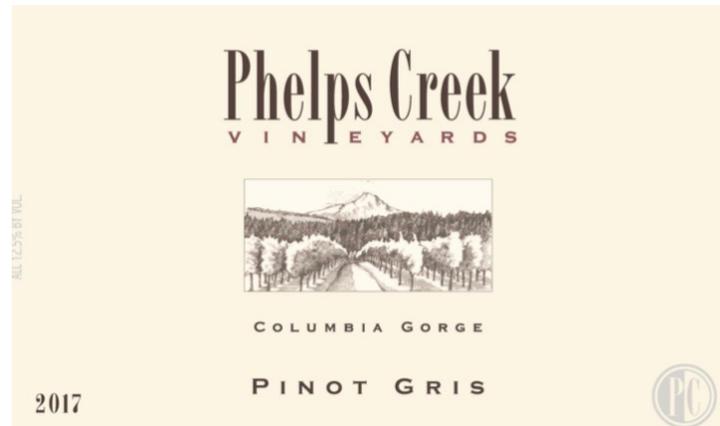


Phelps Creek

V I N E Y A R D S



2017 Phelps Creek Pinot Gris, Columbia Gorge

The vintage witnessed bud break in mid May. We enjoyed no rain after early June, making the season somewhat warm and very dry. Approaching harvest, the season became terrifying as the Eagle Creek Wildfire blanketed the Columbia Gorge with smoke and flames marched relentlessly towards our winery. Our reds developed flavors from the incident, but whites saw the more impact through lower potential alcohol. We combine our limited amount of estate fruit with Pinot Gris grown on Washington's Underwood Mountain. Both vineyards within eyesight of each other across the Columbia River. The result expresses beautiful acid balance. Our volcanic soils add spice and mineral elements. Limited barrel aging brings texture to the mouthfeel.

Bottling date: 8/23/18
Alcohol per Volume: 12.5
Whole Cluster Press
80% Stainless Tank Fermentation
20% Neutral Barrel
Brix at Harvest: 22.8
Total Acidity .64
Residual Sugar .5%
Case Produced: 450