igh up on a hill overlooking Sebastopol, Jenkins Vineyard benefits from the cooling effect of the nearby Pacific Ocean. At the same time, it is high enough in altitude to sit above some of the fog that rolls in around mid-afternoon each day. Planted amid Gravenstein apple trees, Jenkin's features Pinot Noir clones 116, 777 and 667.

After a long 2019 growing season, Pinot Noir fruit from the Jenkins Vineyard was picked on Setpember 25th early in the morning, cold soaked for five days, and placed in two open-top tanks for 21–23 days. The wine was aged for 11 months in 100% French oak barrels, 35% of which were new.

This impressive Pinot Noirs exude all of the iconic characteristics of Russian River Valley Pinot Noir: Rainier cherries and cacao, with secondary aromatics of dried roses. The 2019 Jenkins Vineyard Pinot Noir is an excellent example of this striking terroir and always charms us with its ethereal aromas and gorgeous mouthfeel.

soil: Goldridge

ALCOHOL: 14.4%

рн: 3.55

cooperage: 100% French Oak, 33% new

PRODUCTION: 200 cases produced

APPELLATION: Russian River Valley

VARIETAL: 100% Pinot Noir

CLONES: 116, 667 and 777

CLIMATE: Consistent morning fog, cool overnight tempteratures

PLANTED: 1999

YIELD: 3.0 tons per acre

CELLAR RECOMMENDATION: Enjoy this wine through 2029.

2019 Jenkins Vineyard Pinot Noir

