

ESTABLISHED 2001

WHITE ROSE Estate

Vintners of Neo-Classical Pinot Noir

2012 Lia's Vineyard Pinot Noir

VINEYARD

Age: Planted 1998
Clone: Dijon 115
Soil: Jory (volcanic basalt)
Elevation: (500-600')
AVA: Chehalem Mountains

HARVEST DATE

Ideal growing conditions throughout the summer followed by a cool, relatively dry fall allowed for prolonged hang time resulting in optimal flavor development and tannin maturity. We harvested this rocky vineyard site on October 22nd. Yields at harvest were only 1.5 tons per acre.

WINEMAKING

Whole Cluster: Fermented 90% whole cluster
Cold Soak: 6 days pre-fermentation maceration
Fermentation: 10 days
Total Skin Contact: 16 days
Barrel Aging: 16 months in French oak barrels (20% new)
Bottling Date: March 4, 2014
Alcohol: 13.8%
pH: 3.69

PRODUCTION

119 cases

REVIEWS

92 pts (Burghound) Jan 2015