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Old Vines 2019 Pinot Noir

pH: 3.38
Ta: 6.7
Alc: 13.%
Vintage: 2019
Variety: 100% Pinot Noir
Region: Hunter Valley, New South Wales
Sub Region: Belford
Production: 120 dozen

Vineyard: This wine is produced from grapes grown at our Pothana Vineyard. The vines are 28 years old, low yielding producing less than 2 tonnes per acre annually.
Harvest date: 1st February 2019
Winemakers notes: Whole and crushed fruit were layered into traditional open vats for fermentation and hand plunged. After fermentation the wine was stored in French barrels for 12 months and then lightly fined and filtered before bottling.
Tasting notes: This wine is dark cherry red in colour and has a spicy aroma with leathery overtones. The palate has fresh cherry fruit flavour, an earthy background, light tannins and soft acids finish the wine.
Cellaring: Although this wine is already drinking well, it would improve with cellaring 2 to 4 years.