

## Blue Velvet Pinot Noir

A beautifully poised Pinot Noir with subtle tannins, a sublime dark cherry and ripe strawberry elegance, and a spicy finish.

Enjoy with sesame-crusted chicken strips served on a bed of crisp salad, cucumber, cherry tomatoes and a honey balsamic dressing

**variety :** Pinot Noir | 100% Pinot Noir

**winery :** Van Loveren Family Vineyards

**winemaker :** Bussell Retief

**wine of origin :** Robertson

**analysis :** alc : 14 % vol   rs : 2.7 g/l   pH : 3.6   ta : 5.3 g/l

**type :** Red

**pack :** Bottle   **size :** 750ml   **closure :** Screwcap

2021 Vitis Vinifera Awards - Double Gold

2021 Ultra Wine Challenge - Gold

2021 Michelangelo Wine Awards - Gold

2019 Gold Wine Awards - Gold

2018 Gold Wine Awards

**ageing :** 2 - 3 years

100% Pinot Nior

**in the vineyard :** Tons per hectare: 8t/ha

Age of vine: 5 years

Soils: Alluvial

Trellising: 5 wire Perold system

Irrigation: Drip Irrigation

Clone: PN115

**about the harvest:** The grapes were picked at 25° Balling

**in the cellar :** The wine fermented slowly in open fermenters and was plunged through regularly. After malolactic fermentation the wine was transferred with gravitation to third and fourth fill 300L French oak barrels for 8 months.



## Van Loveren Family Vineyards

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