# METZKER

## FAMILY ESTATES



**Alcohol:** 14.5 %

Aging: 15 Months in 60% New French

Oak Barrels

Harvest Date: September 21st

Fermentation: 100% Destemmed and

Fermented in Tank

AVA: 100% Sonoma Coast

Production: 200 Cases

Clone: Field blend of 115 and 777

# PINOT NOIR TERRA DE PROMISSIO

Sonoma Coast 2017

#### Vintage:

The 2017 vintage in the Sonoma Coast AVA was a cool and steady season. The overall cooler temperatures in February and March allowed for budbreak to occur at the typical mid-March timeline. There was little threat from frost in early spring but some unseasonable rain showers during flowering lead to a bit of shatter across the area creating slightly lower yields. The overall quality and flavor profile of the grapes were fantastic, complex, and extremely promising early on.

### **Tasting Notes:**

The 2017 Terra de Promissio Pinot Noir is a rich and decadent wine expressing depth and complexity as well as elegance and finesse. The dark blue and blackberry notes add a layer of fruitiness on top of the plush tannins. The acidity shines through to enhance the fruit aromas making this a truly unique wine true to its terroir.

