



LETHBRIDGE

The story of the wine...

2017 Lethbridge Single Vineyard Pinot Noir Hillside Haven, Moorabool Valley

Planted in 1990 by Noel Payne in the cool granite soils of his Anakie vineyard, the Pinot Noir, Pinot Gris and Chardonnay grapes yield distinctive wines.

Travelling the country in his role as Service Engineer for New Holland Tractors, Noel Payne developed a love of country life, working with farmers but never being part of any particular piece. He started his vineyard in retirement and became one with the property he chose, his Hillside Haven. He has the temperament for growing grapes, accepting each season with a calm patience. Wines from his vineyard are like him: fine and sinewy, with a touch of grit.
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The Vineyard: Planted in 1998 on the Western slopes of Mt Anakie exclusively to the D2V5 clone. Rich black clays developed over quaternary basalts and planted at 254 meters above sea level, this vineyard has consistently shown perfume; the granite gives you this lightness of touch. While most of Geelong is planted on basalt clay and limestone, this is totally unique. This site offers ethereal perfume and a mineralogy rarely seen in Geelong Pinot Noir



Vintage:	2017
Previous vintage:	2015
Grape variety:	Pinot Noir
Vineyard:	Moorabool Valley: Hillside Haven
Planted:	1998
Owner:	Noel Payne
Harvest Date:	8 th April 2017
Bottled:	15 th February 2018
Alcohol:	13.5%
Cases made:	23 dozen
Cellar potential:	5+ Years
Cellar door prices:	\$55