



# RAVINES

## Dry Pinot Rosé 2020

### TASTING NOTES

Elegant, translucent pink in color, the wine exhibits white fruits, fresh rose petals, lemon zest and mineral notes. Mouthwatering acidity and layers of bright red fruit provide a balanced and complex finish.

### VINEYARD

- ~ 100% Pinot Noir from the Argetsinger Vineyard, Seneca Lake, Finger Lakes AVA, NY
- ~ Argetsinger has high altitude, western exposure, howard gravel over limestone soil & VSP trellis system, planted in mid-sixties and field grafted to Pinot Noir in the mid-eighties (one of the few limestone sites in the Finger Lakes region)
- ~ Argetsinger has the Martini/Amberg clone

### GROWING SEASON

- ~ The warmest and sunniest growing season ever on record in the Finger Lakes; grapes had no disease pressure and excellent, flexible conditions throughout harvest allowed for beautiful balance between ripeness and acidity
- ~ All hand harvested, on 9/18/20
- ~ Yields were 2.0 tons/acre
- ~ Ripeness levels of 22.5 Bx

### WINEMAKING

- ~ Grapes were destemmed into membrane tank press
- ~ Around 4 hours of skin contact and a long, gentle press cycle (dedicated rosé program, not a result of bleeding red fermenters)
- ~ Cool and slow fermentation in stainless steel tank
- ~ Aging on fine lees until February
- ~ Filtered prior to bottling in March 2021

### ANALYSIS

- ~ Alc. 13.2%, T.A. 6.1 g/l, pH 3.27, RS < 2 g/l

### STORY & PHILOSOPHY

Ravines Wine Cellars makes dry, classical, terroir-driven wines on over 130 acres of estate vineyards. Founded in 2001 and family-owned and operated ever since by Morten and Lisa Hallgren, Morten was raised and trained as an oenologist / winemaker in Provence and Bordeaux France, before moving to the region and pioneering the bone-dry, mineral-tinged Riesling style that the region is now famous for. Ravines utilizes minimal intervention in the cellar and employs sustainable winegrowing practices on steep-sloping vineyards with limestone and shalestone soils. Our wines have continually gained noteworthy press and international accolades as a standard-bearer Finger Lakes winery.

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