



2015 Silice Pinot Noir

The 2015 Silice Pinot Noir is by far my favorite and the most unique wine expressed from this great terroir. For the past 14 years we have been farming and crafting this vineyard on Calkins Lane. The rolling sandy hills of this site have finally found their savory sweet and silky voice. This is quite different from the 2014 silice as the whole cluster ferments paired with the charming and vibrant character of the 2015 vintage has yielded a wine that will make lovers of whole cluster wines rush to secure an allocation.

The wine is a deep and vibrant ruby red with a youthful violet hue. Aromatic bouquet of candied fruit, fresh flowers like roses and violets, warm spices and savory herbs fill the glass. The whole cluster fermentation lends a carbonic maceration character to this very mineral sandstone influenced wine. Silice has cool and reticent flavors of just-ripe berries that are crunchy and bursting with juicy acidity. This is not an overtly ripe or jammy wine but quite the opposite living on the treble end of the spectrum. It has great body and presence with pure fruit flavors of summer berries like marion berry and blue berries and dark cherries with a long and complex finish made complex by smoke and spice and exotic wood. This is a fresh and vibrant Pinot Noir with a great core of sweet fruit flavors.

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