

Pencarrow 2011 Pinot Noir

Winemaker: Allan Johnson

Colour:

Dark, deep, black-hued red colour, lighter on rim

Aroma:

This has a tightly bound, but intense and penetrating nose of ripe black fruits with dark herb and spice notes as well as violetlike florals.

Palate:

Medium-full bodied, the flavours promise to unfold and reveal more with time. There are flavours of black fruits and florals. concentrated and densely packed, and supported by fine-grained, but The firm tannins. oaking sensitive and the youthful acidity carries the flavours on a long, lingering finish featuring spicy black fruits and hints of liquorice

Ageing Potential:

This is a tightly concentrated, brooding and firmly textured Pinot Noir that needs another year to become accessible. It will then develop for another 4-5+ years

Winemaking:

Clones 114, 115, 667, 777, Abel and 10/5, all Martinborough, , the fruit given a cold soak and mostly indigenous yeast fermented to

14.0% alc., the wine spending 17 days on skins and aged 10 months in French oak

Awards: 18.0 - Raymond Chan

Technical details

Picking date May 2011 Alcohol 14.0%

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