



HARTFORD
COURT

HAILEY'S BLOCK

GREEN VALLEY OF RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY • PINOT NOIR

2008

VINEYARD CHARACTER

Hailey's Block is located within the renowned Arrendell Vineyard, and is named after Don and Jennifer Hartford's daughter Hailey. The block was planted 12 years ago to Dijon selections of Pinot Noir at a time when Hailey was just six years old. Over the years, we have watched both Hailey and her namesake Pinot Noir mature into personalities of great strength, beauty and charm. The 2008 Hailey's Block Pinot Noir represents a block within the prestigious Arrendell Vineyard planted with Dijon 114 and 777 selections.

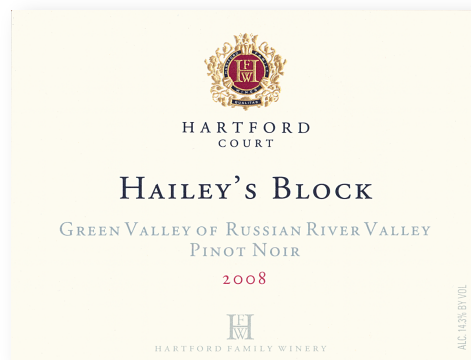
Arrendell Vineyard sits in arguably the coldest spot in the Green Valley sub-appellation of the Russian River Valley AVA. The cold meso-climate that results from cool air settling in this low-lying vineyard preserves natural acidity in the grapes and helps preserve the pure expression of the unique *terroir* in this beautiful, new release.

TASTING NOTES

Red cherry, red raspberry and rose petal flavors complement allspice, spicy cinnamon, and mineral undertones. The hallmark of Hailey's Block Pinot Noir is its round mid-palate and silken finish that make this one of the most elegant and compelling Pinot Noirs from the Green Valley AVA.

WINE STATISTICS

Oak:	100% French oak, 60% new
Time in oak:	15 months
Alcohol:	14.3%
TA:	5.4 g/L
pH:	3.58
Yeast:	Native and cultured
Cases produced:	250
No fining or filtration	



HISTORIC ACCLAIM

2008:	"Outstanding"	91/100,	<i>Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar</i>
2007:	"Outstanding"	95/100,	<i>The Wine Enthusiast</i>
2007:	"Outstanding"	92/100,	<i>Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar</i>
2007:	"Outstanding"	92/100,	<i>Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate</i>
2006:	"Outstanding"	92/100,	<i>Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar</i>
2006:	"Outstanding"	90/100,	<i>Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate</i>
2005:	"Outstanding"	91/100,	<i>Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar</i>
2005:	"Outstanding"	90/100,	<i>Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate</i>