



Palate Notes: Dark ruby in color with wonderful aromatics of blackberry cobbler, plum and raspberry jam, hints of lavender, blueberry and nuances of coffee and nutmeg. This Pinot Noir is dark and brooding, yet is lifted with exotic fruitiness. Bold, velvety tannins lend themselves to a long, lingering finish.

Serving Suggestions: Pairs well with Grilled Meats, Wild Salmon, Game, Duck Confit, Seared Ahi or simple Burgers and Pizzas.

Optimal Temperature: 54° F

2016 Curran Pinot Noir Sta. Rita Hills

WINEMAKING NOTES

Hand sorted fruit, 100% de-stemmed, cold soaked in open-top fermenters for 4 days prior to yeast inoculation. Time on skins totaled 23 days prior to barreling. Full ML fermentation completed in barrel.

VARIETAL: 100% Pinot Noir

APPELLATION: Sta. Rita Hills AVA

VINEYARD: Rancho La Vineyards

BARREL AGING: 18 months, 30% new French Oak

ALCOHOL: 14.2%

TA: 7.0 g/L

PH: 3.54

BOTTLE DATE: February 22, 2018