

2020 PINOT NOIR FENDER'S REST VINEYARD

VAN DUZER CORRIDOR
WILLAMETTE VALLEY · OREGON



After 10 years of working with Jeff Havlin of Fender's Rest Vineyard, we are proud to release our first vineyard designate. Over the years we've come to know Jeff for his quick wit as well as his ability to beguile you with a quick flash of his boy-like grin. The vineyard is named after the Fender's Blue Butterfly, to which Jeff has been involved in the restoration of Kincaid's Lupine - the sole flower used for the butterfly's reproduction cycle. Fender's Rest Vineyards consistently shows dark fruit characteristics, vibrant acidity, and the ability to age with grace.

VINTAGE

The 2020 wine harvest was full of challenges; it was much like the rest of the year we collectively experienced. Although we had to contend with a pandemic, forest fires, and excruciatingly low yields, we were graced with what was truly the vintage of the decade in terms of fruit quality. The 2020 vintage is showing to be a powerhouse, with ethereal texture, density, and fruit concentration. Our red wine offerings will be of high quality and limited.

TASTING NOTES

Medium ruby red in color. The nose is bright and bursting with red fruit, which is complexed by a rich and heady spiciness in the background. The palate is smooth and full, with a touch of tannin. The wine finishes fresh and light-footed with a lingering warm spice note.

- Rachel Rose, Winemaker. Spring 2022.

VINEYARDS

100% Pinot Noir – Fender's Rest Vineyard · Van Duzer Corridor · Willamette Valley · Oregon

WINEMAKING

CASE PRODUCTION: 100

FERMENTATION STYLE: 100% Destemmed, 5-ton open top fermentation. Wild and cultured yeast.

CAP MANAGEMENT: Manual pump overs and pulsair.

BARREL PROGRAM: Aged 14 months in 25% New French Oak.

pH: 3.6

TA: 5.3 g/L

ABV: 13.7%

CELLARING

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