

2017 Bluebell Reserve Pinot Noir Willamette Valley, Oregon



The Wine:

100% Pinot Noir from three small, sustainably grown vineyards spread throughout the Valley; Armstrong Vineyard in the Ribbon Ridge AVA, Chehalem Mountain Vineyard in the Chehalem Mountain AVA and the Bednarik Vineyard in the Willamette Valley AVA. Aged for 12 months in 33% new French oak. 98 cases made.

The Estate:

Bluebell Wines represent the collaboration between winemaker Jerry Murray and Quigley Fine Wines to produce world class wines in Oregon's Willamette Valley. Jerry Murray's winemaking resume includes Patton Valley Vineyards, Van Duzer Vineyards, and his most recent position of winemaker at Domaine Anderson. His passion for the Pinot Noir varietal along with his overall winemaking philosophy make him a perfect partner for creating limited volume, sustainably produced wines in this very special region.

Tasting Notes:

Color: Garnet-ruby

Aromas: Red berries, tea leaves, dried flowers and hints of savory spices

Flavor & Texture: Deep red fruits and exotic spices lead to a silky body with bright, lifted acidity

Food Pairing: Cedar plank grilled salmon with fresh, wild herbs and a honey mustard glaze

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