

LYNMAR ESTATE

Russian River Valley

2021

Quail Hill Vineyard Pinot Noir

WINE TIER	Single Vineyard Estate Grown
APPELLATION	Russian River Valley
CHARACTER	Showcasing the 14 Pinot Noir clones grown on Quail Hill Vineyard's 16 utterly unique blocks, this flagship captures the vivid, elegant expression and dark, plush complexity of our home estate in the Russian River Valley.
VINEYARDS & WINEMAKING	<p>Quail Hill Vineyard</p> <p>Surrounding the winery, tasting room and the Bliss House, Lynmar's home estate includes 33+ acres of Pinot Noir across 16 blocks. We have lived and farmed this extraordinary site for nearly four decades, and our relationship with each block's widely varied soil, slope, and clone deepens every vintage.</p> <p>This flagship blend offers a snapshot of Pinot Noir across the property and, in this case in particular, the whole is truly bigger than the sum of its parts. Gently rolling hills offer a wide variety of aspects and microclimates, with 14 different Pinot Noir clones planted in a range of soil combinations. With so much to offer, this wine is one of our most challenging at blending time and, without doubt, one of the most rewarding.</p>
LABEL	<i>This unique blend features all 14 Pinot Noir clones, giving our winemaking team the opportunity to create a wine that represents the complexity of the estate, and an elegant expression of Pinot Noir in the Russian River Valley.</i>
AGING	14 months in French oak barrels, 31% new oak
AROMAS	Bing Cherry, Fresh Cut Cedar, Wild Berry
FLAVORS	Black Tea, Brambly Fruits, Fresh Herbs
BODY	Weighty with textural richness and great structure and depth
CLONES	Blend of 14 clones and selections
TECHNICAL DATA	Alcohol: 14.5% pH: 3.71 RS: 1.22 g/L TA: 5.8
PRODUCTION	1,251 cases
ACCOLADES	94 POINTS Cellar Selection, <i>Wine Enthusiast</i> 94 POINTS <i>Wine Spectator</i>