



## 2014 'Altitude' Pinot Noir Marlborough (Sustainable)

SOILS	A FRAGILE MIX OF CLAY, LOAM OVER GRAVELY SUB SOILS.
ALCOHOL	13.5%
T.A	5.6 G/L
RS	<2 G/L
BRIX	24.0
PH	3.71
HARVEST DATES	22ND MARCH TO 7TH APRIL

## Harvest & Winemakers' notes:

The 'Altitude' Pinot Noir is the pinnacle of the Two Rivers range. Only 10 very special barrels (coopers: Ana Selection, Sylvain, Mercurey) were classed superior enough to make the 'Altitude' blend. 80% of the fruit was from Ward, the southern most village in the Awatere Valley (Francis vineyard) with clay rich soils. The remainder of the fruit was from the Wairau Valley (Rive Vineyard). This wine offers an insight into the Two Rivers' philosophy of being at the forefront of super premium winemaking with a dedication to finding the extremely unique and special micro climates hidden deep in the valleys of this world famous winegrowing region.

David Clouston & Ashley Holland -Winemakers

## Tasting notes:

Colour: dark ruby/purple

Bouquet: Deep and layered vanilla bean, toasty aromas, mingled with violet and

boysenberry.

Palate: A rich, full-bodied pinot noir, bursting with succulent boysenberry and blue fruit. The wine was aged in 40% new oak, giving smoky, savoury flavours.