



Elegantly powerful, this wine is a fantastic expression of the Saffron Fields Vineyard. Blackberry, black plum, and white pepper aromas segue into flavors of macerated cherries, dried bay leaf and chai spices. There is a distinct aroma of sweet cherry pipe tobacco, carried though onto the palate and the finish, almost reminiscent of a Dundee Hills Pinot. The entry is textbook perfect showing a velvet fur of the various stone fruits with a squeeze of lemon. Flavors are voluminous ranging from red to black to stone to cane berry fruit all while having the earthiness great Pinot has lying in the background. Probably my second-best wine of the vintage. It is a wine that opens up beautifully as it sits in the glass.