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5391 PRESQU'ILE DRIVE SANTA MARIA, CA



2019 SANTA MARIA VALLEY ROSÉ OF PINOT NOIR

We picked our Pinot Noir destined for rosé production in mid-September 2019, when fruit was at peak ripeness without any compromise on acidity. Post-fermentation in steel, the juice is racked into neutral French oak barrels for five months and blended with additional Pinot Noir for color and texture. The wine is zesty, vibrant, and loaded with flavors of ripe watermelon, strawberry skin, and crushed rocks.

VINTAGE NOTES

2019 was a rather classic vintage in Santa Barbara, marked by a mild spring and moderate summer (only a few very hot days). Although mildew pressure was relatively heavy, we were able to push through the challenge. Long hang times and abundant cooling breezes allowed fruit to maintain acidity and optimally ripen. Harvest began at 'standard' time (late August/early September).

HARVEST Sept 7 -20, 2018

PRODUCTION 1893 cases

VARIETY 100% Pinot Noir

VINEYARD 70% Presqu'ile, 25% Cottonwood Canyon, 5% Bien Nacido

SOIL Garey series, Sandy Loam

FARMING Sustainable, Organic

ABV 12.8%

FERMENTATION Native Yeast

ELEVAGE 5 months in Stainless Steel

BOTTLED 2 /13 /2020

FINING/FILTERING Bentonite & Filtration

“press-KEEL”

Located in the heart of the Santa Maria Valley, Presqu'ile Winery produces cool-climate wines from a variety of organic and sustainably-farmed vineyard plots that span nearly 30 hectares across Santa Barbara County. Each wine produced at Presqu'ile is a direct reflection of a specific vineyard site's variety, vintage, and unique climate conditions. All wines crafted at Presqu'ile are vinified with a minimalist mentality in the cellar, with the pursuit of terroir-reflection, purity, and delicious drinkability placed first.