

2021 HERITAGE 91 Bryan Creek Pinot Noir

"I see wine as part of my journey. I am fascinated by it. With McCollum Heritage 91, I want to share my learnings and my love for wine, taking fans and wine lovers alike with me along the way." - CJ McCollum

DESCRIPTORS:

COMPOSITION:

APPELLATION:

LAVENDER BLOOD ORANGE EXPRESSIVE

100% Pinot Noir

Chehalem Mountains

RELEASE DATE: April 8, 2024

SUGGESTED RETAIL: \$103

HARVEST DATES: Sept 11-12, 2021

BOTTLING DATES: August 2, 2022

Alcohol | pH: 13.2% | 3.45

PRODUCTION: 86 x 750ml 12pks

FERMENTATION:

The grapes were hand-picked towards the middle of harvest and clusters were destemmed into tank. Following a 5-day cold soak, fermentation commenced and lasted 11-13 days. After fermentation concluded the wine was pressed and settled prior to racking into barrel.

AGING:

The wine was aged in French oak barrels, 30% new, for 10 months prior to bottling.



NOTES FROM CJ

"The first Oregon Pinot Noir that I ever tasted was a Bryan Creek Pinot. I was instantly drawn into the wine, with grapes produced from Volcanic soil. That wine sparked this incredible journey that is McCollum Heritage 91. This is truly a full-circle moment and a thrilling opportunity to introduce you all to our first single vineyard Pinot noir from McCollum Heritage 91!"

TASTING NOTES FROM WINEMAKER, GINA HENNEN

"It's always exciting to release a new wine, but particularly so when it's as special as this one. Opening with lavender, blood orange, raspberry, and anise aromas this wine is expressive and silken with a lovely persistence on the palate. At under 90 cases this is a wine to enjoy with close friends or perhaps just by yourself, because you deserve it."

VINEYARDS

This is a wine that speaks of place. It is drawn from Adelsheim's LIVE-certified Bryan Creek estate vineyard in the Chehalem Mountains, planted on deep volcanic soil. At 700' elevation, it offers violet and lavender aromas, a taut structural core, and a beautiful view of the valley below.

Block 5 (Pommard clone): 68% Block 18 (667 clone): 22% Block 6 (Quarter Mile 1 selection): 10%





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