THE FARM

NEUDORF VINEYARD PINOT NOIR 2020

VQA Twenty Mile Bench

Cases Produced: 48

Retail Price: \$55.00

pH: 3.50

TA: 5.2 g/l

RS: Less than 0.7 g/l

Alcohol: 12%

Oak: Fermented and aged in barrels ranging from 2nd fill to

completely neutral

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"The Farm" is a 10-acre vineyard in Niagara's Twenty Mile Bench, planted to Pinot Noir. The property is rooted in traditions of gathering family & friends, and where Peter and Dora Neudorf call home. The cellar door opens once a year for guests to taste new releases, and enjoy live music and local food.

THE VINEYARD

The Neudorf vineyard was originally planted with Pinot Noir in 2000 for Le Clos Jordanne and aptly named "La Petite Colline", meaning "little hill", a nod to the gentle slopes that permeate the plot. The project was led by renowned winemaker, Thomas Bachelder, now a close friend of the Neudorf family. The vineyard was farmed organically from the get-go, a decision that remains a pillar of the Neudorf approach. This wine sees no manipulations, is unfined, and showcases a true expression of the land.

THE WINE

The grapes are handpicked, hand sorted and undergo a wild fermentation (both primary and secondary) with a cold soak and a long maceration on skins post fermentation. Fermented and aged in French oak barrels ranging from 2nd fill to completely neutral.

The 2020 vintage has a nose that shifts between an intriguing earthiness, wild strawberries, and a soft floral undertone. The midpalate shows the vineyard hallmark – incredible fruit concentration of raspberry and cherry. Texture is silky with fine tannins and an elegant long finish.



