

TANGO OAKS VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2020

East side of Seneca Lake (Hector)

Soils: minimal clay and loam on shale

Elevation: 725ft

Aspect: west-facing

Year Planted: 2014

Harvest Date: 9/21

Spontaneous fermentation in wooden vat

ALC: 12.5%

Production: 157 cases

TASTING NOTES

red currant, sandalwood, alluring

In its third vintage as a *lieu-dit* (single vineyard), Tango Oaks continues to show us the tender side of Pinot Noir, whereas we have come to know Leidenfrost (Tango's northern neighbor) as a more animalistic representation of the grape. In this manifestation, those that are seduced by the smell of

fresh rainfall in the forest or those that prefer to feel the earth beneath their bare feet will find a kinship with this wine.

Joined together by lightning, the intertwined oaks that delivered Tango its namesake are emblematic of the site's ability to fuse the natural elements growing among the landscape on the farm. Tango is all about harmony, honoring the symbiosis between cultivator and cultivar (farmer and land), an intricate dance of collaboration and poise.

