

# Cherry Cove Pinot Noir 2020

*Coleman*  
VINEYARDS



## TASTING NOTES

Cherry Cove is a fine Oregon Pinot Noir, approachable and friendly drinking, but rising to the intelligence of the wine consumer who wants to experience the originality and personality unique to each Oregon vintage.

A concentration of dark, brambly berries and juicy watermelon Jolly Rancher are complemented by balanced, silky tannins. Recommended pairings: braised short ribs, mole negro (more sweet than heat), Peking duck, or char-grilled carrots.

## ABOUT US

Initially planted in 1991, Coleman Vineyard family estate winery is located in the McMinnville AVA Coast Range foothills of the Willamette Valley.

## VINEYARD INFORMATION

Coleman Vineyard is located in the McMinnville foothills of Yamhill County in the Willamette Valley. The vineyard is close to the Van Duzer corridor, an opening through the Coast Range mountains to the Oregon coast, providing hot summer days with afternoon winds cooling the evening temperatures significantly. We believe this temperature variation, along with the volcanic soils, contribute to the phenolic characteristics and brightness of the wine, providing a structure for aging and signature dark cherry and spice flavors with intense color. Because of these unique influences, the coastal foothills of McMinnville has been approved for AVA status, and the area is known as the McMinnville AVA. The area is 40 million years old, formed from oceanic volcanic uprisings followed by deposits of lava from the Cascade Mountain volcanic eruptions known as 'basalt tufts'.

## SOIL

Jory, Yamhill and Peavine, with volcanic basalt, marine sedimentary silt and clay loams.

## FOOD PAIRING

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## ASSISTANT WINEMAKER

Krystal Goodman

AVA	McMinnville	BOTTLE SIZE	75cl
PRIMARY VARIETY	Pinot Noir	CLOSURE	Screw top
ELEVATION	300-550'		
VINEYARD AGE	20 - 30 years		

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