



2018 PINOT NOIR ROSÉ

SONOMA COAST • SONOMA COUNTY

VINTAGE NOTES

The 2018 growing season was a bit of a roller-coaster with heavy winter rains leading to vigorous vine growth in spring. Bloom came early, in parallel with an eclectic range of springtime temperatures. Moderate early summer temperatures gave way to several heat waves throughout the summer and into fall, heightening the rate of ripening and flavor development in the grapes, and ushering in a slightly early harvest.

WINEMAKER NOTES

Our 2018 Rosé is delicately scented with notes of strawberry, rhubarb, mango and peach aromas. The palate is laced with zesty lemon notes, apricot and vanilla cream. The finish is long and refreshingly crisp. The gentle hue of this Rosé was achieved by allowing Pinot Noir grapes to remain in contact with the juice ever so briefly—just long enough to garner a delicate blush, and classic Pinot Noir structure and character.

TECHNICAL NOTES

Vineyard: Bella Sonoma Vineyard Varietal Composition: 100% Pinot Noir Barrel Regime: French oak, 6 months *sur lie*

Alcohol: 13.3%

pH: 3.35

Case Production: 375 cases