

2018 BELLA VIDA VINEYARD PINOT NOIR

VINEYARD

Nestled in the Dundee Hills sub-AVA, Bella Vida Vineyard has helped define the signature Penner-Ash style – wines with fruit driven elegance and texture. The red-clay Jory soil holds moisture producing classic characteristics of red, lush fruit. The clone 777 block provides dense, sweet blackberry fruit, whereas the block planted to clone 667 offers spice and nuanced red fruit. Clone 115 brings intense red almost black fruit, and the 113 clonal block adds a bright black cherry perfumed note.



AVA	PLANTED	SOIL	ELEVATION	CERTIFICATIONS	CLONES
Dundee Hills	1998	Jory	600'- 880'	LIVE	777, 667, 115, 113

2018 VINTAGE

The 2018 growing season started off cool and wet followed by slightly warmer than average summer temperatures. Early September rain helped give the vines a sip of water to recharge just before harvest.

TASTING NOTES

Juicy plum with mouth-watering savory steak notes on the nose, accentuate chocolate covered cherry and earthiness on the palate. Spiced red fruit compote lingers with flavors of applewood and wild raspberry to create an elegant ending.

ALCOHOL	BRIX	HARVESTED	TA	PH	AGING	CASES
14.7%	23.5	Sept 25 – Oct 6, 2018	5.1 g/L	3.54	10 months in 38% new French Oak	364

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91 Points – Josh Reynolds, *Vinous*, August 2020