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VALLI PINOT NOIR CENTRAL OTAGO GIBBSTON VINEYARD 2018 🖈

Country Region

Vintage

New Zealand Central Otago

2018

Score

93

Plenty of fresh red cherries and there's a very rich, supple and fleshy feel to this wine, a shining example from the warmer, 2018 season. It offers such ample, fleshy, red and dark cherries, in a sweeping wrap of plush tannins. Succulent and juicy finish. Drink or hold. Screw cap.

VALLI PINOT NOIR CENTRAL OTAGO BANNOCKBURN VINEYARD 2018 ★

Country Region

Vintage

New Zealand Central Otago

2018

Score

93

The rich and fleshy red plums here are irresistible, as are the aromas of ripe red cherries and raspberries with a perfumed, grassy and spicy edge. This has such appealing and succulent style that it will be really hard not to drink now. Screw cap.

VALLI PINOT NOIR CENTRAL OTAGO BENDIGO VINEYARD 2018 *

Country Region

Vintage

New Zealand Central Otago

2018

Score

94

Aromas of violet flowers, spiced plums and blueberries with background, spiced wood, leading to a palate that has a very fleshy, succulent and zesty core of ripe dark cherries, fine tannin and a plush, supple finish. Drink now. Screw cap.

VALLI PINOT NOIR CENTRAL OTAGO WAITAKI VINEYARD 2018 🖈

Country Region

Vintage

New Zealand Central Otago

2018

Score

96

This cooler area, in a warmer vintage, has worked a treat with this taut, focused and compact pinot. Fresh red cherries and sappy allure on the nose, moving to a palate that has almost chalky, compact tannins and a very succulent and detailed, fresh finish. Drink or hold. Screw cap.

VALLI PINOT GRIS CENTRAL OTAGO GIBBSTON VINEYARD 2018 🖈

Country Region Vintage

New Zealand Central Otago

2018

Score

91

Very attractive, fresh apples and peaches with poached pears and oranges on the palate. Bold, fleshy and juicy style here. Drink now. Screw cap.

