

Dragonette

FIDDLESTIX VINEYARD PINOT NOIR A.V.A. Santa Rita Hills

We seek to identify exceptional vineyard sites and farming partners in order to source and grow the finest fruit in Santa Barbara. Vineyard blocks are individually managed for appropriate canopy, proper yield, and ideal pick date. We then shepherd this fruit into wine with our own hands. Wines are barreled and aged on their lees until they reach their full potential. The goal is wines of complexity, balance, and textual purity that are also true to both vintage and place.

We bottle single vineyard wines when wines from a particular vineyard express a unique character or sense of "place" and yet are complete wines of balance, harmony, and interest.



COUNTRY

USA

VARIETAL

100% Pinot Noir

SOIL TYPE

Sandy and clay loam, Monterey shale, and Botella with some chert.

VINEYARD

Heart of the cool, foggy 20 y/o 2.6 - 3.8 tons per acre yield

HARVEST

Manual harvest Sorting in the field

VINIFICATION

1.5 Ton open top fermenters 77% destemmed 23% Whole Cluster 2–3 day cold soak Native yeasts & MLF 19 months aging on the lees 100% French oak (27% new) 500 cases

TASTING NOTES

Dark red fruits, with dried and fresh meat notes and great minerals. Rich flavors of blueberries and blackberries seasoned with spices, herbs and white pepper.

CERTIFICATION

