

## 2008 Central Coast Pinot Noir



In 2007, Los Alamos Vineyards in Northern Santa Barbara County was the birthplace of our Octavia Pinot Noir. The vineyard gets a nice contrast of subtle cold at night followed by warm Southern California days. Our Pinot Noir flourishes in this environment and develops excellent color and rich flavors. Our winemakers walk each block of the vineyard, selecting the best quality fruit in our vineyards for the blend in High Note bottle.

We ferment our Central Coast Pinot Noir at low temperatures to slow the yeast down as they eat up the grape's sugar. With a slow fermentation in tanks that are as tall as they are wide, we get the best possible extraction of the fruit and maintain the Pinot Noir's complex nose. The wine sees 100% American Oak to add some wood tannins and oak aroma along with rounding out the wine's mouthfeel.

- Grapes picked at 24.9 degrees brix
- Alcohol percentage on the label: 13.5%