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Pinot Noir 2022



Bistué Cellars was born out of passion for exploring different wine regions and creating cool and remarkable wines. It all started in 2014 as a fun side project by winemaker Carolina Bistué and her family, but soon became a core part of the Bistué's Wine Bridge portfolio. After earning her Masters in Viticulture and Enology at UC Davis, Carolina Bistué worked at La Perla del Priorat in D.O.Q. Priorat, Spain and at Paul Hobbs' Viña Cobos in Mendoza, Argentina. Carolina believes in minimal-intervention winemaking and that great wines start in the vineyard. The care of the vines should focus on allowing them to express their terroir.

Vineyard: Located on a hilltop at 400ft in the west part of Russian River Valley, right outside Green Valley AVA, about 10 miles from the Pacific Ocean. The maritime cool climate helps the vines develop a fantastic level of acidity.

Tasting notes: Lively aromas and flavors of red cherries, raspberry and strawberries, with mild notes of Rhubarb and forest floor. Vibrant acidity with smooth but well-structured tannins. Complex and balanced, with a medium-full body and a lingering finish.

Winemaker: Carolina Bistué

Appellation: Russian River Valley

Grapes: 100% Pinot Noir

Production: 208cs

Winemaking: Hand-picked grapes and cluster sorting at the winery. Fermentation in temperature-controlled tanks.

Ageing: 18 months in French oak barrels (15% new, 85% neutral)

pH: 3.68 **RS:** 0 grams per liter **Alc:** 14.1% **UPC:**

Russian River Valley: Known for its unique microclimate, characterized by cool temperatures and frequent fogs. This environment is ideal for cultivating grape varieties such as Pinot Noir and Chardonnay, as it leads to slow ripening of the grapes, allowing for a greater development of flavor and aroma.

Other Wines Available:

BISTUE Chardonnay

BLACKSWIFT Red

BLACK BADGER Red

