

# SEE YA LATER RANCH

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## PINOT NOIR

2016

BC VQA OKANAGAN VALLEY

### HARVEST

The beginning of spring 2016 saw very hot temperatures, which brought an early start to the growing season. When the temperatures dropped later in the spring, there were some concerns about berry development. Our skilled and dedicated vineyard team was able to minimize the loss. The ensuing hot summer days and cool evenings contributed to a great balance of fruit flavours and acidic notes in our whites, while the early start to the season allowed our reds to stay on the vine longer and develop a softer, delicate profile with well-rounded tannins.

### WINEMAKING

The grapes were harvested at peak ripeness and allowed to cold soak for 48 hours before the start of fermentation. This allows for more colour and flavour extraction. The wine was then fermented in open top stainless steel tanks and pressed down twice daily for 10 days. The wine went through full malolactic fermentation and was then placed into 1-year-old and new French oak barrels. The barrels were then tasted, and only the 10 best barrels were selected, which were then blended together in tank, filtered and bottled.

### TASTING NOTES

Lots of smoky toasted oak aromas with an undertone of dried and fresh strawberry, a hint of kirsch, and some earthiness as well. The palate has flavours of fresh strawberry, red cherry, smoky oak and vanilla. The tannins are somewhat firm yet approachable, and has a fantastic finish which lingers for a long time.

### FOOD AND WINE PAIRING

Legacy Pinot Noir is perfectly suited to pair with a wide variety of dishes because of its bright acidity, complexity, and rich fruit character. Try with garlic and herb roasted pork tenderloin, oven baked salmon filets, duck breast with pomegranate-citrus glaze, grilled rack of lamb, and bacon stuffed mushrooms.

### TECHNICAL NOTES

<b>Alcohol/Volume</b>	12.5%	<b>Total Acidity</b>	4.81
<b>pH Level</b>	3.91	<b>Oak Aging</b>	8 months in 1 year old and new barrels.
<b>Residual Sugar</b>	2.1 g/L	<b>Release Date</b>	September 16, 2017
<b>Cases Produced</b>	550		



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