



**2019 Bonaccorsi
Fiddlestix Pinot Noir**

VITICULTURE:

Appellation: Sta. Rita Hills AVA
Varietal: 100% Pinot Noir
Clone: Pommard
Vineyard: Fiddlestix (Sustainable certified)

WINEMAKING:

Oak: 20 months, neutral Francois Freres
Fining: No fining or filtering
Alcohol: 14.5%
Cases: 125

TASTING NOTES:

Peter Palmer: 2019 Bonaccorsi pinot noir, Fiddlestix Vineyard, Sta. Rita Hills

Gorgeous pinot noir, from start to finish. Bright and clear, almost brilliant, medium ruby with a hint of pink at the rim. Attractive floral and red fruited nose. Smells and tastes complex, every sniff and sip revealing something else: intense raspberry, white pepper, watermelon, green tea, red licorice, kumquat, button mushrooms. An almost ethereal weight in the mouth; very lively and bright and beautifully textured, with a hard candy essence to some of the fruit, and a saline minerality toward the firm, tight finish. So attractive right now, but I want to see how this one ages as well.