

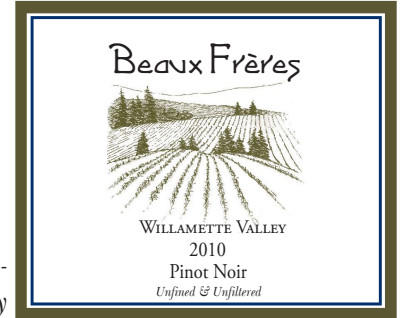
2010 Vintage Pinot Noirs

2010 Beaux Frères, Willamette Valley Pinot Noir

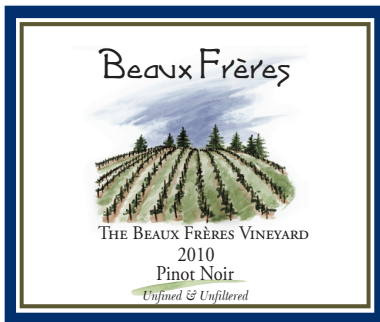
Tasting Notes: It is a medium to full-bodied wine, supple and pure with sweet tannins. Dark ruby in color, with aromas of blue fruit and spice. On the palate the fruit shows plum, dark currants, sweet cherries and a dash of raspberry. Of the three cuvées this is the most forward and easiest to drink right now (in fact it is difficult to stop drinking). **This cuvee should age well fo 5-7 years.**

Case production 1,415

About This Bottling: *Our Willamette Valley cuvée features fruit grown on select vineyard sites in the Northern Willamette Valley. The wines benefit from the same integrity in the winemaking process as our estate wines. The sites are farmed sustainably and managed to very low yields. We age the wine in the same French oak barrels used in our estate bottling, however the percentage of new oak is intentionally lower. This wine is not fined or filtered. This wine consists of fruit from the following vineyards: Gran Moraine and Shea, from the Yamhill-Carlton AVA, and the Zena Crown Vineyard located in the Eola-Amity AVA.*



2010 Beaux Frères, Beaux Frères Vineyard Pinot Noir



Tasting Notes: If the Willamette Valley is the more hedonistic then this is the more intellectual older sibling - showing its breeding as well as restraint. Medium ruby color, aromatically very pure nose of sweet and sour cherries, red currants, pomegranate and even a refreshing touch of ruby red grapefruit. Reminds us of a red-fruited, Côte de Beaune. Medium bodied, elegant, pure and racy. The tannins are extremely well integrated, balanced by zesty acid. This is a sleek, lithe, yet subtly muscular Pinot.

This cuvee should age well for 8-12 years.

Case production 1,320

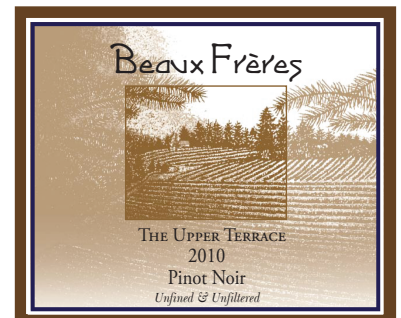
About This Bottling: *This wine is made from the fruit grown on our original estate vineyard. The Beaux Frères Vineyard was planted by Mike & Jackie Etzel from 1987 - 1991 primarily to Pommard & Wädenswil clones on their own roots. This 23 acre vineyard started out with conventional farming techniques but in 2002 Mike started following the principals of biodynamics. An average vine age of about 20 years puts this vineyard in the prime of its life. This wine as always is 100% from our original estate vineyard.*

2010 Beaux Frères, Upper Terrace Pinot Noir

Tasting Notes: This cuvee tends to lean towards the Côte de Nuits style of Pinot Noir. Dark ruby color with a hint of plum, Asian spice and forest floor on the nose as well as a spectrum of darker flavors to match. This is the richest and fullest of the three cuvees with great acidity and a multilayered mouth - feel. The texture is silky and enticing with moderate tannins suggesting a wine with aging potential.

This cuvee should age well for 12 - 15 years.

Case production 552



About This Bottling: *Our Upper Terrace Vineyard is planted on a steep South facing slope to Pinot Noir Dijon clones 113, 114, 115, 667, and 777 on three different rootstocks. The site has sedimentary soils and a slightly higher elevation than the original Beaux Frères vineyard.*