

# NICOLAS-JAY ESTATE 2022 Vintage Fall Collection Release

#### **HARVEST**

Pinot Noir shows classic, cool-climate aromatics reminiscent of vintages long ago. A delicate and ethereal structure shows elegance on the front end, but a generous complexity develops in the midpalate with waves of citrus fruit acidity intermingling with a dark blackberry liqueur and minerality essence. Lifted and upright from start to finish with an unrelenting precision and energy throughout. Chardonnay aromatics are stunning, with river stone chalkiness, grilled peach and pineapple acidity freshness. Medium+ density intertwined with orchard fruits, minerality and toasted grain that make it almost impossible not to parallel these wines with the southern climats of Côte de Beaune.



Be relentless in producing small quantities of age worthy and collectible wines by farming only the highest quality vineyards | Be unwavering in the commitment to low-intervention, holistic and sustainable farming practices | Production levels will be managed to meet a quality expectation, not to meet a demand | Be ardent stewards of terroir purity and vintage expression and bottle authentic wines with fine-grained tannins and complex textures | Produce wines of persistence and balance, with naturally high micro-biome counts that bear weight, but without heaviness | Accept that this product range will experience varying degrees of scarcity in availability

### The Nicolas-Jay Estate is Proud to Release These Fall Collection Wines to You [Availability subject to assigned allocations]



# Single Vineyard

#### 2022 BISHOP CREEK VINEYARD (ESTATE)

PINOT NOIR YAMHILL-CARLTON Planted 1988 | Ungrafted Rootstock Pommard | 777 | 667 | Wädenswil Marine Sedimentary (Willakenzie) 50% new French oak, 15 months 98 Points | International Wine Report

97 Points | Jeb Dunnuck

95 Points | Decanter



# Single Vineyard

2022 Spirit Hill Vineyard CHARDONNAY EOLA-AMITY Planted 1999 | 1,000 elevation 95 | 76 | 540 Basaltic clay/loams, Jory, Nekia, Gelderman

25% new French oak, 13 months

95 Points | Decanter 95 Points | International Wine Report

94 Points | Jeb Dunnuck

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#### Cuvée

#### 2022 L'Ensemble Pinot Noir Willamette Valley

Eola-Amity | Dundee Hills | Yamhill-Carlton Tualatin Hills | Vine age up to 47 years | The most textured blocks and barrels of the vintage 35% new French oak, 14 months 96 Points | International Wine Report

95 Points | Decanter

94 Points | Jeb Dunnuck



2022 Own-Rooted PINOT NOIR WILLAMETTE VALLEY

100% ungrafted, old-vine rootstock Hyland, McMinnville (1971) | Nysa, Dundee Hills (1990) | Bishop Creek, Yamhill-Carlton (1988)

50% new French oak, 15 months

96 Points | Decanter

95 Points | Wine Enthusiast 95 Points | Jeb Dunnuck

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