

KOORYONG



Kooyong Estate Pinot Noir 2015 – Reviews

James Halliday Australian Wine Companion 2018

[Ned Goodwin MW](#)

An open, nicely svelte pinot of blood plum, pomelo, raspberry, huckleberry and red cherry sass. Some rhubarb, briar, beef bouillon and root spice confer a savoury tone, mingling with gauzy almost dusty tannins, bright acidity and a dollop of oak, for good measure and focus. A fine estate expression, tempting one into pinot's nether-nether of campfire and autumnal mulch.

93 points

Australian Wine Vintages 2018

[Rob Geddes](#)

Complex, modern Pinot Noir, strawberry scents with an appealing, smokey, stemmy, struck match set of aromas. The palate is delicately long and fine with energy running the fruit down the centre with lingering minerality and strawberry tannins to close.

94 points

Wine Spectator

[Mary Ann Worobiec](#)

Restrained notes of black tea, spice, rose petal and dried cherry are quiet but harmonious, with velvety tannins.

90 points

The Wine Front, 28th January 2018

[Gary Walsh](#)

Interesting to see how Kooyong hold their estate wines back a little. This is spicy, sappy, red fruited, and a little smoky and autumnal. It's medium bodies at best, bright and tangy, with a gentle rasp of tannin, fresh strawberry and rhubarb dusted with pepper, lilting but tart pulling the finish tight, yet pretty long.

93 points

Wine Enthusiast, Cellar Selection

[Joe Czerwinski](#)

The 2015 vintage in Mornington Peninsula yielded dark concentrated wines. This one is atypically (for the estate) full bodied and bold as a result, with plum and black-cherry fruit and hints of mint, sage and bay leaf. Long and a bit drying on the finish, it needs a couple of years to come into balance.

92 points

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Jeremy Oliver, June 2017

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Supple and evenly paced, this charming young pinot reveals a musky perfume of small red cherries, redcurrants, fresh vanilla/cedary oak backed by suggestions of dried herbs and bacon. It's long and juicy, with a lingering core of intense fruit and savoury oak underpinned by pliant tannins of genuine firmness and structure, finishing with a soft, mouthwatering acidity.

93 points