

Chard Farm

CENTRAL OTAGO

River Run Pinot Noir 2023

Winemakers comments:

River Run is our Central Otago regional Pinot Noir made from grapes grown in our vineyards in different sub-regions of Central Otago. The deep alpine valleys and waterways of Central Otago have carved the land available for grape growing into quite distinct sub-regions. Each pocket of land has its own unique climate and soil mix producing quite different styles of Pinot Noir. River Run captures the character of each of the sub-regions where our vineyards are planted. Lowburn gives us bright, fresh sweet fruit, Gibbston savoury and herbal tones, and Parkburn brings good texture and mineral length.

Wwine description:

Opens with intense fruit aromas of black cherry and currant, a lifted perfume of lavender, mint, and subtle earthy tones provides appealing complexity. The palate is alive and fresh, bursting with bright berry and gentle herbal flavours. Svelte, powdery tannins glide across the finish, leaving a long, lingering impression of purity, finesse, and vibrancy.

Harvest: 15th March - 8th April 2024

Brix: 22.1 - 23.9

pH: 3.22 - 3.45

TA: 7.2g/L - 9.5g/L/L

Bottled:

pH: 3.64 TA:

5.6g/L Alc:

13.5%

