

ESTABLISHED
1896

FOPPIANO

VINEYARDS



ESTATE
PINOT NOIR
RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY
v. 2023

VINEYARDS

Built on an immense legacy and good-old-fashioned hard work, Foppiano has been producing wine since the estate was founded in 1896. Located just south of Healdsburg, the winery sits on 160 acres in the renowned Russian River Valley. Cool morning fog and warm summer days create an ideal microclimate for balanced grape growing. Today, the vineyards are planted with Petite Sirah, Zinfandel, and Sauvignon Blanc on the warmer bench lands, and Pinot Noir and Chardonnay on the cooler blocks adjacent to the Russian River.

WINEMAKING

Our foremost goal is to produce authentic varietal Pinot Noir. In order to achieve this, we harvest at low brix, enhancing the red fruit flavors, while maintaining natural acidity, which results in a wine that is complex, balanced, and ageable. Slow fermentations, and minimal oak, complement the Russian River Valley fruit, lending a delicate balance to the final wine.

TASTING NOTES

With fresh, ripe red fruits, layers of cranberry, cherry fruit and spice with distinct earth notes. Lively on the palate, with silky tannins that give way to a balanced density, with continued layers of forest floor, strawberry preserves, and herbaceous complexity.

HARVEST DATE | September 8th 2023

ALCOHOL | 14.1% | pH 3.42 | TA 6.1 g/L

CELLARING | 30% new French oak

BOTTLED | September 2024

CASES PRODUCED | 4,000