



## 2019 PINOT NOIR Jack Ranch Vineyards ST. RITA HILLS



**Teaser:** first crop coming out of a small new block of Pinot Noir situated in the south hillside of Jack Ranch vineyard in the famous Edna Valley located in San Luis Obispo. A full-bodied Pinot Noir loaded with dark cherry, plums and forest earth, rich and concentrated.

**Description:** deep ruby color, with notes of black cherry, plums, hints of forest, cola and earth tones. Deep flavors of ripe, blue and black fruits, spice, subtle yet structured tannins. Integrated acidity with plenty of new French oak barrel makes this wine a full-bodied Pinot Noir with lots of vanilla, cinnamon and a long-lasting finish. This concentrated wine can be cellared up to a decade to explore another dimension of this exquisite wine. Only 240 cases made.

**Technical description:**

Blend: 100 % Pinot Noir – Jack Ranch vineyard – Edna Valley - San Luis Obispo –

Clone: 667 and 2A

Oak regiment: 38 % new French oak for 10 months

Alcohol: 14.3 %

pH: 3.58

TA: 6.5 grams/L.

Residual sugar: < 0.25 grams/L.

Aging potential: 2029

**Food pairing:** most fish such as salmon or halibut with a mushroom sauce. Grilled chicken, ideal with duck and other game birds, meat casseroles and of course, stews like beef bourguignon, and cheese plater to start or finish diner