

LEMELSON

VINEYARDS

2018 STERMER VINEYARD PINOT NOIR

VINIFICATION

PINOT NOIR CLONES:

45% Pommard, 40% Wadenswil and 15% Dijon Clone 777

HARVEST DATES:

October 3rd, 2019

FERMENTATION NOTES:

100% destemmed fruit with a high proportion of whole berries.
30+ days on skins.

AGING:

15 months in 50% new and 50% previously filled
French oak barrels

ALCOHOL:

13.2% alc./vol.

YEASTS:

Indigenous

OTHER:

Unfined & Unfiltered



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WILLAMETTE VALLEY - 6/750ML

WINEMAKER'S NOTES:

Planted across from the winery in the Yamhill-Carlton AVA, Stermer Vineyard has been farmed organically since being planted in 1997. With Willakenzie marine sedimentary soils composed of a thin layer of silty-clay loam atop sandstone, the wines from this site are often full-bodied with prominent cherry, spice and earth notes. The nose of the 2018 Stermer displays Italian plum and black cherry fruit accented by notes of lavender, anise and peppercorn spice. The palate is medium bodied, textured and round. The finish is long and marked by sweet fruit and milk chocolate flavors.

ACCOLADES:

93 - VINOUS

93 - JAMES SUCKLING

92 - WINE SPECTATOR

