OSSA Wines
Tasmania

OSSA Pinot Noir Accolades

2023

95 points
RYAN MONTGOMERY, JAMES SUCKLING
“Floral, perfumed and quite expressive, showing aromas of cherries, wild red berries, bark, pomegranate, cranberries and red-apple skin. The midweight palate has firmly framed tannins and a high-tension mouthfeel, finishing with a mineral, almost stony edge. There’s a fine balance of structure and freshness here, built for aging. Delicious. Drink or hold. Screw cap.” (Aug, 2025)

96 points
HUON HOOKE, THE REAL REVIEW
“Deep, bright and very youthful red-purple colour; intense deep dark-cherry/plum aromas, of ripe and concentrated fruit. There is remarkable depth of fruit in this pinot: bold and profound, still quite primary and showing great potential for the future. There's a core of ripe-fruit sweetness and generous fine tannins, and the wine will richly reward a few years in the cellar—although it's also lovely right now.” (Feb, 2025)

95 points
DAVE BROOKES, HALLIDAY WINE COMPANION
“Wild-eyed ruby in the glass with aromas of sour cherry, cranberry and raspberry pip plus a splash of red plum and hints of exotic spice, leaf litter, hoisin, light game notes, crushed rock and leaf litter. A wash of sour cherry and raspberry on the palate, layered with spice and amaro, with fine, chalky tannin support, a taut saline acid drivetrain and a nice lengthy draw on the palate.” $120, Drink - 2034. (Sept, 2024)

96 points - GOLD
ROYAL ADELAIDE WINE SHOW 2025

96 points - GOLD
DECANTER WORLD WINE AWARDS 2025

95 points - GOLD
NATIONAL WINE SHOW OF AUSTRALIA 2025

95 points - GOLD
AUSTRALIAN PINOT NOIR CHALLENGE 2024

95 points - GOLD
MELBOURE ROYAL WINE AWARDS 2024

GOLD
ROYAL HOBART WINE AWARDS 2024

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2022

96 points
HUON HOOKE, THE REAL REVIEW
"Deep, bright red-purple colour, and a similarly bright, fresh and youthful aroma of dark cherry laced with spices and a fresh-herb note that could be from grape stems. The wine is brilliantly fresh and vital in the mouth, with intense black-cherry pinot fruit and a lacework of fine but persuasive tannins, then a long and harmonious carry. A smashing young pinot that drinks superbly now and should age extremely well too." (Dec, 2023)

96 points – GOLD
MELBOURNE ROYAL WINE AWARDS 2023

GOLD
NATIONAL WINE SHOW OF AUSTRALIA 2023

95 points
DAVE BROOKES, HALLIDAY WINE COMPANION
"Bright ruby with a magenta edge. Notes of red and dark cherries, wild strawberries and raspberry coulis cut with hints of undergrowth, fine spice, mountain herbs and wildflowers. A pure flow of plush fruit in the palate entry, plentiful in spice and light gamey notes with a tight, chalky tannin framework and pulsing mineral line. Finishes long, elegant and quite sweetly fruited." (Oct, 2023)

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2021

98 points
HUON HOOKE, THE REAL REVIEW
"Remarkable depth of colour and richness: a crackingly good wine from a vineyard on the East Coast near Swansea. The wine has concentration and fleshy extract giving it real gravitas, lots of weight and richness and ample soft silky tannins, all without any loss of the lovely fragrant pi not aromatics that typify top Tassie pi not." (Mar, 2023)

96 points
DAVE BROOKES, HALLIDAY WINE COMPANION
"Bright crimson magenta in the glass with characters of ripe red and black cherries, raspberry flan, sous bois, layers of spice, pressed flowers, rhubarb, tobacco and light gamey nuance. The initial attack of fruit here is amazing ... seemingly fruit sweet before morphing savoury in a slow fade of complex, fine tannin. This is an absolute pleasure to drink." (Jun, 2023)

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2020

98 points
JAMES HALLIDAY, HALLIDAY WINE COMPANION
"Stunning crimson-magenta colour sets the scene for a perfumed wine of exceptional quality, with ever-changing aromas and flavours encapsulated in an insistent heartbeat of purity. The mouthfeel, length and balance of the red and black cherry fruit underpins a wine that is great now, with spicy complexity just around the corner." (3 Aug, 2022)

96 points
WINNER - 2021 AUSTRALIAN PINOT NOIR CHALLENGE
A new and unknown Tasmanian wine brand, OSSA Wines, has won the 2021 Australian Pi not Noir Trophy at the Australian Pinot Noir Challenge Dinner in Melbourne tonight for their 2020 OSSA Pinot Noir. Judged on November 10, 2021, it was the highest pointed wine of the 230 entries at the Australian Pi not Noir Challenge. It scored 96 points out of 100, making it the top wine of the show and best pi not noir at the challenge. Chief Judge of the Australian Pi not Noir Challenge, David Bicknell said the 2020 OSSA Pi not Noir made an impression on the judges, standing above a really strong class of Tasmanian pinot noir wines.

"It was a remarkable, head turning wine. A bit of a 'wow' moment for the judging panel assessing this class of wines.

"The standard across all the classes was high, even factoring in how tricky 2020 was for several regions," said Bicknell.