

2018 Stewart Pinot Noir Willamette Valley

Harvest Dates: Sept. 18th – Sept. 30th, 2018

Bottled: July 2021

Yield: 2t/acre

Production: 500 cases

The Vineyards

35% Cherry Grove Vineyard, Willamette Valley.

Tualatin Hills AVA Melbourne series soil: marine sedimentary over degraded sandstone; 250 -300' south facing; planted 2000. LIVE certified.

Clones: 50% 777, 25% Pommard, 25% Wädenswil

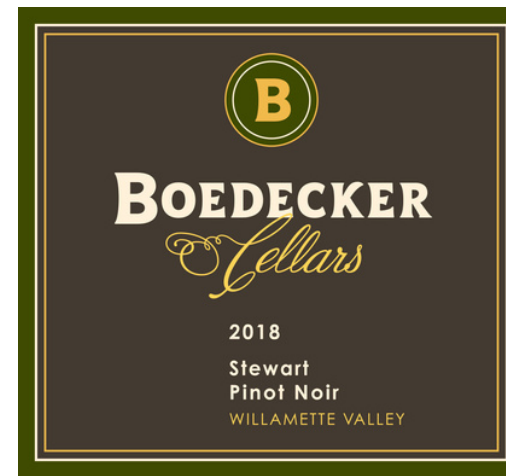
33% Hirschy Vineyard, Yamhill - Carlton. Marine sedimentary soils, various elevation and aspects; 300 - 400'; planted 2007. Sustainable farming practices.

Clones: 33.3% 114, 33.3% Wädenswil. 33.34% 115

32% Shea Vineyard, Yamhill - Carlton. Marine Sedimentary Soils USDA Certified, sustainable farming. 100% Clone 115

The methodology

Sustainably farmed, naturally crafted. Hand harvested grapes and hands on winemaking with native yeasts, spontaneous ferments, small fermenters and French oak barrels.



Reviews

93 pts Jeb Dunnuck

"...the 2018 Pinot Noir Stewart displays a spicy and floral character, with notes of fresh pine, cherry liqueur, and cinnamon. Ripe and medium-bodied, with ripe present tannins, good energy throughout, and notes of mossy earth on the finish, it has broader shoulders and is still hanging on to a ripe yet firm, almost Nebbiolo-like tannin structure which I personally enjoy."

90 pts Wine Enthusiast

"A dark raspberry aroma eventually gives way to delicate rose water and cedar scents. The wine's grippy tannins provide a nice frame for concentrated, sweet Black Ruby plum and cherry flavors. The mildly bitter orange pith note offers a nice contrast."

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