

Greetings! - Friday, September 18th
Oregon Pinot Tasting 4-7pm
Only \$30. you can share!

Here are the wines:

2006 Deponte Dundee Hills Pinot Noir \$40.

Saturated red. Sexy aromas of red and dark berries, candied cherry and Asian spices. Fleshy, gently sweet raspberry and blackberry flavors are concentrated and surprisingly nervy, with good back-end lift and cut. Finishes on a sweet note, with very good clarity and length. **90 Points Stephen Tanzer**

2007 Iota Pelos Sandberg Vineyard \$40.

The '07 Iota Pinot Noir displays a vivid, jewel-toned hue. Alluring scents of fresh strawberries, cherries and plums greet the senses with notes of black pepper, cardamom and barrel toast. An underlying tinge of dried rose petal and earth accentuate a silky midpalate framed by silty tannins and a vibrant acidity. The finish is smooth and mouthwatering.

2008 Owen Roe The Killmore \$40.

This Killmore Pinot Noir is a blend of Pommard, Wadensvil, and Dijon clone Pinot Noir from exceptional vineyard sites in the Yamhill-Carlton District. Each site has distinct ocean bottom soils, and little summer moisture forcing low vigor and small, intensely flavored berries. The 2008 Killmore is lush with rich fragrant violet perfume, black fruit and coffee notes on the palate." - the winery. **Just Released**

2007 Ghost Hill Cellars \$38.50

Elegant fruit that is rich and ripe fills the nose. Delicately laced with vanilla, the mouth explodes with the richness of blackberry, cassis, and black cherry, true to the terroir of the Yamhill-Carlton District AVA. Incredible acidity and length of finish give this impressive 2007 Pinot Noir incredible potential for age-ability and enjoy-ability over many years." Vineyard Notes: From Savannah Ridge in the prestigious Yamhill-Carlton District AVA of the Northern Willamette

2006 WillaKenzie Kiana Pinot Noir \$47.00

Vivid red. A complex bouquet displays red berries, potpourri, minerals and white pepper. Nervy raspberry and cherry flavors gain flesh and sweetness with air and are firmed by smoky minerals. Finishes on a floral note, with very good spicy length.
90 Points Stephen Tanzer

2007 Le Cadeau Cote Est Pinot Noir \$50.

New York Times #1 "Top Oregon Pinot noirs" 9-2-09 - "You could taste the vintage in the freshness of this wine. It was complex as well, with aromas and flavors of earth, flowers and fruit, and it was balanced. For me, it was the only wine in the tasting that transcended the divide between the welterweight and heavyweight wines." - Eric Asimov

Medium red with a bright rim. Red berry-dominated bouquet is complicated by baking spices, gently smoky minerals and fresh rose. Pliant raspberry and blackberry flavors deliver solid punch without any impression of fat. Fine-grained tannins add support and carry through the long, juicy finish. **90 Stephen Tanzer**

Thank you,

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