



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

Felton Road Cornish Point Pinot Noir 2023

Price £59.00
Code FELT595

Central Otago benchmark, Felton Road, produce some of the New World's greatest Pinot Noirs. The Cornish Point Pinot is a perfect example with its complexity matched with fruit power and what seems like eternal length. While magnificently bright and dominated by rich fruit flavours early, the Cornish Point will develop earth and forest floor flavours and aromas along with a seamless integration of tannin and acid to provide an Pinot experience like none other.

Tasting Notes:

Intense floral notes of lavender and violets along with plum, clove and dark chocolate. This smaller berried and earlier harvest at Cornish Point contributes saturating fruit, spice and hints of sandalwood on the palate. Brooding with serious intent amongst the black plum and mocha flavours, the entire package is utterly complete and there is no doubt time will reveal further complexity and intrigue





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Specification

Vinification The unique gravity flow winery enabled the grapes to be gently destemmed directly into open-top fermenters without pumping, with 20% retained as whole clusters. Traditional fermentation with a moderately long maceration on skins has extracted good colour and tannin with considerable depth of flavour. This wine was aged for 13 months in 25% new French oak barrels from artisan Burgundian coopers. In accordance with our noninterventionalist approach to winemaking, this wine was fermented with indigenous yeast and malolactic, and was not fined or filtered.

ABV 14%

Size 75cl

Country New Zealand

Region Central Otago

Area Bannockburn

Type Red Wine

Grapes Pinot Noir

Genres Biodynamic, Fine Wine, Organic, Vegan, Vegetarian

Vintage 2023

Body Elegant, refined and supple

Producer Felton Road

Producer Overview Beginning with meticulous site selection and vineyard design which started in 1991, Felton Road's story is one of refusal to compromise.

Closure Type Screw Cap

Food Matches The supple richness of New Zealand Pinot Noir complements a range of savoury dishes. Try it alongside game birds such as quail, turkey, and duck, with a fillet of salmon, or equally with pork, veal, lamb or venison.