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Sonoma Coast Vineyards

2012 PINOT NOIR
KOOS FAMILY VINEYARD

VINEYARD NOTES

Koos Family Vineyard was planted in June of 2000 on two acres of sandy loam soil in the Sonoma Coast appellation. After extensive ground preparation to create an optimal growing environment, the rows were oriented North to South allowing the vines full sun during the growing season. The vineyard output is closely managed with an emphasis on flavor and not yield.

VINTAGE NOTES

The 2012 vintage produced fruit with full, rich flavors. Grapes were hand-harvested starting on September 29th. Sustainable farming practices results in fruit that is typically small clustered with wide distribution of berry sizes which produce full, rich flavors.

WINEMAKER NOTES

The 2012 Koos Pinot Noir is deep garnet in color and opens with a nose of plum, dark berry fruit and a hint of vanilla. The mouth feel has even acidity and a slight dusty cocoa taste. Full of flavors of black cherry, pipe tobacco, baking spices and toasted cranberry. The finish is lingering and elegant.

TECHNICAL NOTES

Vineyards: Koos Family Vineyards
Varietal Composition: 100% Pinot Noir
Barrel Regime: 50% New French oak, 16 months sur lees
Alcohol: 13.4%
pH: 3.65
Case Production: 150