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Knudsen Vineyard Brut | 2014
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Dundee Hills AVA

TASTING NOTES

Planted in 1974, and at 900 feet elevation, is where you'll find this single parcel of Pinot Noir for our Knudsen Vineyard Brut. This combination of old vines at high elevation creates a unique dynamic of vibrant acidity and deep, textured complexity. Neutral wood barrel fermentation and aging helps build layers of savory, smoky intricacy playing off of the red stone fruits, Mirabelle plum, fresh orange peel, and energetic length.

VINTAGE NOTES

The 2014 growing season began with plenty of sunshine and warmth throughout the Spring. About two weeks ahead of normal, the early June bloom continued with fantastic weather, leading to an above average fruit set. This required us to meticulously thin our vineyards in order to capture dense, vibrant fruit flavors. The summer was quite warm, seeing a near record number of 90+ days.

VINIFICATION NOTES

VINEYARD	Knudsen Vineyard
AVA	Dundee Hills AVA
COMPOSITION	100% Pinot Noir
HARVEST DATES	Sept. 10, 2014
BRIX AT HARVEST	18.4
ALCOHOL % by Vol.	12.5%
BARREL AGING	100% Neutral Oak
DOSAGE	4 g/L
CASES PRODUCED	1450
DISGORGED ON DEMAND	



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