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2019 WHISTLING RIDGE PINOT NOIR

AVA: RIBBON RIDGE

PRODUCTION: 113 CASES

VARIETAL: PINOT NOIR

ALCOHOL: 12.6%

ELEVAGE: 18 MONTHS FRENCH OAK
BARREL & PUNCHEON

VINEYARD: WHISTLING RIDGE

DRY FARMED

SOILS: SEDIMENTARY



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Whistling Ridge Vineyard sits ridge-top in the western edge of the Ribbon Ridge AVA. The vines catch the daily winds that blow in, slowing ripening, evaporating moisture, and thickening skins. Soils are eroded from uplifted marine sedimentary rock, 40 to 50 million years old, and dry out quickly in the growing season, forcing non-irrigated vines to grow roots deep in search of water. Richard and Patricia Alvord planted and have farmed the 14 acre plot for the past two and a half decades. Patricia does all of her own grafting, and Pinot Noir plantings are a selection massale of over half a dozen clones. The wines are structured, elegant and complex.

The 2019 vintage in Oregon cooler than the previous few years, perfect for producing elegant, classic Oregon Pinot Noirs. The wines are lively and delicately fruited, with very fine tannins and enticing aromatics. The 2019 Whistling Ridge Pinot Noir is translucent, with pale red fruits, currants and pie cherry, opening into more red fruit with stony earth, wood spice, kitchen herb, mineral and amaro.

Goodfellow Family Cellars is a winemaker owned and operated winery in Oregon's beautiful Willamette Valley. Founded in 2002, and producing approximately 4000 cases annually, we focus on old vines planted in unique and beautiful sites, conscientious farming, and techniques of tradition in the cellar. We are members of the Deep Roots Coalition, a group of craft oriented wineries committed to sustainable farming and sourcing grapes solely from non-irrigated vines. We do this because it is the responsible choice, and because it produces the highest quality wine with the truest expression of place.