

SWEET CHEEKS WINERY & VINEYARD

2014 Reserve Pinot Noir

APPELLATION: Willamette Valley AVA, Oregon, USA

VARIETAL COMPOSITION: 100% Pinot Noir

HARVEST DATE(S): September, 14, 2014

September 25, 2014 - October 9, 2014

VINEYARD SOURCES: Sweet Cheeks Vineyard & Davis Vineyard

COOPERAGE: Aged for 19 months in 70% New French Oak and

30% Neutral French Oak.

BOTTLING DATE: June 3, 2016

CASE PRODUCTION: 537 Cases Produced

WINE ANALYSIS: pH: 3.61 | TA: 5.4 g/L | Alcohol: 14%

TASTING NOTES

A decadent and full-figured Pinot Noir, our 2014 Reserve first boasts aromas of caramelized brown sugar and stewed apples. Velvet in texture and richly layered, the mid-palate evokes a flavor profile of lightly toasted pecans and berries, and a hint of pumpkin spice cake. Graceful and sophisticated, our Reserve Pinot Noir has a silky toffee finish that leaves you pining for another sip.

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Winery est. 2005



2014 HARVEST OVERVIEW

2014 was a truly spectacular vintage in Oregon. Bud break was almost two weeks earlier than previous years, there was little concern of frost in the spring and the larger region saw very little rain during harvest, which all contributed to make this season perfectly exceptional. The vintage boasts both high quality and high quantity on the vine – a perfect combination – with intense fruitfulness and aromatics. The 2014 vintage was one of the driest and the warmest on record for each of Oregon's growing regions, and the ideal growing conditions led to above average yields that went on to produce some of Oregon's most exceptional wines yet.

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Our passion is to create wines that reflect the beauty surrounding us in the Southern Willamette Valley. We believe in producing exceptional wines through gentle processing. Each vintage is unique and we invite you to experience it.

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Established as a vineyard in 1978, the 55 acre estate vineyard sits on 140 acres of prime sloping hillside in the Southern region of the Willamette Valley wine appellation.