

# 2017 WESTWOOD GAP'S CROWN VINEYARD PINOT NOIR

## GAP'S CROWN VINEYARD, PETALUMA GAP AVA



### Farming

Sustainable

### Cases

50

### Clones

828, 115

### Aging

16 mths French oak  
(30% new)

### pH

3.88

### TA

5.2 g/L

### ABV

14.0%

### Brix

23.2 – 24.3

### Tasting Notes

Purple in color, with cherry cola, dried raspberries and a savory brush of violets. Full-bodied, lush and lingering on the finish.

### Vineyard

Located in the extreme southwest pocket of the Sonoma Coast in the newly-formed Petaluma Gap AVA, this vineyard exemplifies all that we love about Pinot Noir. Steep elevation changes, diverse clonal selections, heavy early morning fog and windswept afternoons to cool temperatures; this is Pinot heaven.

### Winemaking

Both clones were hand-harvested at night then sorted and fermented individually. 6 days cold soak, gentle punch downs 1-3 times daily, 16-18 days on the skins, gently basket pressed to French oak barrels (30% new). Aged for 16 months then bottled unfiltered.

