

KOSTA BROWNE SINGLE VINEYARD SERIES

2017 Rosella's Vineyard Pinot Noir

Rolling benchland vineyards set amongst lemon groves

VINEYARD DETAILS

Vineyard	Rosella's Vineyard
Clones	Pisoni, 828
Orientation	North/South
Trellising	Uni-lateral cordon
Soil	Glacial alluvial

TECHNICAL DETAILS

Fermentation	55% Wood open tops / 40% Concrete open tops
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Oak	41% New French Oak for 19 months
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Alcohol	14.7%
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pH	3.59
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TA	5.8 g/L
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TASTING NOTES

Nose: Mesmerizing notes of wild strawberry with hints of blood orange and watermelon rind.

Palate: Shimmering red fruit with underlying poise and depth.

FACTS OF NOTE

VINEYARD	AGING	FRUIT
Named for Gary Franscioni's wife	41% New French Oak	100% Destemmed

In 2017, Mother Nature delivered a concentrated harvest and our talented team worked tirelessly to bring the fruit in at peak quality. These wines are inspired by our desire to capture the essence of many of California's best vineyards for Pinot Noir and Chardonnay. This place-driven focus guides every decision in both vineyard and cellar, and each year we strive to produce exemplary representations of vintage and terroir.

Farmed by legendary winegrower Gary Franscioni and named after his wife, this vineyard experiences a maritime climate with strong winds blown in from Monterey Bay. Foggy mornings with sunny afternoons keep these coastal slopes much cooler than the Salinas Valley just to the east.

We only receive a small portion of this 50-acre vineyard, but the prevailing wine features wild strawberry, prickly pear, blood orange and watermelon rind. An exciting Pinot Noir, with exotic spice traits and strong cellaring potential.

