



Burn Cottage Vineyard 2019 Central Otago Pinot Noir

Finished wine detail:	pH	3.60
	TA	4.9g/L
	Alc	14.0%
Commenced Harvest:		30 th March
Finished harvest		15 th April
Average Brix at harvest:		23.3
Whole cluster percentage:		13%
New oak percentage:		24%
Oak Cooperages :		Damy, Mercurey and Sylvain
Average time in fermenter:		20 days
Composition by block and clone:		Block 1 - 23%. 114, 115, 777, Abel, Cl 5
		Block 2 - 15%. 10/5, 115, Cl5, Abel
		Block 4 - 17%. 777, Abel
		Block 5s - 4%. Abel
		Block 6 - 8%. 115, 667
		Block 7E - 9%. 667, 777
		Block 7W - 13%. 114, 777, Abel
		Block 8 - 7%. 667, 10/5
		Block 10 - 4%. 828
Plant Density:		5000 Vines/Ha

Vintage Notes:

A very good season for growth, with the farm and vineyard experiencing periods of rain regularly. Some drier more classic Central Otago spells experienced in January and February, and healthy plants were vibrant and strong in both vineyard and property throughout the season. We had some frost to navigate in April, but around this a favourable slow extended ripening. Overall the seasons temperatures were moderate, which preserved wonderful balance and acidity.

Winemaker Tasting Notes:

Layers of interest with aromatics of redcurrant, bright cherry and floral notes underpinned by savory hints of tea, earth and fern. The palate is vibrant and focused, supported with seamless balance and finesse. Lovely integration and flow with polished tannins that lend persistence through the palate. Cellaring potential of 8-10 years.