



SANGIACOMO

Sonoma Coast

PINOT NOIR

2016



The Sangiacomo family has been farming in Sonoma County since 1927, and for 50 years has farmed premium wine grapes in Sonoma soil. Three generations of the family have been dedicated to growing some of the finest grapes in Sonoma County and Napa Valley from vineyards that are 100% certified sustainable. We are committed to crafting the finest wines from our estate vineyards and cementing our position amongst the very best in new world California Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, and Cabernet Sauvignon.

THE VINEYARD

The 2016 growing season was welcomed with abundant and consistent winter rainfalls to replenish the earth and provide ample supply of water. Bud break arrived slightly early followed by April showers. As warmer days arrived, the vines thrived in steady and mild summer temperatures. Our vineyards bask in the generous daytime sunlight and a predominantly maritime influence of the Pacific Ocean and San Pablo Bay which brings cool temperate fog and afternoon breeze. These moderate growing conditions promote long and even ripening with natural acidity balance and full, complex flavor maturity. Our farming approach is low-impact, and in harmony with Mother Nature. Harvest begins in the early morning hours during the coolest part of the day; with yields below average for this vintage.

TASTING NOTES

Aromatically this wine is a bowl full of juicy berries and a bouquet of fresh violets, tea leaves and jasmine. Bright Bing cherry flavors dance with cranberry, rhubarb, and blackberry; interwoven with Asian five-spice and vanilla. This bright ruby wine is medium-bodied and firmly structured.

VINEYARD SOURCE
40% Roberts Road, 40% Fedrick,
20% Amaral Vineyards

CLONE
Pommard, 115, 667, 777, Swan

HARVEST DATE
Amaral & Fedrick: Sept. 3, 2016
Roberts Road: Sept. 19, 2016

FERMENTATION
5 day cold soak followed by daily
punch-downs by hand.

BARREL AGING
30% new oak, medium toast.
16 months in Cavin Aphrodite,
Francois Frere and Boutes Grand
Reserve barrels.

ALCOHOL
14.5%

pH
3.6

T.A.
6.1 g/L

WINEMAKER
James MacPhail

CASES PRODUCED
215 cases

RETAIL PRICE
\$60.00

RELEASE DATE
May 2018

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