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# Rosé of Pinot Noir



## **ALCOHOL**

13% ABV

## **PRODUCTION**

48 cases

## **VINEYARD**

Tobias Glen, our estate vineyard, is a 19-acre, certified sustainable parcel located in one of the most cherished micro-regions in the Russian River Valley. Ideally suited for Pinot Noir, the predominant soil type is Goldridge. Its excellent drainage allows us to create a balanced vineyard ecosystem yielding exceptional, high-quality fruit.

## **WINEMAKING**

7 months aging total including 3 months in stainless steel and 4 months in neutral French barrels on very fine lees.

## **WINEMAKER'S TASTING NOTES**

The color is pale salmon with very light pink hue.

The nose is a premise of the vivacity of the wine, showing light plum and wonderful jasmine and spicy scents with barely ripe cherry and raspberry notes.

The palate is nervous and fresh with a core that shows light red fruit and spice, the return of plum and lead to a very long finish. So Provence driven but also relentlessly fresh, mineral and so Burgundian as well!

## **ABOUT THE WINEMAKER**

Stéphane Vivier joined our team in 2015. A native of Burgundy, Vivier's old-world sensibilities are ideally suited to working with our Pinot Noir varietal at the Russian River site. He obtained degrees in viticulture and enology from Université de Bourgogne, and cultivated his vineyard and cellar skills at Pommard, Meursault, and Chassagne-Montrachet.

**TOBIAS GLEN  
VINEYARD**

**RUSSIAN RIVER  
VALLEY**

