

# TWOMEY

# 2016 LAST STOP PINOT NOIR

RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY

#### **TASTING NOTES**

# **APPEARANCE**

Bright garnet red

AROMAS Raspberry, plum, strawberry, honeysuckle, apricot, floral and cola

PALATE Deep plum, strawberry and a hint of apricot with floral honeysuckle

FINISH Powerful and lasting

MOUTHFEEL Fruity entry with mature, smooth tannins that coat the entire palate

AGEABILITY This wine has great ageability and will be thoroughly enjoyable for 10 years or more

### **PAIRINGS**

Asparagus topped with sautéed leeks, bacon and mushrooms

#### VINEYARD DESCRIPTION

2016 began with replenishing rains that helped fill our reservoirs and saturate our soils, abating by the end of March. Budbreak at the end of March was followed by a promising flowering, indicating larger than average yields. The summer months were warm but as fall approached, temperatures cooled. Fruit matured throughout this ideal harvest season and maintained fresh acidity that carries the wine. Harvest began on August 18 and quickly wrapped up two weeks later.

# HARVEST DATES

August 18-September 2, 2016

ALCOHOL 13.9%

**AVERAGE BRIX 23.7°** 

# **BARREL AGING**

18 months in barrel; 11 months on primary lees

#### **BARRELS**

100% French Oak; 35% New

WHOLE CLUSTER 33%

# RELEASE DATE

February 2019