



Port Phillip Estate Red Hill Pinot Noir 2021 – Reviews

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Grown on a vineyard planted at Red Hill on the Mornington Peninsula in 1987. You'd be happy with this. It's a pure pinot noir, red-fruited and lively, cherries let's say, with a light attachment of cedarwood oak. It has pinot noir's friskiness and feels light with it, but it has enough substance to elevate it beyond that. And on top, or within, there are autumnal notes – leaves, twigs and cloves – which team well with smokiness of the oak and indeed with the gently earthen undercurrent of the fruit. We are in lovely territory, already, and it should blossom further from here.

93+ points