## KAHURANGI ESTATE

# **NELSON PINOT NOIR**



## 2022 Harvest

#### HARVEST DATE 12 March & 25 March 2022

Harvest 2022 threw just about everything at us to challenge even the most seasoned grower. From a cool, damp flowering period, beautiful hot January followed by super wet February, huge disease pressure all round, etc. Fortunately from the beginning of March onwards, the fine weather returned and stayed. While yields were down on average, the fruit that was harvested was in the main very good and we're looking forward to some great wine.

## **VINEYARD**

Fruit sourced from 3 of our growers in the Nelson region

#### SOIL

Predominantly Moutere clay and stony alluvial soil.

#### FERMENTATION / MATURATION

Initial hand plunging in open fermenters for 4 weeks then maturation in a stainless steel tank on oak staves for several months.

### WINEMAKING ANALYSIS

Alc: 13.0% | RS: < 1 g/L | TA: 6.45 g/L

# **Tasting Notes**

Displaying gentle aromas of plum and cherry, this delightful mid-weight wine reflects the ripe lifted berry fruit flavours of a warm summer combined with subtle spice and soft tannins making for a pleasurable drinking experience.

## SERVING SUGGESTIONS

A delicious wine served with lamb, duck or salmon.

#### **CELLARING RECOMMENDATIONS**

Drink young and fresh through to 2026

# KAHURANGI ESTATE SERIES

Kahurangi Estate is named after the stunning Kahurangi National Park on our doorstep. Kahurangi is a Maori word with a number of translations, two being "treasured possession" and "precious jewel". The Kahurangi Estate Series showcases some of the finest wine the region has to offer.



