a world-renowned wine region. Here, our cool climate and shorter growing season gives way to elegant, layered Pinot noir and supporting varietals.

How

Always learning. We've been blessed to be surrounded by a community of skilled mentors that imparted their craft. We owe it to them to keep grinding, stay humble and never stop learning.

Why

For the love of wine in this very special place.

2021 KING'S NORTH PINOT NOIR BLEND 1 ESTATE GROWN & BOTTLED CHEHALEM MOUNTAINS

Cases Produced: 57

Price: \$48

Viticultural Area: Chehalem Mountains AVA

Cooperage: 40% once-filled French oak

Alcohol: 13.9%

pH: 3.57

Harvest: 9/1 to 9/13, 2021

Bottled: 8/31/2022

Farmed, vinified & bottled by our family to yours.

Our estate vineyard is 4.3 planted acres of Pinot Noir. Small, yes, but this allows our family to farm it exclusively- keeping diligent contact with every vine from bud break to harvest.

The 2021 vintage was our vineyard's fifth growing season, and just our second harvest off our vines. Now that the vines have started to mature, we are seeing an increase of yield, allowing us to create small, distinctive blends from each of our seven blocks (blocks are separated by soil, rootstock, clone and elevation) to showcase the site's personality. Our site is home to four distinctive soils (volcanic & siltstone) that we planted five different clones of Pinot Noir- each giving defining characteristics for flavor and structure.

The 2021 vintage was very unique in that it was the hottest growing season on record, with the epitome being a 'heat dome' weather system moving in at the end of June that reached 109F, 110F and 117F for three consecutive days. From there, the rest of the growing season kept a pace with 90- and 100-degree days causing surreal ripening that led to our earliest pick ever.

Our 2021 Pinot Noir Blend 1 is a three-barrel blend showcasing the elegant side of our vineyard. More red fruit & mineral driven with a delicate mouthfeel.

- 60% Dijon 667 (Hazelair/Dupee)
- 17% Wadenswil (Carlton)
- 16% Dijon 114 (Dixonville)
- 6% Pommard (Carlton)