

## MATCHBOOK WINES

### *Mossback Pinot Noir 2019*

**\$49.41\***

\* Suggested retail price

**MATCHBOOK**  
WINE COMPANY  
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	Product code	38855
	Format	12x750ml
	Listing type	Private Retail - Special Order
	Status	Unavailable
	Type of product	Still wine
	Country	United States
	Regulated designation	American Viticultural Areas (AVA)
	Region	California
	Subregion	Sonoma, Russian River
	Varietal(s)	Pinot Noir 100 %
	Colour	Red
	Sugar	Dry
	Closure type	Cork

#### ABOUT THIS WINERY

Why Matchbook? As a farm kid growing up in the late 1950's and early 1960's John Giguere was a confirmed pyromaniac starting various things on fire such as his father's wheat field. He eventually grew out of this fascination with the "Matchbook" but still have fond memories of its power.

#### TASTING NOTES

The beautiful ruby color of the, 2019 Pinot Noir, in the glass leads to enticing aromas of cherry, chocolate and a hint of leather. The flavors follow through with sweet black cherry, cranberry, cocoa and oak spice. This classic Pinot Noir is plush and full-flavored with a bright finish that cleanses the palate for another sip.

#### PRODUCTION NOTES

The grapes were hand harvested in 1/2-ton bins. Part of the lots were destemmed into small fermenters where the must was chilled to 45°F for 72 hours for its "cold soak" to enhance the pretty berry and cherry aromas. The tanks were allowed to warm naturally and slowly to activate native fermentation. Once started, the tanks were pumped over several times a day to extract all the richness from the skins of the grapes without any bitter or astringent qualities. The remaining lots were destemm...



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