



# WAIRAU RIVER

## PINOT NOIR 2007

*Marlborough's Wairau River is Maori for 'many waters', reflecting the intricate braided pattern the river has carved on its path to the Pacific Ocean. It is on these riverbanks that Phil and Chris Rose planted their first vines in 1978, thus starting a tradition of crafting world class wines which continues today. The river pattern also symbolizes the family roots with its interwoven strands moving together in the same direction.*

*Lifted aromas of black cherry and red berries on the nose are framed with savoury oak nuances. The palate is soft and luscious with well defined varietal fruit flavours. The fleshy velvety texture is perfectly supported with ripe fruit tannins. Enjoy with soul food & good times.*

*- Allan McWilliams, Winemaker*

<i>Variety</i>	<i>100% Pinot Noir</i>
<i>pH</i>	<i>3.69</i>
<i>Residual Sugar</i>	<i>&lt;2g/l</i>
<i>TA</i>	<i>5.7</i>
<i>Brix at harvest</i>	<i>24.0</i>
<i>Alcohol</i>	<i>13.1%</i>
<i>Vineyard</i>	<i>Home &amp; Winery Blocks</i>
<i>Vinification</i>	<i>10 months French Oak</i>

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