

# Aroha

## TE MUNA ROAD, MARTINBOROUGH 2020

#### HARVEST DATA

VARIETAL Pinot Noir

VINTAGE DETAIL Wet until Christmas. Dry and warm

through ripening period. Iconic.

BRIX 24.1 average
PRODUCTION LEVEL 38 hl/ha average

HAND HARVESTED 100%

#### WINEMAKING

WHOLE BUNCH 70% DESTEMMED 30%

FERMENTATION VESSEL Combination of open top stainless

steel tanks and French oak cuves

FERMENTATION Indigenous

BARREL TYPE French oak barriques

NEW BARREL % 34%

MATURATION 14 months

FINING Yes
FILTRATION No
BOTTLED Jul-21

## WINE ANALYSIS

ALCOHOL 13.8

RESIDUAL SUGAR Nil

PH 3.73

ACIDITY 5.4 g/l

### **TASTING NOTE:**

A traditional Burgundy in colour with a soft crimson hue. The nose has instant sweet brambly fruit, wild berries and porcini mushrooms. The forest floor tones give way to lavender and Provinçal floral notes. From the moment the wine hits the palate, it is evident that this is a Pinot of presence. The tannins are pure silk and carry a veil of high tone berry flavours wrapped in a savoury blanket. The velvety tannins linger, giving the wine a generous length. Oak supports in the background, vital to the depth and power of the flavour. A truly iconic wine from an unforgettable vintage.