## Langhart & Hill

## 2021 Sonoma Coast Pinot Noir Hill Family Vineyard

Hill Family Vineyard sits on some of the finest quality farmland in the county just south of the town



of Healdsburg in the middle reach of the Russian River Valley. This area is the perfect place for growing Pinot Noir with the cool breezes and fog moving in from the ocean in afternoons thoughout the growing season.

2021 gave us a lighter than normal-sized crop of superb quality. This select block planted on low vigor rootstocks has a mixture of three clones: Pommard 4, Dijon 115 and the Swan clone. The fruit was hand-harvested and de-stemmed for fermentation. The weater conditions in 2021 were perfect to achieve our goal of a bright and racy style Pinot Noir.

This Pinot Noir has a vibrant red color. The aromas are of lively red fruit, wild strawberries, tart cherries and hints of peppercorns. The taste is more robust than the aromas suggest. On the palate it dances with bright flashy flavors and bits of texture contained in the lively finish.

Appellation: Sonoma Coast, Sonoma County

Variety: 100% Pinot Noir

Clonal composition: 72% Pommard 4 (clone 91), 21% Dijon 115

(clone 73) and 7% Swan (clone 97).

Alcohol: 12.8% pH: 3.60

Titratable Acidity: 5.6 g/L

Production: 172 cases



<u>97 Points and Double Gold Award</u> 2024 Los Angeles Interntional Wine Competition

**Double Gold Award** 2023 San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition **94 Points and Gold Award** 2023 Press Democrat Wine Challenge

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