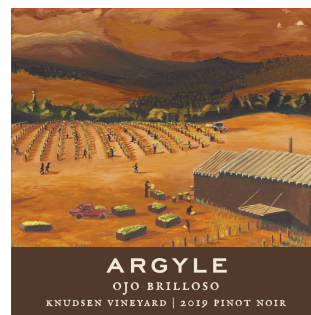


ARGYLE

Knudsen Vineyard Ojo Brilloso Dundee Hills AVA | 2019



3 BARRELS PRODUCED

TASTING NOTES

Managed and selected by Jose Sanchez, this parcel of Pommard clone Pinot Noir was planted in 2008 and sits in the upper reaches of the vineyard at 850 feet. Beautifully leafed and well-positioned, this wine shows the density and elegant structure of the 2019 vintage: violets, raspberry, and spiced cinnamon are highlighted by the deep volcanic Jory soils of the Dundee Hills.

VINTAGE NOTES

The 2019 growing season began with a cold and wet winter followed by wet and warm spring, leading to a late April bud break. The early June bloom was dry and sunny, with a touch of rain affecting the later ripening Spirit Hill Vineyard in the cool, windy Eola-Amity Hills. Some late June and early July precipitation created a small amount of disease pressure, while the rest of the summer was quite moderate, with fewer heat spikes than we've seen the last number of summers. September brought with it a significant cool down and a series of scattered rain showers, making harvest much more old-school Oregon, dancing with the whims of Mother Nature. A more classically spread out harvest, we started with Pinot Noir in the Dundee Hills on September 4th and finished with Pinot Noir in the upper elevations of the Eola-Amity Hills at Spirit Hill Vineyard on October 16th.

ABV 13.8%

WINE MAKER Nate Klostermann

HARVESTED September 14th, 2019

COMPOSITION 100% Pinot Noir

pH 3.66

TA 5.3 g/L

BRIX AT HARVEST 21.8

OAK 16 Months French Oak, 33% New
66% Whole Cluster

VINEYARD Knudsen Vineyard

BLOCK 6

LOCATION Dundee Hills

ELEVATION 850 ft

