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2006 Eastburn Vineyard Pinot Noir

170 cases produced

Winemaker Notes

Eastburn Vineyard always produces wonderful fruit with great color, ripeness, and fantastic blueberry and bramble notes that make very sexy wines. This vineyard is a mainstay of our Reserve program and is a rising star in the Chehalem Mountains AVA. The tannins aren't overpowering, but they have a silky texture to them that just makes you want to keep coming back for another sip...and that's a good thing. The grapes for this wine were 100% destemmed and then cold soaked for 5 days. All fermenters were inoculated with BRL-97 yeast and hand punched until dryness and pressed off after 20 days on the skins and settled before going to barrel.

Tasting Notes

The luscious fruit aromas of berries and cherries are weaved amongst hints of vanilla, cola, allspice, bay leaf, and toast. The ultra-smooth entry leads into a balanced, creamy mid palate that shows a wonderful mouth-coating texture and structure. Near the end of the road live wonderful flavors of cherry, blueberry, clove, lavender, and vanilla, that gives way to a long and effortless finish. This food-friendly wine should match up nicely with fish, chicken, pork, and pasta with white sauces.

Vineyard

Eastburn Vineyard is owned by Mark and Terri Eastburn and is located in Sherwood, Oregon. The vineyard sits on the eastern side of Parrett Mountain in the Chehalem Mountains AVA. The vineyard is planted to fifteen acres of Dijon Clones 777, 114, 115, which are grafted onto rootstock. The vineyard has a planting density of 1450 vines per acre and the elevation is 600' with Laurelwood and Jory soils.

Aging

Aged for 10 months in 33% new French Oak (Damy, Cadus)

Retail **\$35** / **Bottle**