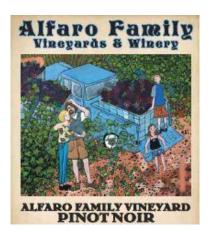
## 2017 "Alfaro Family Vineyard" Estate Pinot Noir



## The Vineyards:

Founded in 1998 by Richard and Mary Kay Alfaro, Alfaro Family Vineyards is dedicated to the production of Estate Bottled Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Merlot, Syrah, and Gruner Veltliner. "Alfaro Family Vineyard" is our largest vineyard at just over 16 acres; 14 acres are planted to Pinot Noir and two acres are planted to Gruner Veltliner. The Pinot Noir plantings consists of 9 different blocks; each block has a different combination of clones and rootstock, including clones 113, 114, 115, 667, 777, 828, Pommard, Mt. Eden and Swan. Vine density is 1361 vines per acre. The vineyard is on a south facing hillside at between 500 and 650 feet in elevation. The soil is a deep sandy loam.

## The Wine:

Medium bodied and deep ruby in color, this wine shows a burst of fruit on the nose, and is chock-full of bright cherry, raspberry and spice flavors on the palate. Complex and well-balanced.

## **Technical Data:**

Production	317 cases	Aging	10 months in French oak barrels (40% new)
Alcohol	13.5 % by vol.	<b>Suggested Retail</b>	\$45 = 750 ml
<b>Bottle Size</b>	375 ml, 750 ml, 1.5L	Release Date	Spring 2019