



STRALA

VINEYARDS

2022 PINOT NOIR

- VINEYARD:** Richardson Ranch Vineyard
West Sonoma Coast AVA
- HARVEST:** Night harvest from a cooler site to balance a warmer vintage. Early harvest for optimal freshness and acidity retention.
- VINIFICATION:** Heritage clones selected for classic Pinot Noir character. 15% whole cluster fermentation in open-top tanks with native yeast. Punchdowns for gentle extraction, 14 days on skins. Pressed and barreled down into French oak, using 40% new oak, with traditional Burgundy coopers like Damy, François Frères, and Cavin
- AGING & BOTTLING:** Aged 16 months, then racked to tank for bottling. Unfined and unfiltered to preserve natural complexity
- PROFILES:**
- **Aromas:** Bright cherry with savory undertones and subtle oak spice
 - **Palate:** Elegant structure, balanced freshness, and depth
 - **Finish:** Smooth, long, and layered with red fruit and earth

STYLE: A classic West Sonoma Coast Pinot Noir showcasing bright fruit, freshness, and nuanced structure. Ideal for near-term enjoyment or further cellaring to evolve complexity.

GRAPEGROWER:

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