



MISSION HILL

FAMILY ESTATE

LEGACY COLLECTION 2019 PROSPECTUS

The Ultimate Expression of the Okanagan Valley.

Prospectus, from the Latin word ‘prospicere’ – to look forward. For us, it represents our vision to create a Pinot Noir unlike any other in the Okanagan Valley. Thin skinned and ever so delicate, this Pinot Noir required constant care and attention in the vineyard.

VINTAGE REPORT

The 2019 growing season began with near perfect seasonal conditions followed by a fall and winter of cold extremes. The spring conditions carried through to the summer, with the consistently warm weather encouraging healthy vine growth, even flowering and an even fruit set. The ripening (veraison) period and harvest was not without challenge with unseasonal rainfall throughout the month of September and then a very cool to cold October. These challenges were navigated expertly by our viticultural and winemaking teams and, as a result, we were able to see fruit reach ideal ripeness. Crops were lower than average, allowing for flavor development and natural acid retention with balanced sugar accumulation in the berries. Our 2019 harvest concluded on October 29, marking a short, but beautiful vintage in the Okanagan, producing wines expressive of the region and the season.

FLAVOUR PROFILE

Our 2019 Prospectus is distinctively Pinot Noir, with a core of dark cherry fruit and earthy undertones. This wine is concentrated and complex with fine tannins and a persistent finish.

VARIETALS | 100% Pinot Noir

ESTATE | Fritzzi’s vineyard (34%), Simes vineyard (30%), Crawford (23%) and Dehart vineyard (13%)

FERMENTATION | Fermented in concrete and stainless steel tanks

MATURATION | 16 months in 100% French oak

CELLARING | Optimal until 2025

ABV | 13.3% **TA** | 6.4 g/L **PH** | 3.49



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