



# VALLI

VALLI VINEYARDS LIMITED

## Valli Bannockburn Pinot Noir 2018

### Viticulture

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Location:	Hall Road, Bannockburn, Central Otago
Climate:	Semi-Continental
Altitude:	350m
Clones:	777, 115, UCD 5, 10x5, 113, 13
Soils:	Wind-blown Loess over schist bedrock. Deep, moderately sandy, and free-draining.
GDD:	1267
Rainfall:	Approximately 450 mm per Annum
Vine Age:	Planted 2000
Yield:	6 Tonnes / Hectare
Vine Density:	3,500 / Hectare
Trellis System:	VSP

### Winemaking

Harvest Date:	20, 27, 29 <sup>th</sup> March 2018
Brix:	23.7
Whole Bunch:	30%
Peak Fermentation Temp:	33°C
Cuvaison:	23 Days
Oak Percentages:	New 30%
Time in Barrel:	11 Months
Coopers Used:	Ana Selection, Sylvain, Billon
Fining:	None
Filtering:	None
Alcohol:	13.5%
Total Bottles Produced:	8,675

### Tasting Note

*This incredibly fragrant and elegant wine is from our cooler site in Bannockburn in a warmer growing season resulting in a highly energetic wine with great flow and incredible layers of red and black fruit, baking spice and earth. The aromas are both intriguing and complex: fresh berry, lilac, baking spice and wild thyme. The palate is long and bright with cherry, raspberry, beautiful florals and cardamom. Silky fine tannins compliment the vibrant acidity, giving the wine length and memory. This wine is drinking beautifully at release and will continue to do so for at least a decade.*

