THE ESTATE VINEYARD

The Estate Vineyard wines are elegant, handcrafted wines that reflect the unique characters of the De Bortoli family owned Estate vineyards. Exceptional fruit quality and thoughtful winemaking creating Yarra Valley wines with character and flair.



THE ESTATE VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2023

Vineyard

The De Bortoli Yarra Valley vineyards were first planted in 1971 and through careful expansion and thoughtful replanting, we have introduced new planting stock that have improved brightness, perfume and charm. This is the second vintage to have included these new vineyards.

Season

Low cropping cool and mild growing season, picked in early March. Bright colours, amazing perfume and charm.

Tasting Note

Expressive, high end Yarra Valley Pinot Noir. Red and dark fruits, intense bright flavours, gentle and opulent, silky texture.

Suggested Cuisine

Cassoulet with duck and pork sausage is pretty close to perfect.

Additional Information Vegan, Vegetarian

Winemaking

Fruit is harvested and sorted.
Each small parcel is fermented separately, some with whole bunch inclusion. 15-18 days of maceration and fermentation with wild yeast.
Pressed, settled overnight and then filled to barrel by gravity. Allowed to mature for 6 months in new and used 225L and 500L French casks.

Wine Analysis

Alc/Vol: 13.0%, pH: 3.55, TA: 5.7g/L

Cellaring

The wine will continue to develop complexity and interest with good cellaring for 3-5 years.

Winemaker

Kate Webber