

# BROADBENT SELECTIONS CENTRAL COAST PINOT NOIR



Pinot Noir, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Merlot and Petite Sirah. Bright ruby color. Expressive aromas of red cherry, strawberry and subtle floral and earthy notes. The palate is silky and balanced, showcasing vibrant red fruit, hints of spice and a touch of oak. Soft tannins and fresh acidity lead to a smooth, lingering finish. A refined Central Coast Pinot Noir that highlights varietal purity and regional character—versatile with food or enjoyed on its own. Best paired with roast chicken, grilled salmon or pork tenderloin.

Sourced from the cool, fog-influenced vineyards of Central Coast, California. The grapes were harvested at optimal ripeness, carefully sorted and destemmed. The fermentation was conducted in open-top fermenters, allowing for manual punch-downs and gentle handling to extract color and flavor without over-extracting tannins. This method facilitated a controlled and even fermentation, crucial for developing the wine's elegant profile. Aged in French oak barrels for 10 months. The use of oak was judicious, with a mix of new and seasoned barrels to ensure that the oak flavors complemented rather than dominated the delicate fruit characteristics.

Bartholomew Broadbent, a renowned wine expert and importer since 1996, founded Broadbent Selections to represent family-owned wineries from around the world. In addition to championing these producers, he has created his own line of wines inspired by regions where he and his family share deep historical and personal ties. Bartholomew, wine is more than a beverage—it's a celebration of family, friendship, and adventure. His love for California's North Coast wines began with a Cabernet Sauvignon sourced from vineyards owned by a family he has been friends with for over 35 years. Building on the success of the Broadbent Cabernet Sauvignon, Bartholomew introduced a North Coast Chardonnay and Central Coast Pinot Noir that continues his tradition of offering affordable wines with exceptional quality.

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## *Tasting Note:*

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## *Shelf Talker:*

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