



## Valli Bendigo Vineyard Pinot Noir 2015

### Viticulture

Location:	Chinaman's Terrace, Bendigo, Central Otago
Climate:	Semi-Continental
Clones:	Dijon 667, 777, 115; Abel, 5
Soils:	Soils derived from schist and wind blown loess over deep, free draining gravels on elevated terraces
GDD:	1150
Rainfall:	Approximately 450mm per Annum
Vine Age:	Planted 2006
Yield:	5.2 Tonnes / Hectare
Vine Density:	3800 / Hectare
Trellis System:	VSP

### Winemaking

Harvest Date:	10 April 2015
Brix:	24.3
Whole Bunch:	38%
Peak Fermentation Temp:	30°C
Cuvaison:	26 Days
Oak Percentage:	35% New
Time in Barrel:	11.5 Months
Coopers Used:	Ana Selection, Sylvain, Mercurey
Fining:	None
Filtering:	None
Alcohol:	14%
Total Bottles Produced:	4,060

### Tasting Note

*"Brilliant purple/garnet hue with aromas of crushed raspberry, boysenberry, mulberry and vanilla. Richly concentrated on the palate with creamy, fine tannins that build in the mouth. Lifted fresh berry flavours and juicy acidity give the wine vibrance that marries beautifully with its prominent frame. A powerful pinot noir that exudes modern charm but at its core remains a classic. Fresh and inviting in its youth, the underlying structure will also reward cellaring."*

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