

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.

wine description:

Intense black cherries and violets with dried herbs and a hint of black spice. The generous fruit provides a fresh burst of red berries on the palate with ample velvety tannin and lively acid to balance and draw the wine to a seamless finish.

harvest: 17th March - 24th April 2023

Brix: 21.9 - 23.3

pH: 3.19 - 3.35

TA: 7.2g/L - 9.1g/L

in bottle:

pH: 3.58

TA: 5.8g/L

Alc: 13.0%

