

PINOT NOIR

2017 Tarrawarra Estate MDB Limited Release Yarra Valley Pinot Noir This is a powerful dark berry/cherry pinot noir which shows some stem-derived complexity. The palate is delightfully long, supple and silky, and the oak is seamlessly integrated. (\$120.00) ★★★★★

2018 Tolpuddle Vineyard Tasmania Pinot Noir A very fresh pinot in which some whole-bunch complexity enhances the dark cherry fruit. It's a wine of considerable finesse in which the ultra-fine tannins match the persistent, rewarding fruit flavour. (\$80.00) ★★★★★☆
<http://www.randalls.net.au/store/tolpuddle-vineyard-pinot-noir-2018-p-27716.html>

2017 Tarrawarra Reserve Yarra Valley Pinot Noir This is an opulent pinot noir showing dark cherry characteristics with a hint of dried herbs. The palate is of impressive length and the tannins are supremely fine. (\$60.00) ★★★★★☆
<http://www.tarrawarra.com.au/product/2017-Reserve-Pinot-Noir>

2017 Tarrawarra Estate I Block Yarra Valley Pinot Noir A complex pinot noir with attractive herbal notes and dark cherry varietal character. The palate is long and silky. A stylish, impressive wine. (\$45.00) ★★★★★☆
<http://www.tarrawarra.com.au/product/2017-I-Block-Pinot-Noir>

2018 Bell & Gong Tasmania Pinot Noir This is the first wine we've tasted from this Longford-based producer. We're off to a good start. The nose is quite fragrant, offering cherries and rose petals, and the palate is delicate, but long and balanced, with very fine tannins. (\$48.00) ★★★★★

2017 Bell & Gong Tasmania Pinot Noir The cherry aromas have a faint herbal complexity, and the palate, although it needs a little more weight, offers adequate varietal flavour balanced by soft tannins. (\$48.00) ★★★★★

2017 Tarrawarra Estate Yarra Valley Pinot Noir Here's an easy to drink dark cherry style of pinot noir offering good weight of fruit. It's not particularly complex, but that's no problem in an early-drinking style. (\$30.00) ★★★★★

2018 Mount Trio Vineyard Home Block Pinot Noir The cherry aromas are intense and strongly varietal, and carry a hint of dried herbs. Fine tannins provide the framework for a long palate. One of the better Western Australian pinot noirs we've tasted. ★★★★★

2018 Mount Trio Vineyard Great Southern Pinot Noir The cherry/beetroot aromas translate to good fruit weight on the palate. The tannins are pleasantly firm and balanced. (\$22.50) ★★★★★☆

2018 Mount Trio Vineyard Porongurup Pinot Noir A fresh, light strawberry-scented style with soft tannins. Made for early drinking. (\$17.50) ★★★