

## Home Block Moutere Pinot Noir 2021

Woodfire | Complex | Fine

Organically Certified BioGro 5438

Moutere Clay Gravels | Dry Farmed | Low Cropping Single Vineyard | Hand Harvested | Wild Ferment Natural Spring Malo | Barrel Matured Unfined | Unfiltered | Vegan

"Long. Nuanced and deep-flavoured. Violets and this really grows on the finish in the way that fine Burgundy does."

Jancis Robinson MW (2020 Vintage)

Our loveable rebel.

2021 will go down in the history books for its cold flowering week resulting in a low cropping yield and extremely concentrated vintage - this wine celebrates those elements.

A deep and brooding Pinot.

The palate and aromas are beautifully intertwined - dark cocoa nibs, freshly roasted coffee beans, black cranberries and ripe cherries with a hint of pink peppercorns and campfire smoke. These elements come together in a brilliantly bold pinot, a-typical of Nelson.

Fine tannins frame this wine as it moves through the palate. This chalky note keeps the rather voluptuous flavour profile in check and gives the wine an elegant mouthfeel.

This deserves a great cut of meat thrown on a seriously hot BBQ. Open a couple of hours early or decant to enjoy at its best.

Cellar with absolute confidence.

"Finely knit tannins are soaked in fresh red berries with some herbal complexity. Tea leaves and rosemary stems, as well. Lovely tension.

95 Points." James Suckling (2020 Vintage)





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## Vineyard Detail

Site: Home Block - Upper Moutere, Nelson

Aspect: 60m Elveation, North Facing

Soil Type: Moutere Clay Gravels

Soil Composition: Clay Loam, with small

pebbles in upper horizon.

Vineyard Established: 1978

Farming: Dry Farmed, Organic (Biogro: #5438)

Variety: 100% Pinot Noir

Clonal Selection: 777, 5, 667

Hand Harvested: 100%

Seasonal Detail: Mild Winter, Erratic Spring,

Cool - Moderate Summer, Dry Autumn.

## Winemaking Detail

Harvest: 13th - 14th March 2021

Processing: Fruit chilled, sorted and 100%

destemmed.

Fermentation: 100% Wild Yeast

Fermentation Vessel: 100% open top fermentation – peak temperature of 32 C

Cap Management: Hand plunge (pigeage) 2 times

daily

Oak Management: 100% 1 - 2 year old French

barriques.

Maturation: 10 months in oak then racked and

blended.

Malolactic: 100% natural spring malo

Fining: None Filtration: None Vegan: Yes

Bottling Analysis: 13.5% Alc, 3.52 pH, 5.6 g/L

TA, Dry

Full Bottle Weight: 1,165 g