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2023 "Lancelot" Pinot Noir

Pisoni Vineyard, Santa Lucia Highlands



From granitic soils on the southern end of the Santa Lucia Highlands, the 2023 Pinot Noir Lancelot Pisoni Vineyard was aged 18 months in 50% new French oak. Deep ruby-hued and semi-opaque, it offers darker berries, crushed stone, graphite, and sappy floral nuances. Medium to full-bodied, it has a focused, structured mouthfeel, ripe tannins, and a great finish. This 2023 will benefit from a year or two of bottle age and cruise over the following decade. Drink 2027-2037. **-97pts Jeb Dunnuck**

Vinification: 10% Whole cluster. Aged 18 months in 50% new French oak. Bottled unfiltered & unfiltered.

Clones: Pisoni

Soil: Granite & quartz

Alc: 14.4%

pH: 3.58

TA: 6.0

Cases Produced: 200