FOX RUN

VINEYARDS

2020 Pinot Noir

Seneca Lake | Finger Lakes

Winemaker's Tasting Notes

This succulent red presents complex aromas and a delicate texture. Layers of cherry, raspberry, and sweet spices on a lithe frame are the hallmarks of this refined and delicous Pinot.

Harvest

Growing Conditions:

Once or twice in a decade, our region is bestowed with a growing season that is close to perfection. That's asking a lot: a mild spring, lots and lots of sunny weather through the summer (adding in just the right amount of rainfall to keep the vines happy and healthy) followed by a warm, bright and dry autumn. Behold 2020. The wines are correspondingly fantastic.

Soil Conditions:

Wagner Vineyards- Centrally located on the eastern shore of Seneca Lake

Harvest Date: September 22, 2020

The Winemaking

Vinification:

2020 was a warm and dry year, ideal for Pinot Noir. The vineyard yielded a tiny crop of very high quality fruit. Grapes were machine-picked and crushed to open-top fermenters, then immediately inoculated with a specially selected yeast strain from Burgundy, France. The wine was pressed off at dryness, and matured for six months in three-year-old French barrels.

Varietal Composition: 85% Pinot Noir, 15% Cabernet Franc

The Wine

Residual Sugar: 0%
pH: 3.57
Acidity: 5.6 g/L
Alcohol: 12.8%

Bottling Date: July 8, 2021
Production: 114 cases
Released: January 17, 2022

Produced with self-generated solar energy

Certified Lake Friendly Farm

To learn more about our vineyard and winemaking practices, we invite you to visit us for a tour and tasting.

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