



Misha's Vineyard 'The High Note' Pinot Noir 2022



'CLASSIC' status in the NZ Buyer's Guide by Michael Cooper as it's consistently ranked in the forefront of its class.

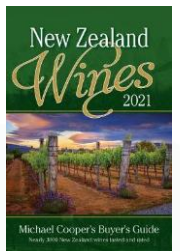
95/100 Outstanding "A delicious wine with a core of complexity and style, reflections of region and site with ripe red berry fruits and a fine savoury quality. Taut and dry, youthful and very stylish on the palate, plenty of red berry flavours, fruit and wood spice textures framed by a firm acid line and youthful mouthfeel. Carefully selected wood and time in barrel leave this wine with longevity as well as early drinking if desired. A salivating palate squeeze and spiced fruit combinations suggest a wine for best drinking form 2028 through 2034+." Nov 2024 **Cameron Douglas MS**, www.camdouglasms.com)

95/100 ★★★★★ "Bright, perfumed aromas of wild raspberries, strawberry puree, citrus peel and pencil shavings. The palate is medium-bodied with finely integrated tannins and vivid acidity, showing cranberry, citrus-peel and cinnamon-bark flavors. Refined, pure and polished. Drink or hold. Screw cap." March 2025 (**James Suckling**)

95/100 ★★★★★ **5 stars** "This is sweetly ripe and fragrant on the nose, showing dark cherry, olive, clove, and toasted nut aromas, leading to a silky-smooth palate offering juicy fruit intensity with spicy nuances. Wonderfully framed by layers of polished tannins, finishing persistent and velvety. At its best: now to 2036." Dec 2024. (**Sam Kim wineorbit.com**)

5 Stars ★★★★★ "Estate-grown at Bendigo, the classy 2022 vintage (5*) of "our main estate Pinot Noir" was hand-harvested and matured in French oak hogsheads (19 per cent new). Bright ruby, it is mouthfilling and silky-textured, with strong, well-ripened cherry, plum, spice and nut flavours, complex and deliciously harmonious. Rich,

savoury and supple, it's already drinking well, but likely to be at its best 2027+." Jan 2025 (**Michael Cooper, Buyer's Guide to New Zealand Wines**)



18.5+/20 ★★★★★ **5 stars** "Moderately deep crimson, even colour throughout. The nose is vibrant and layered with aromas of red berry, black cherry, plum, black olive and spice. Medium-full bodied, aromas of red berry, black cherry and plum entwined with tapenade, liquorice, cinnamon and peppercorn. The succulent fruit possesses savoury layers, supported by enlivening acidity and flow on a filigreed tannin veil. This Pinot Noir is seductive and has elegant layers and texture. Match with Lamb rack and venison loin over the next 5-8 years. Fermented naturally in open-top fermenters with 20% whole bunches, average 26 days on skins, racked into French oak hogsheads (19 % new 300-litre barrels) and aged for 9 months. 14% alc. 18.5+/20 pts (94 pts) Dec 2024 (**Candice Chow, Raymond chanwinereviews.com**)

94/100 ★★★★★ "Subtle, fragrant wine with pepper/spice and dried berry flavours that linger tantalisingly on a lengthy finish. The wine appears to have good bottle development potential although it is certainly accessible now." Dec 2024 (**Bob Campbell MW, The Real Review**)