

RAEN

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THE 2022 VINTAGE

We are incredibly honored to announce our annual RAEN release of the 2022 vintage, marking the milestone of our 10th harvest on the Sonoma Coast. Over the last 10 years, we have learned so much through our dedication to permaculture, biodynamic and organic practices and we continue to learn more each year. With these lessons, one thing has not wavered - our deep belief that these grand cru sites paired with our farming practices lend us the incredible opportunity to produce world-class wines. With each vintage, we become more in tune with our farms and vines, and in the cellar, our native, whole cluster fermentations followed by gentle oak aging, allow us to capture the vibrant voice of our farms. With each harvest and bottling, we are honored to see Mother Nature's beauty turn into wine.

We are grateful to have celebrated this 10-year milestone with the 2022 vintage, a growing season that allowed for wines with an incredible depth of flavors. The 2022 vintage wines are lifted, expressive and elegant, and will age beautifully for decades to come.

2022 SEA FIELD VINEYARD, FORT ROSS-SEAVIEW

Varietal	PINOT NOIR
Vineyard	4.8 ACRES
Farming	ORGANIC, REGENERATIVE, & BIODYNAMIC PRACTICES
Soils	FRANCISCAN COMPLEX
Clones	777
Fermentation	80% WHOLE CLUSTER & NATIVE
Annual Production	800 9L CASES
Associate Winegrower	MELANIE MCINTYRE
Proprietors / Winegrowers	CARLO & DANTE MONDAVI

From the rugged and remote pockets of Fort Ross-Seaview, this 4.8-acre monopole vineyard represents our most elegant terroir. Vines sit atop an ancient sea bed, dating back 200 million years, soaring high above the sea at more than 1,000 feet in elevation. Mere miles from the sea, this is our highest elevation and most coastal site.

Delicate white rose petals, orange peel and crushed pomegranate are followed by freshly picked raspberries, wild strawberries, and white tea. Coastal wet rock, sea moss, ripe red berries and a kiss of salinity transport us to the sea that sits just beyond Sea Field. Floral and violet notes follow, with lingering hints of crushed wild strawberries, offering an incredibly long and vibrant finish.

