



Spring 2022

Dear Siduri Wine Club Members,

I hope this letter finds you healthy and happy – and thirsty!

We are thrilled to have a fantastic vintage in barrel after the 2021 growing season. The 2021 vintage was certainly dry, which limited canopy size as well as berry size. The limited berry size promoted intense color and flavor in the resulting wines. The vintage also moved relatively quickly, with a fast and furious harvest in Northern California being nearly wrapped up before we moved to the cooler Central Coast and Willamette Valley.

As we look ahead towards the 2022 growing season here in West Coast Pinot Noir Country, we are thankful to have received quite a bit of rain during our typical wet season, but are certainly hoping for more. The vines were certainly stressed over the dry vintage of 2021 and the welcome rain replenishes the vines, and allows them access to nutrients in the soil for the next season. The dormant vineyards and slower days of the winter season always provide a chance for reflection and a chance to revisit past vintages.

The 2019s in this club shipment are in a fantastic drinking window right now and I could hardly wait to finally release them! They are a collection of our personal favorites, and it would be wonderful to share them with you at our tasting lounge in Healdsburg. It's a great place to spin some records, sip some Siduri wines, and reconnect after an unpredictable last couple of years. As always, we are so grateful for your support and look forward to seeing you soon.

Cheers!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matt Revelette".

Matt Revelette and everyone at SIDURI



Spring Release Tasting Notes

2019 ROSELLA'S VINEYARD PINOT NOIR SANTA LUCIA HIGHLANDS

We purchase 4 different clones from the Rosella's Vineyard and each wine is interesting within themselves but not quite complete. It is only when blending them together that the picture becomes clear, and we can come up with a compelling Rosella's Vineyard Pinot Noir. This is undoubtedly why we often spend more time blending the Rosella's Pinot Noir than any other Siduri wine. Highlighted by textural notes of silky tannins and lively acidity, the 2019 Rosella's Vineyard Pinot Noir shows loads of blue and red fruit and hints of sage and earth. Moderately warm harvest weather allowed the fruit to be picked at an even pace, showing fantastic freshness and depth.

Retail	Club Babylon	Founders Club
\$70	\$56	\$49

2019 GRAN MORAINÉ VINEYARD PINOT NOIR WILLAMETTE VALLEY

A relatively mild, early winter in 2018 was followed by a cold and wet second half of winter in 2019 and then a wet, but warm, spring. Overall, the growing season was free of heat spikes and the flavors from 2019 are bright, with soft tannins and refreshing acid. From a gorgeous hillside site in the Yamhill-Carlton district of the Willamette Valley, the 2019 Gran Moraine Vineyard Pinot Noir shows dark cherry, crushed rock and sandalwood notes that are interwoven beautifully.

Retail	Club Babylon	Founders Club
\$70	\$56	\$49

2019 VAN DER KAMP VINEYARD PINOT NOIR SONOMA MOUNTAIN

The Van der Kamp Vineyard has been in our vineyard portfolio since 1996, making it one of our longest standing sources. On the Western side of Sonoma Mountain, the vines are directly in the line of the fog and winds coming in off the Pacific Ocean and in through the Petaluma Gap. This allows our average harvest dates at Van der Kamp to be virtually the same as those on the Sonoma Coast. As always, the 2019 Van der Kamp is amongst the most distinctive, with a wet stone and pine resin character, along with blueberry compote and a slight hint of black tea. The 2019 vintage shows immense freshness balanced by concentration and backbone.

Retail	Club Babylon	Founders Club
\$60	\$48	\$42

2019 J. SEBASTIANO VINEYARD PINOT NOIR STA. RITA HILLS

The John Sebastiano Vineyard runs along the eastern edge of the Sta. Rita Hills appellation and, as such, it is in a warmer part of the valley. However, it is also situated on steep slopes that face directly west and into the winds that blow in off the Pacific Ocean. This leads to very small clusters and small berries and more concentrated wines. The 2019 growing season had its signature long hang-time on the vine that makes Santa Rita Hills Pinot Noir shine. A dry winter and warmer than average summer propelled the typically long and leisurely growing season in the Santa Rita Hills, producing a wine with aromas of fig and cardamom leading to an earthy palate resembling graphite and crushed rock.

Retail	Club Babylon	Founders Club
\$65	\$52	\$45.50

2016 LA ENCANTADA VINEYARD PINOT NOIR STA. RITA HILLS

The 2016 La Encantada Vineyard Pinot Noir comes from a vineyard on the western side of the Sta. Rita Hills AVA. Located seven miles from the Pacific Ocean, the La Encantada Vineyard sits at just about 450 feet elevation and is planted to some of the most sought-after Pinot Noir grapes in the appellation. The 2016 La Encantada was harvested from 4 different blocks and is a blend of three different Pinot Noir clones: 667, Pommard, and 777. Each of these clones from the four blocks of the La Encantada Vineyard are blended at various percentages to create a compelling Pinot Noir. The aromas present a fresh mix of red and black cherry, clay, smoked salt, black plum, thyme, and pine resin. Bright, fresh acid hits up front with hints of savory spice and pink peppercorns accompanying red cherry and cranberry flavors. Light tannin structure leads into a high-acid finish.

Retail	Club Babylon	Founders Club
\$60	\$48	\$42