

# **DEVILS BACKBONE PINOT NOIR 2018**

# The Devil's Tasting Note

A sinfully, seductive, sensory treat, enjoy the 2018 DEVILS BACKBONE PINOT NOIR. Wonderfully fruited and beautifully perfumed, the bouquet shows black cherry, blueberry, toasted almond, mixed spice and floral aromas, leading to a succulent palate that is rounded and fleshy. The wine offers excellent mid palate weight and fruit intensity, elegantly complemented by silky texture and polished tannins. Sweetly fruited and seductively complex.



## Winemaker

**David Grant** 

### **Harvest Date**

Hand picked and sorted in Late April 2018

#### Vineyards

Shaky Bridge (single vineyard)

#### **Wine Analysis**

Alcohol 13.8%, TA 5.6 g/l, pH 3.8

### Production

439 cases

**Winemaking Notes** ~ 2018 saw us hand harvest high quality Pinot Noir grapes from our Shaky Bridge block. We destemmed and lightly crushed the grapes, leaving the juice and skins to cold soak for a period of about 6 days prior to fermentation.

Using warm fermentation temperatures, the wine was hand plunged and pumped over several times daily. The wine was aged in French Oak barrels for 12 months prior to racking to tank.

We lightly filtered the wine prior to bottling.