

PANTHER CREEK *Cellars*

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WINEENTHUSIAST

Dec 2025



GROWING SEASON:

The 2023 growing season in the Willamette Valley brought a beautiful balance of cooler spring temperatures and a long, warm summer. A mild frost early in the season was offset by extended sun exposure, allowing for exceptional fruit ripeness and complex flavor development. The result is a vintage of finesse, layered red fruits, and supple tannins.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES:

A vivid and expressive Pinot Noir, the 2023 Winemaker's Cuvée reveals bright aromas of black raspberry, Bing cherry, and hints of forest floor. On the palate, vibrant red fruits intertwine with delicate notes of cola, vanilla bean, and subtle baking spice. Silky tannins and lively acidity provide elegant structure, leading to a polished, lingering finish.

VARIETAL: 100% Pinot Noir

AVA: Willamette Valley, Oregon

WINEMAKING: 15% New French Oak for 7 months

ALCOHOL: 13.5%

BOTTLING DATE: July 2024

CASES PRODUCED: 2,500

For 40 years, Panther Creek Cellars has crafted wines to share the best of Oregon. Today, we continue that legacy - *History. Reimagined.*