## 2016 Big Table Farm Yamhill-Carlton Pinot Noir

322 cases produced unfined and unfiltered label - The Bernards' Barn, Carlton release date: August 28, 2018

This wine represents the best of the Yamhill Carlton AVA and is adorned by one of the many historic barns of the county. The 2016 Yamhill-Carlton is



made from the fruit of the Coats and Whitney and Kalita Vineyards, both farmed impeccably by Daniel Fey and the team at Results Partners.

tasting notes— Impressions of blue and black fruits lift from the glass as sweet black cherries and baked plums come into focus. On the palate the wine is elegantly bold, concentrated and generous. Richness is balanced by bright acidity in harmony with ripe, velvety tannins. Flavors of wild blueberries and blackberries bring to mind a perfect berry pie at the height of summer. Notes of cedar, toasted fennel seed, black pepper and bramble add a savory counterweight to the luscious fruit.

big table farm is the collaborative effort of brian marcy and clare carver - we are a winemaker and an artist, we grow and produce what we love to eat and drink -

In 2006 we moved to Oregon from Napa, where Brian had been making wine for ten years. We started with a dream and made our first 150 cases in 2006.

## **Our Farm**

We own and manage 70 acres in the northern Willamette Valley, where we raise animals and produce seasonal vegetables. If you visit us, you'll find free-range hens, pasture-raised pigs and grass-fed cows. We are building a managed intensive grazing system of farming that builds our soil, sequesters carbon, and moves us towards a healthy, sustainable and diverse farm.

## **Our Labels**

The art on our labels is drawn by Clare and is unique to each vintage. The labels themselves are made by hand using a letterpress and thick printmaking paper. After each label is applied by hand we carefully wrap each bottle in tissue to preserve the letterpress paper's texture and beauty. There is a product code on the bottom of each bottle so you don't have to unwrap them to identify the wines.

