



# DOMAIN ROAD *vineyard*

## Paradise Pinot Noir 2014

Hidden in the folds of an historic gold mining valley at Bannockburn in Central Otago, the privately owned Domain Road Vineyard produces award winning Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Riesling, Pinot Gris and Sauvignon Blanc wines.

A grape-loving micro-climate combined with a mix of soil types, including high quality loam, schist gravels, and 'pipe clay' plus traditional hands-on viticulture yield wines of the finest quality.

## The Wine

Our Paradise Pinot Noir is a reserve wine made to reflect the best of the vintage. Only 900 bottles are produced from barrel selections which are carefully aged before release.

The fruit was carefully hand harvested on the 8th & 9th April 2014, and was destemmed into a stainless steel tank and left to cold soak before fermenting. The Paradise Reserve portion of this wine was a barrel selection and was aged in three French oak barriques for 13 months, of which a third was new oak.

Our 2014 Paradise Pinot Noir is medium purple with purple hues. The wine has fragrant aromas of dark cherry, violets and potpourri on the nose with hints of mushroom and cedar. Sweet black cherry and plum flavours show on the palate with savoury notes of leather and spice. A rich, concentrated wine with dense fine grained tannins and a long, lingering finish.

Variety	100% Pinot Noir
Appellation	Central Otago
Sub Region	Bannockburn
Vineyard	Domain Road
pH	3.65
Harvested	8 & 9 April 2014
TA	5.5g/L
Alcohol	13.5%

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