



2018 Fleur de Lis
White Pinot Noir
Elkton OR AVA

Production:	388 cases
Alcohol:	13.7% ABV
Total Acidity:	7.9g/L
pH:	3.35

The growing season started with a warm spring, followed by a cool early summer and ending with a warmer September. Harvest occurred on October 12, when we brought the fruit into the winery very cold in the early morning, and whole cluster pressed this lot for our white pinot noir. We settle the juice and then rack into a mix of older neutral French oak barrels and the large format puncheons for fermentation. In 2018 one of the puncheons was new French oak. The wine is aged on the yeast lees, sur lies aging and we feel that this plus the small percentage of new French oak adds a pleasing spice component and enhances the mouthfeel.

The wine is a golden straw color. The aromas have stone fruit notes, white pear, with some Rainier cherry, wild herbs, jasmine and fragrant honeysuckle. These fruit flavors are apparent on tasting with a nice savory crispness helping to round out the white fruit flavors. The wine is fairly big and round in the mouth

We recently paired this wine with pan seared scallops with a wine and lemon reduction. It would also work well grilled fish or chicken. It is rich enough to stand up to sautéed preparations in a rich creamy sauce.



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