



2014 Rosé of Pinot Noir Bucher Vineyard – Russian River Valley Sonoma County

Vineyard: Located in the heart of the Russian River Valley, Bucher Vineyard was founded in 1997 by John Bucher for Bucher Farms. After graduating from UC Davis, John returned to Healdsburg to manage the family dairy farm and soon diversified into wine grapes. Additional plantings followed in 1998, 1999, 2006, 2008, and 2009. The 35 acres of land, with 14 blocks of wine grapes, are owned by John and his parents, and farmed by John for Bucher Farms. The Pinot Noir blocks are comprised of several clones, as well as various rootstock.

Vintage Notes: Our 2014 Rose of Pinot Noir comes from fruit harvested from the North L Block. We selected this block for the delicious aromas and flavors produced by the Dijon 777 clone planted here. There is also a small amount sourced from Swan and Pommard to round out the flavor profile.

Tasting Notes: Shimmering hues of rich coral unveil a youthful bouquet of wild strawberry, zesty citrus, and dried rose petals. Vibrant flavors of wild strawberry, pomegranate, and lush cherry remain throughout the lingering, tangy, and refreshing finish.

Composition	100% Pinot Noir
Vintage	2014
Appellation	Russian River Valley
Vineyard Designation	Bucher Vineyard
Block / Clones	North L/777 Saddle/Swan Tory's Block/Pommard
Harvest Date	August 18, 2014
Brix	24.1° (average)
Barrel Aging	5 months in neutral oak
Bottling Date	Jan. 22, 2015
Alcohol	13.5%
pH	3.3
T.A.	.079g/100mL
Release Date	March 1, 2015
Production	185 cases

