

Drew Family Vineyards

**PINOT NOIR 2005
ASHLEY'S VINEYARD
STA. RITA HILLS**

This is a beautiful vineyard site high above the valley floor, which sits on the western edge of the Santa Rita Hills a few miles from the ocean on a wind swept western slope.

Harvest Data	Finished Wine
Vineyard: 100% Arita Hills	Ph: 3.64
Harvest date: September 22, 2005	TA: 6.8 g/L
Sugars: 25.5 degrees brix	Alcohol: 14.5% by vol.
Ph: 3.53	Bottling date: August 2006
TA: 7.8 grams/liter	Release Date: October, 2006
Oak: 100% French Oak for 11 months	Suggested Retail: \$40/bottle
30% New French	Number of cases: 200 cases
70 % Seasoned French Oak	
Other: 3% Whole cluster fermentation, 2 day cold soak, 100% Native fermentation, Un-fined and un-filtered	

Vineyard Technical Notes

T/Acre:	2.1 tons per acre
Variety:	Pinot Noir
Block:	B-10
Clone:	115
Rootstock:	1103-P
Planted:	1998
Spacing:	8 x 5 (high density) (1340 vines/acre)
Trellis:	Vertical Shoot Position
Pruning:	Spur pruned
Orientation:	Rows run NW-SE
Slope:	Gentle
Aspect:	West
Soil:	Dark silty clay loam over limestone ; 2-3 feet deep

Magenta color. Medium-full body. Scents of spicy bing cherries and blackberries, wild candied red fruits, floral notes with a hint of minerality and a nice touch of oak toast. The palate is complex and elegant with a wonderful combination of plush tannins and firm acidity on the finish with varietal undertones of rose petals and hint of minerality and sweet earth.