

#### HARTFORD COURT

# MARIN Marin County • Pinot Noir 2017

## VINEYARD CHARACTER

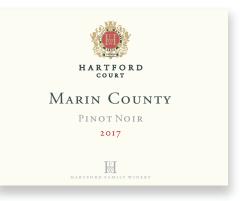
2017 was another low yielding season in the cool climate of Marin County, with beautiful ripening and flavor development. This wine is sourced from a small, dry farmed vineyard on rolling hills in an area of Marin that has been home to cattle and dairies for the last century. Today there are small vineyard sites scattered across Marin that are producing very interesting and distinct fruit.

### TASTING NOTES

Pure aromas of red cherries, berries, leather and Asian spice notes are supported by bright flavors of cherry cola, pomegranate and an earthy mid palate. Velvety, fine grained tannins complement a long finish with subtle lavender and wild strawberry nuances.

### WINE STATISTICS

Oak:	100% French oak, 28% new	
Time in oak:	17 months	
TA:	5.6 g/L	
pH:	3.62	
Alcohol:	13.6%	
Cases produced:	250	
Unfined and unfiltered		



#### HISTORICAL ACCLAIM

2017		94 points	L.PB., Robert Parker's <i>The Wine Advocate</i> , February 2020
2015	"Outstanding"	94 points	Jeb Dunnuck, JebDunnuck.com, June 2018
2015	"Outstanding"	94 points	Wine Enthusiast, July 2018
2014	"Outstanding"	92 points	Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate, October 2016
2013	"Outstanding"	91-93 points	Antonio Galloni, <i>Vinous,</i> January 2015
2012	"Outstanding"	90 points	Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate, December 2014
2012	"Outstanding"	90 points	Stephen Tanzer, International Wine Cellar, May 2014
2011	"Outstanding"	92 points	Wine Enthusiast, April 2014
2011	"Outstanding"	90-91 points	Stephen Tanzer, International Wine Cellar, May 2013