



AUSTRALIAN
PINOT NOIR
CHALLENGE

Awards Dinner
Cutler & Co
3 October, 2024

The Australian Pinot Noir Challenge

celebrates Pinot Noir in all its forms; the growers and makers who are persistently seeking a more pure expression of their sites and the variety.

The advancement the Australian wine community has made in understanding all the variables which make pinot noir in Australia something truly remarkable, is outstanding.

Over three decades, the pinot noir community across regions has been brought together by a shared passion to improve, innovate and learn how to achieve pinot noir wines of superior quality. They have become a cohesive, intimate community determined to bring Australian pinot noir to a level which is world class.

The Australian Pinot Noir Challenge celebrates this achievement and all the elements which makes Australian pinot noir such a captivating, ethereal and elegant wine.

The Challenge will bring the best of Australia's pinot noirs to the attention of industry and consumers and help inform wine lovers about what makes Australian pinot noir distinctive and remarkable.

Judged by a highly regarded group of wine industry leaders, 303 wines were assessed on 9-10 September, with the Top 50 rising to reflect the very best pinot noir wines in Australia. From here, regional trophies are awarded and ultimately, Australia's finest pinot noir for 2024.

THE PEOPLE

THE JUDGES:

Tom Carson (Chair of Judges) - Tom is the Yabby Lake General Manager and Chief Winemaker. He has also held several wine judging roles including Chairman of the Royal Melbourne Wine Awards and he was the youngest Chairman to preside at The National Wine Show in Canberra. Over the years he has judged at a number of capital city and regional shows and sat on the Qantas Wine Panel from 2004 until 2015. Tom has held winemaking roles with Tim Knappstein, Coldstream Hills and Yering Station before his current role at Yabby Lake, as well as several vintages in Burgundy and Champagne. In 2002 he was named the Dux of the Len Evans Tutorial which marked the beginning of his wine judging career.

Gabrielle Poy - After spending 13 years as a wine buyer at City Wine Shop and The European Group, Gabrielle Poy has joined the Prince Wine Store team. She brings knowledge, warmth and a sharp palate. Gabrielle spent several years abroad, furthering her knowledge by completing vintages in Italy, Spain and New Zealand. In 2010 she was a Len Evans Scholar and 2011 a finalist in The Frankland Estate Riesling Scholarship. In 2015 she completed her WSET Diploma and teaches both Level 2 and 3 Awards. More recently, she has become involved in wine show judging at both National and Regional shows.

Samantha Connew - A highly experienced and respected winemaker and consultant, Samantha launched her Tasmanian solo project Stargazer in 2013. Prior to establishing this and her consulting company, Compass Wine Consulting, she was employed working in applied research, development and extension for the AWRI as Manager of the Hunter Valley Node. Before this she was the Winemaker/Manager of boutique Hunter Valley winery, Tower Estate, after working in McLaren Vale for ten years as the Senior Winemaker at Wirra Wirra Vineyards.

Tim Perrin - Tim is the Chief Winemaker at Port Phillip Estate & Kooyong Wines. Tim graduated from Charles Sturt University in 2006 with a degree in wine sciences, he was Dux of the AWRI Advanced Wine Assessment Course in 2015, and he was a Len Evans Scholar in 2019. He has worked in California, at Golden State Vintners, as well as in Coonawarra, Yenda, near Griffith, NSW, and notably with the great Jim Chatto at McWilliams Wines from 2012 to 2015. He moved to the Yarra after McWilliams to take on the senior Winemaker role at Oakridge until his move to the Mornington Peninsula in time for vintage 2023.

Loic le Calvez – Australian-French Loic Le Calvez is the Senior Winemaker at Chandon Australia. Loic graduated as an Oenologist in Bordeaux, he soon worked as an Assistant at Château d'Yquem in Sauternes followed by the prestigious Vérité Wines in Sonoma, California. Arriving in Australia, Loic was the Winemaker, Chief Winemaker and then COO of Taltarni in the Pyrenees & Clover Hill in Tasmania over 14 years, before becoming the agent for Tonnelleries Vicard in Victoria and Tasmania. He has developed his wine skills through the AWRI's Advanced Wine Assessment Course and WSET Level 3 programs.

Ben Portet – Along with the incredible lineage and pedigree that comes with being a 10th generation winemaker at his family vineyard, Dominique Portet Winery, Ben has benefited from the wisdom and experiences of many, beginning with four vintages with Brian Croser and Con Moshos at Petaluma in the Adelaide Hills. He has had extensive international experience in Bordeaux, South Africa and the Napa Valley. He has also been a leading industry judge, completing the Len Evans Tutorial scholarship in 2017.

Anna Pooley - For Anna, making wine is about community. As a child she loved being part of her family's first harvest and it sparked a fascination that never went away. In high demand, she worked for some of Australia's biggest names in wine. Today she's back at the family estate as an important member of Tasmania's wine community and its first third-generation winemaking family. Anna was named as one of the Wine Business Magazine Top 50 Most Influential Wine People of 2009 and Australian Young Winemaker of the Year by the Wine Society in 2010. In 2012, Anna completed the exclusive Len Evans Tutorial.

ASSOCIATE JUDGES:

Imogen Dillon - Imogen is the Head Winemaker at Ten Minutes by Tractor who oversees the wine production and viticulture of 9 sites on the Mornington Peninsula. Graduating with a Bachelor of Science in Viticulture and Oenology from Curtin University in her home state of Western Australia, she has had a great deal of experience across Australia in some of the industry's most respected wineries and overseas regions such as the Napa Valley, St Helena, Washington and Bordeaux.

Brendan Hawker - Brendan Hawker is the Senior Winemaker at Yering Station, leading the winemaking team with passion and integrity at the core. Brendan describes his beginnings in wine as somewhat unorthodox. Growing up in the Adelaide Hills, wine was always a point of interest for Brendan. Brendan's journey into the world of winemaking began during a gap year post high school and over a decade later is regarded as an accomplished, highly respected winemaker in the Yarra Valley and beyond.

STEWARDS:

Rohan Smith – Chief Steward, Tillie Johnston, Tristan Maclean, Charlie Warne, Grace Jiranek, Lucy Adam and Thomas Borghesi.

SHOW SECRETARY:

Olivia Barrie and Alison Dougherty

CHAIRMAN OF SHOW COMMITTEE:

Lindsay McCall

VENUE: Elgee Park - A sincere thanks to the Myer family, management and staff for generously assisting us to deliver the 2024 Australian Pinot Noir Challenge.



THE REGIONAL FINALISTS

Geelong	2023 Bellbrae Estate Bird Rock Pinot Noir
Gippsland	2023 Dirty Three Wines 'Dirt 2' Pinot Noir
Western Australia	2023 Marchand & Burch Mount Barrow Pinot Noir 2023 Lonely Shore DeiTos Vineyard Pinot Noir
Tasmania	2023 Lowestoft La Maison Pinot Noir 2023 Bream Creek Vineyard Pinot Noir 2023 Bremley Pinot Noir
Mornington Peninsula	2023 Kooyong Pinot Noir 2023 Montalto Single Vineyard Tuerong Pinot Noir 2022 Paringa Estate 'The Paringa' Pinot Noir
Yarra Valley	2023 In Dreams Pinot Noir 2023 Giant Steps Sexton Vineyard Pinot Noir 2023 Yering Station Reserve Pinot Noir

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2024 CLASS ENTRIES

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	All Entries	303
01	Tasmania 2023	67
02	Tasmania 2022 & Older	25
03	South Australia - Adelaide Hills 2023	30
04	South Australia - Adelaide Hills 2022 & Older	13
05	South Australia - Any Other Region 2023	2
07	New South Wales - Any Region 2023	9
08	New South Wales - Any Region 2022 & Older	9
09	Victoria - Mornington Peninsula 2023	41
10	Victoria - Mornington Peninsula 2022 & Older	19
11	Victoria - Yarra Valley 2023	31
12	Victoria - Yarra Valley 2022 & Older	4
13	Victoria - Geelong 2023	15
14	Victoria - Geelong 2022 & Older	5
15	Victoria - Any Other Region 2023	17
16	Victoria - Any Other Region 2022 & Older	4
17	Western Australia - Any Region 2023	9
18	Western Australia - Any Region 2022 & Older	1
19	Any Other Region Not Listed Above 2023	2

No entries received in Classes 6 and 20.

CLASS 1 - TASMANIA 2023:

1	Bay of Fires 2023	85	
2	Devil's Corner 2023 Resolution Pinot Noir		
3	Lost Farm 2023 Pinot Noir	93	
4	Bangor 2023 "Captain Spotswood" Pinot Noir	87	
5	Penfolds Wines 2023 Bin 23 Pinot Noir	86	
6	Hardys Eileen Hardy Pinot Noir 2023	85	
7	Ossa 2023 Pinot Noir	95	
8	Bream Creek Vineyard 2023 Pinot Noir	95	
9	Bangor 2023 "Abel Tasman" Pinot Noir	87	
10	Penfolds Wines 2023 Cellar Reserve Pinot Noir	90	
11	Hardys HRB Pinot Noir 2023	92	
12	Small Island 2023 Black Label Pinot Noir	86	
13	Sandy Bay Estate 2023 Pinot Noir	87	
14	Eddystone Point Pinot Noir 2023	93	
15	Bream Creek Vineyard 2023 Reserve Pinot Noir	95	
16	Devil's Corner 2023 Mt Amos Pinot Noir	91	
17	Milton Vineyard 2023 Dunbabin Family Reserve Pinot Noir		
18	Spring Vale Estate 2023 Pinot Noir		
19	Freycinet Vineyard 2023 Pinot Noir		
20	Gala Estate 2023 1821 Black Label Pinot Noir	91	
21	Southwood 2023 Glenora Pinot Noir		
22	Milton Vineyard 2023 Estate Pinot Noir	85	
23	Kelvedon Estate 2023 Pinot Noir	90	
24	Moores Hill 2023 Pinot Noir	89	
25	Tamar Ridge 2023 Reserve Pinot Noir	87	
26	Holm Oak Vineyards 2023 Fearless Pinot Noir		
27	Hughes&Hughes 2023 Milk Vat Pinot Noir		
28	Pipers Brook Vineyard 2023 Estate Pinot Noir	93	
29	Josef Chromy 2023 Pinot Noir	87	
30	Dalrymple 2023 Pinot Noir	86	
31	Handpicked Wines 2023 Collection Tasmania Pinot Noir		
32	James Busby 2023 Vineyard Series Tasmania Pinot Noir	93	
33	Two Tonne Tasmania TMV 2023 Pinot Noir	90	
34	Ponting Wines Pty Ltd 2023 Mowbray Boy Pinot Noir		
35	Holm Oak Vineyards 2023 Pinot Noir		
36	Ashli Rose Wines 2023 Pinot Noir		
37	Anim 2023 Clarence Pinot Noir		
38	Riversdale Estate 2023 D5V12 Pinot Noir		
39	Lowestoft Estate 2023 La Maison Pinot Noir	95	

40	Meadowbank 2023 Pinot Noir	88	
41	Decades 2023 Pinot Noir	93	
42	Pooley Wines 2023 Butcher's Hill Pinot Noir		
43	Riversdale Estate 2023 MV6 Pinot Noir	90	
44	Home Hill Wines 2023 Landslide Pinot Noir	88	
45	Clarence House Estate 2023 Block 1 Pinot Noir	91	
46	Bremley 2023 Pinot Noir	95	
47	Riversdale Estate 2023 667 Pinot Noir	90	
48	Home Hill Wines 2023 Kelly's Reserve Pinot Noir	89	
49	Frogmore Creek 2023 Pinot Noir	95	
50	Mewstone 2023 Pinot Noir		
51	Josef Chromy 2023 Expressions Pinot Noir	88	
52	Lowestoft Estate 2023 Pinot Noir	95	
53	Riversdale Estate 2023 Abel Pinot Noir		
54	Bubb + Pooley 2023 White Kangaroo Road Pinot Noir		
55	Brinktop 2023 Killara Pinot Noir	86	
56	Clarence House Estate 2023 Reserve Pinot Noir	88	
57	Domaine A 2023 Stoney Vineyard Pinot Noir		
58	Stefano Lubiana Estate Pinot Noir 2023	89	
59	Pressing Matters 2023 Pinot Noir	90	
60	Giant Steps 2023 Coal River Valley Pinot Noir	95	
61	Riversdale Estate 2023 114/115 Pinot Noir	90	
62	Pooley Wines 2023 Pinot Noir		
63	Home Hill Wines 2023 Estate Pinot Noir		
64	Anim 2023 Windrush Pinot Noir	86	
65	Laurel Bank 2023 Pinot Noir		
66	Quiet Mutiny 2023 Venus Rising Pinot Noir		
67	Riversdale Estate 2023 Pinot Noir		

CLASS 2: TASMANIA 2022 & OLDER

1	Dalwhinnie 2022 Three Valleys Pinot Noir	93	
2	Gala Estate 2022 1821 Black Label Pinot Noir	85	
3	Southwood 2022 Glenora Reserve Pinot Noir	85	
4	Spring Vale Estate 2021 Pinot Noir		
5	Gala Estate 2021 1821 Black Label Pinot Noir		
6	Kelvedon Estate 2020 Block 5 Pinot Noir	86	
7	Tamar Ridge 2022 Research Series Pinot Noir	87	
8	Holm Oak Vineyards 2022 The Wizard Pinot Noir		
9	Dalrymple 2022 Single Site Pipers River Pinot Noir		
10	Handpicked Wines 2022 Auburn Road Vineyard Pinot Noir		

11	Woodlawn 2022 Waverley Vineyard Pinot Noir		
12	Pressing Matters 2022 Pinot Noir	89	
13	Dalrymple 2022 Single Site Coal River Valley Pinot Noir		
14	Anim 2022 Windrush Pinot Noir	85	
15	Ponting Wines Pty Ltd 2022 257 Pinot Noir		
16	Pooley Wines 2022 Jack Denis Pooley Pinot Noir	86	
17	Riversdale Estate 2022 Centaurus Pinot Noir		
18	Lowestoft Estate 2022 S.V. 'Glengarry' Pinot Noir	89	
19	Anim 2022 Clarence Pinot Noir		
20	Pooley Wines 2022 Cooina Vale Pinot Noir	89	
21	Villa Monaco 2021 Pinot Noir		
22	Torch Bearer 2021 T Pinot Noir	86	
23	Pooley Wines 2021 Cooina Vale Pinot Noir		
24	Villa Monaco 2020 Pinot Noir		
25	Torch Bearer 2019 'ese Pinot Noir		

CLASS 3: SOUTH AUSTRALIA - ADELAIDE HILLS 2023

1	Mt Bera 2023 Pinot Noir	85	
2	Cloudbreak Wines 2023 Nouveau Collection Pinot Noir	86	
3	Riposte Wines 2023 The Sabre Pinot Noir		
4	Tomich Hill 2023 Pinot Noir		
5	Karrawatta 2023 Nimblefoot Pinot Noir	87	
6	Pike and Joyce 2023 WJJ Pinot Noir	88	
7	Paracombe 2023 Pinot Noir		
8	Barristers Block Wines 2023 Estate Series 'Beau' Pinot Noir		
9	Turon Wines 2023 Estate Pinot Noir	90	
10	Wicks Estate 2023 C. J. Wicks Pinot Noir		
11	Michael Hall 2023 Lenswood Pinot Noir		
12	Mt Bera Boundless Horizons 2023 Pinot Noir	85	
13	Sidewood Signature Abel Pinot Noir 2023	87	
14	Woodside Vineyard 2023 Pinot Noir	86	
15	Chain of Ponds 2023 Morning Star Pinot Noir		
16	Sidewood Signature Oberlin Pinot Noir 2023	88	
17	Turon Wines 2023 Hills Pinot Noir		
18	Vandenberg Wines 6 Brothers 2023 Pinot Noir		
19	Wicks Estate 2023 Pinot Noir	86	
20	Ministry of Clouds 2023 Pinot Noir	86	
21	Sidewood Signature 777 Pinot Noir 2023		
22	Vinteloper 2023 Pinot Noir		
23	XO Wine Co 2023 'Small Batch' Pinot Noir	90	

24	Chain of Ponds 2023 The Cachet Pinot Noir		
25	Michael Hall 2023 Piccadilly Pinot Noir		
26	Simon Tolley 2023 Adelaide Hills - Single Vineyard Pinot Noir	85	
27	Sidewood Estate Pinot Noir 2023		
28	Mr. Riggs Wine Co. 2023 Valerie Pinot Noir	85	
29	Cooke Brothers Wines 2023 Pinot Noir		
30	Pike and Joyce 2023 Vue du Nord Pinot Noir	88	

CLASS 4: SOUTH AUSTRALIA - ADELAIDE HILLS 2022 & OLDER

1	Cloudbreak Wines 2022 Premiere Collection Pinot Noir		
2	Wicks Estate 2022 C. J. Wicks Pinot Noir	85	
3	Mt Bera Wild & Free 2022 Pinot Noir		
4	Glandore 2022 Finn Pinot Noir		
5	Nepenthe 2022 Apex Pinot Noir		
6	Icon 1777 2022 Pinot Noir		
7	Mt Bera Boundless Horizons 2022 Pinot Noir		
8	Simon Tolley 2022 'Perfectus' Single Vineyard Pinot Noir		
9	Chain of Ponds 2022 The Cachet Pinot Noir		
10	High Street Wine Co 2022 Pinot Noir	86	
11	Honey Moon Vineyard 2021 Adelaide Hills Pinot Noir ~ Extra		
12	Vinteloper 2021 Odeon Pinot Noir		
13	Paracombe 2021 Plateau Pinot Noir	85	

CLASS 5: SOUTH AUSTRALIA - ANY OTHER REGION 2023

1	Tapanappa 2023 Foggy Hill Vineyard Pinot Noir		
2	The Hidden Sea 2023 Pinot Noir		

CLASS 7: NEW SOUTH WALES - ANY OTHER REGION 2023

1	Highland Heritage 2023 Generations Pinot Noir	86	
2	Swinging Bridge 2023 Hill Park Pinot Noir	85	
3	Brangayne of Orange 2023 Pinot Noir		
4	Byrne Farm 2023 Pinot Noir	86	
5	Gilbert 2023 Pinot Noir		
6	See Saw Wines 2023 Invergo Organic Pinot Noir	93	
7	Latitude 32 Wines 2023 Limited Edition Pinot Noir		
8	Cupitt's 2023 Pointer Pinot Noir		
9	De Beaurepaire Wines 2023 "Perceval" Pinot Noir	87	

CLASS 8: NEW SOUTH WALES - ANY OTHER REGION 2022 & OLDER

1	Swinging Bridge 2022 Hill Park Pinot Noir	89	
2	Gilbert 2022 Pinot Noir Nashdale		
3	Highland Heritage Patrono 2022 Pinot Noir	85	
4	Gilbert 2022 Pinot Noir Lidster	87	
5	See Saw Wines 2022 Fulcra Organic Pinot Noir	92	
6	Highland Heritage Mt Canobolas 2021 Pinot Noir	85	
7	Highland Heritage Patrono 2019 Pinot Noir		
8	Kosciuszko Wines 2022 Pinot Noir		
9	De Beaurepaire Wines 2021 "Richard" Pinot Noir		

CLASS 9: VICTORIA - MORNINGTON PENINSULA 2023

1	Kerri Greens 2023 Foothills Pinot Noir		
2	Lindenderry Estate 2023 Pinot Noir 2023 Pinot Noir		
3	Ten Minutes by Tractor 2023 Estate 'Down the Hill' Pinot Noir	86	
4	Tar & Roses 2023 Mornington Peninsula Pinot Noir	86	
5	Ocean Eight 2023 Pinot Noir	86	
6	Montalto Single Vineyard 2023 Tuerong Pinot Noir	95	
7	Elgee Park 2023 Pinot Noir	88	
8	Cri de Coeur 2023 Pinot Noir	87	
9	Foxeys Hangout 2023 Kentucky Road Pinot Noir		
10	Paringa Estate 2023 Estate Pinot Noir	95	
11	Quartier 2023 Pinot Noir	91	
12	Stonier Wines 2023 Reserve Pinot Noir		
13	Handpicked Wines 2023 Collection MP Pinot Noir	95	
14	Merricks Estate 2023 Pinot Noir	86	
15	Dexter 2023 Pinot Noir	91	
16	Montalto Single Vineyard 2023 North One Pinot Noir	89	
17	Kerri Greens 2023 Messire Pinot Noir		
18	Quealy 2023 Campbell & Christine Pinot Noir	88	
19	Paringa Estate 2023 The Paringa Pinot Noir	86	
20	Rare Hare 2023 LL Vineyard Pinot Noir	87	
21	Ocean Eight 2023 Aylward Pinot Noir	91	
22	Ten Minutes by Tractor 2023 Coolart Road D Block Pinot Noir	90	
23	Handpicked Wines 2023 Capella Vineyard MP Pinot Noir		
24	Baillieu 2023 Pinot Noir		
25	Red Hill Estate 2023 Merricks Grove Pinot Noir	87	
26	Pennon Hill 2023 Pinot Noir	95	
27	Fifty Two Rows 2023 Single Vineyard Pinot Noir		
28	Stumpy Gully Vineyard 2023 Estate Pinot Noir		

29	Eldridge 2023 Pinot Noir	92	
30	Morning Sun Vineyard 2023 Pinot Noir		
31	Massale 2023 Pinot Noir	93	
32	Paringa Estate 2023 Robinson Single Vineyard Pinot Noir	87	
33	Zumma 2023 Pinot Noir	88	
34	Devil's Baie 2023 Pinot Noir	90	
35	Red Hill Estate 2023 Single Vineyard Pinot Noir		
36	Montalto Estate 2023 Pinot Noir	88	
37	Bellingham Estate 2023 The Bellingham Pinot Noir		
38	Ten Minutes by Tractor 2023 Coolart Road E Block Pinot Noir	88	
39	Montalto Single Vineyard 2023 Merricks Pinot Noir	90	
40	Kooyong 2023 Pinot Noir	95	
41	Stumpy Gully Vineyard 2023 Magic Black Pinot Noir		

CLASS 10: VICTORIA - MORNINGTON PENINSULA 2022 & OLDER

1	Cri de Coeur 2022 Pinot Noir		
2	Pier 10 2022 Reserve Pinot Noir		
3	Brigadier Vineyard Pinot Noir 2022 Pinot Noir	91	
4	Paringa Estate 2022 The Paringa Pinot Noir	95	
5	Scorpo 2022 Single Vineyard Mature Vines Original Planting Pinot Noir		
6	Red Hill Estate 2022 Grand Reserve Pinot Noir		
7	Southern Light Vineyards 2022 Ghostgum Pinot Noir	89	
8	Sherdale 2022 Pinot Noir		
9	Sedgley & Sons Mornington Peninsula 2022 Pinot Noir	86	
10	Paringa Estate 2022 Estate Pinot Noir	88	
11	Zumma 2022 Pinot Noir		
12	Scorpo 2022 Old Cherry Orchard 10K Pinot Noir		
13	Fifty Two Rows 2022 Single Vineyard Pinot Noir	86	
14	Pt. Leo Estate 2021 Reserve Pinot Noir		
15	Pier 10 2021 X Range Pinot Noir		
16	Miceli 2020 Lucy's Choice Pinot Noir		
17	Pt. Leo Estate 2019 Pinot Noir		
18	Merricks Estate 2019 Pinot Noir		
19	Pt. Leo Estate 2017 Pinot Noir		

CLASS 11: VICTORIA - YARRA VALLEY 2023

1	Lillydale Estate 2023 Reserve Pinot Noir	95	
2	Rochford 2023 Estate Pinot Noir	93	
3	Zonzo Estate 2023 Pinot Noir	89	
4	Medhurst 2023 Estate Pinot Noir	88	

5	Oakridge Wines 2023 Vineyard Series Henk Pinot Noir	93	
6	Santolin 2023 Gruyere Pinot Noir		
7	Giant Steps 2023 Yarra Valley Pinot Noir	95	
8	Tokar Estate Single Vineyard 2023 Yarra Junction Pinot Noir		
9	Handpicked Wines 2023 Collection Yarra Valley Pinot Noir	87	
10	Oakridge Wines 2023 864 Henk Aqueduct Pinot Noir	89	
11	Soumah 2023 Hexham Vineyard Pinot Noir	87	
12	Punt Road Wines 2023 Pinot Noir	87	
13	Rochford 2023 Isabella's Pinot Noir	88	
14	In Dreams 2023 Pinot Noir	95	
15	Santolin 2023 Gladysdale Pinot Noir		
16	Yarra Yering 2023 Pinot Noir	93	
17	Giant Steps 2023 Sexton Vineyard Pinot Noir	95	
18	Soumah 2023 Equilibrio Pinot Noir		
19	Yering Station 2023 Reserve Pinot Noir	95	
20	Oakridge Wines 2023 Vineyard Series Hazeldene Pinot Noir		
21	Rising 2023 Pinot Noir		
22	Punt Road Wines 2023 Barrel Selection Pinot Noir	89	
23	Soumah 2023 Upper Ngumbby Vineyard Pinot Noir		
24	Giant Steps 2023 Bastard Hill Vineyard Pinot Noir	95	
25	Oakridge Wines 2023 Vineyard Series Willowlake Pinot Noir		
26	PHI 2023 Pinot Noir	85	
27	Handpicked Wines 2023 Highbow Hill Vineyard Yarra Valley Pinot Noir		
28	Giant Steps 2023 Applejack Vineyard Pinot Noir	95	
29	Yering Station 2023 Pinot Noir	87	
30	James Busby 2023 Yarra Valley Pinot Noir		
31	PachaMama 2023 Pinot Noir		

CLASS 12: VICTORIA - YARRA VALLEY 2022 & OLDER

1	Santolin 2022 Gladysdale Pinot Noir		
2	Handpicked Wines 2022 Wombat Creek Vineyard Yarra Valley Pinot Noir		
3	Riorret 2022 Lusatia Park Pinot Noir	87	
4	Yering Station 2022 Reserve Pinot Noir	85	

CLASS 13: VICTORIA - GEELONG 2023

1	Clyde Park 2023 Single Block F "College" Pinot Noir		
2	Bromley 2023 Murray Pinot Noir	91	
3	Bellbrae Estate 2023 Longboard Pinot Noir		
4	Leura Park Estate 2023 Pinot Noir		
5	Clyde Park 2023 Single Block D Pinot Noir		

6	Scotchmans Hill 2023 Pinot Noir	86	
7	Mulline 2023 Modewarre Pinot Noir		
8	Bromley 2023 Anson Pinot Noir		
9	Bellbrae Estate 2023 Bird Rock Pinot Noir	95	
10	Oakdene 2023 Single Vineyard Peta's Pinot Noir	87	
11	Clyde Park 2023 Estate Pinot Noir	88	
12	Jack Rabbit Vineyard 2023 Pinot Noir		
13	Bromley 2023 Harrison Pinot Noir	92	
14	Mulline 2023 Sutherlands Creek Pinot Noir		
15	Clyde Park 2023 Single Block B2 Pinot Noir	88	

CLASS 14: VICTORIA - GEELONG 2022 & OLDER

1	Yes Said the Seal 2022 Pinot Noir		
2	Oakdene 2022 Single Vineyard Peta's Pinot Noir		
3	Dinny Goonan 2022 Pinot Noir		
4	Leura Park Estate 2022 Pinot Noir	86	
5	Yes Said the Seal 2021 Pinot Noir		

CLASS 15: VICTORIA - GIPPSLAND 2023

1	Cannibal Creek 2023 Reserve Pinot Noir		
2	Blue Gables Vineyard 2023 Ashton Pinot Noir	93	
3	Purple Hen 2023 The Rooster Pinot Noir	91	
4	Bass River 2023 - 1835 Pinot Noir		
5	Dirty Three Wines 2023 "All the Dirts" Pinot Noir	92	
6	Purple Hen 2023 Pinot Noir	88	
7	Cannibal Creek 2023 Pinot Noir		
8	Dirty Three Wines 2023 "Dirt 2" Pinot Noir	95	
9	Marnong Estate 2023 Pinot Noir	89	
10	Kyneton Ridge 2023 Reserve Pinot Noir		
11	Lyons Will Estate 2023 Pinot Noir		
12	Kyneton Ridge 2023 Skipping Rabbit Pinot Noir	87	
13	Dirty Three Wines 2023 "Dirt 3" Pinot Noir		
14	The King & I 2023 King Valley Pinot Noir	86	
15	B Seppelt & Sons 2023 Drumborg Pinot Noir		
16	Utter 2022 Pinot Noir		
17	Victorian Alps Wine Co. The Buffalo 2023 Pinot Noir		

CLASS 16: VICTORIA - GIPPSLAND 2022 & OLDER

1	Santa & D'Sas 2022 Pinot Noir		
2	Victorian Alps Wine Co. Hidden Story 2022 Pinot Noir		
3	Gapsted Estate Alpine Road 2022 Pinot Noir	85	
4	Granite Hills 2022 Pinot Noir		
5	Utter 2022 Pinot Noir		

CLASS 17: WESTERN AUSTRALIA - ANY REGION 2023

1	Plantagenet Wines 2023 Normand Pinot Noir	87	
2	Marchand & Burch 2023 Villages Pinot Noir		
3	Plantagenet Wines 2023 Wyjup Collection Pinot Noir		
4	Marchand & Burch 2023 Mount Barrow Pinot Noir	95	
5	Castle Rock Estate 2023 Diletti Pinot Noir		
6	Castelli Estate 2023 Estate Pinot Noir	85	
7	Wignalls 2023 Pinot Noir		
8	Castle Rock Estate 2023 Pinot Noir	86	
9	Lonely Shore 2023 DeiTos Vineyard Pinot Noir	95	

CLASS 18: WESTERN AUSTRALIA - ANY REGION 2022 & OLDER

1	Plantagenet Wines 2022 Wyjup Collection Pinot Noir		
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CLASS 19: ANY OTHER REGION 2023

1	Symphony Hill Wines 2023 Reserve Pinot Noir		
2	Taylors Wines 2023 Jaraman Pinot Noir		







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