

Chard Farm
CENTRAL OTAGO

River Run Pinot Noir 2016

winemakers comments:

River Run is our Central Otago regional Pinot Noir made from grapes grown in our vineyards in different sub-regions of Central Otago. The deep alpine valleys and waterways of Central Otago have craved the land available for grape growing into quite distinct sub-regions. Each pocket of land has its own unique climate and soil mix producing quite different styles of Pinot Noir. River Run captures the character of each of the sub-regions where vineyards are planted. Lowburn gives us bright, fresh sweet fruit, Gibbston savory and herbal tones and Parkburn brings good texture and mineral length.

wine description:

Alluring aromas of red cherries and berry fruit with clove spice and bright floral tones. Fine silky pliable tannins slide around the palate mingling with the red fruits. The palate is given nice depth from the savory and mineral flavours revealed on the long and satisfying finish.

harvest: 5th April- 30th April 2016

Brix 23.1 - 23.8

pH 3.25 - 3.46

TA 6.9 - 9.1g/L

in bottle:

pH - 3.63

TA - 5.4g/L

Alc. - 14%

