

Creation Reserve Pinot Noir 2011

Gleaming garnet with an inviting bouquet of spice - peppercorn and clove - supplemented by a delicate whiff of dried apricot. Smooth yet complex on the palate: layers of dried fruit mingle with hints of raspberry and piquant spice. A lingering wine with supple tannins to ensure excellent maturation potential. Recommended with veal cordon bleu, smoked salmon tagliatelle or duck, mushroom and lentil salad.

variety : Pinot Noir | 100% Pinot Noir

winery : Creation Wines

winemaker : JC Martin

wine of origin : Walker Bay

analysis : alc : 14.5 % vol rs : 3.7 g/l pH : 3.61 ta : 5.0 g/l

type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Medium **taste :** Fruity **wooded**

pack : Bottle **size :** 0 **closure :** Cork

ageing : Optimum Drinkability: 2012 - 2019

about the harvest: Harvest date: End February 2011

in the cellar : The Reserve is a vineyard selection, traditional skin fermentation and post fermentation maceration, followed by malolactic fermentation in the barrels. Two - three rackings were done during the 14 month maturation period and light filtration preceded bottling.

Barrel ageing: 14 months - 30% new wood, 70% 2nd fill, 3rd fill

Bottling date: End May 2011