

Giaconda

2004 Nantua Vineyard Pinot Noir

Giaconda produces some of Australia's most sought after wines. Their range of super-premium wines draw stylistic inspiration from traditional French winemaking techniques. Giaconda's humble beginning started in the early 1980's in Beechworth, North Eastern Victoria with a small 3-hectare (7.4 acres) vineyard and a 'low tech' winery crafted from hand made bricks and local granite. The first wine released was Cabernet Sauvignon in 1985 followed by Giaconda's Chardonnay in 1986. Since then, Giaconda's clutch of wines has risen to super cult status.

"Giaconda has taste, substance AND longevity."

Epicure, THE AGE, Tuesday, March 1st, 2005



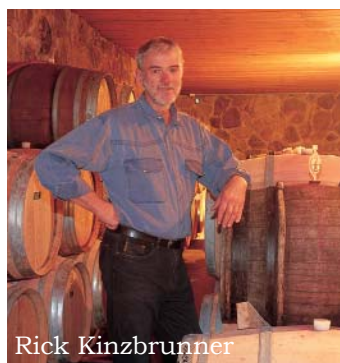
Winemaker Comments

The colour is quite dense this year. Wild and exotic nose of dark fruits, sweet spice and undergrowth. The 2004 Pinot Noir has a very rich silky palate yet with great backbone, strong tannin with balancing acidity. In my opinion it is the best Pinot we have made yet, very Burgundian in all aspects.



VINTAGE INFORMATION

Vintage:	2004
Region:	Beechworth
Variety:	100% Pinot Noir
Alcohol:	13.5%
Cellaring:	5 - 8 years



Rick Kinzbrunner

www.giaconda.com.au