

WILLAKENZIE ESTATE

2012 PIERRE LÉON PINOT NOIR

ESTATE GROWN - WILLAMETTE VALLEY - SINGLE VINEYARD



VARIETAL
100% Pinot Noir

CLONES
Dijon Clones 113, 114, 115 & 777

APPELLATION & AVA
Willamette Valley
Yamhill-Carlton AVA

VINEYARDS
25 acres planted with Dijon Clones
113, 114, and 115

TERROIR
Sedimentary WillaKenzie Soil

HARVEST DATES
October 3-18, 2012

HARVEST STATISTICS
Brix-24.2, pH-3.45, TA-6.5

COOPERAGE
100% French oak from a
variety of hand-picked coopers

OAK
50% New Oak

AGING
14 Months in French Oak Barrels

SKIN CONTACT
24 Days

MALOLACTIC FERMENTATION
7 Months

BOTTLING DATES
February 25-27, 2014

FINAL ANALYSIS
Alc-14.2%, pH-3.65, TA-5.0

CLOSURE
Cork

CERTIFICATIONS
Oregon Certified Sustainable Wine,
LIVE & Salmon Safe

TASTING NOTES

The 2012 Pierre Léon Pinot Noir is deep ruby in color with vibrant and fresh aromas of blackberries, vanilla, lavender and cherry. This wine is jammy, smooth and dark with good acidity and a big structure. There is a hint of pepper in the lingering finish. We suggest opening an hour before drinking or decanting. Enjoy this wine now through 2022.

FOOD PAIRING

Pairs nicely with pork chops and roasted vegetables.

