

- LOT #53 -

## ELK COVE VINEYARDS

2015 Pinot Noir – 1978 Old Vine Selection

Lot Size: 5 CASES

Vineyard Name: FIVE MOUNTAIN

AVA: CHEHALEM MOUNTAINS

Winemaker: ADAM CAMPBELL

Bottling Date: 08/15/16

Alcohol: 14.0%

### Wine Description

*This barrel selection was sourced entirely from the oldest vines at Elk Cove's Five Mountain Vineyard. Planted in 1978 by the Ponzi family on Laurelwood soils to own-rooted Pommard clonal material, this block sits at 500 feet elevation and faces southeast with a view of five Cascade peaks. Elk Cove acquired Five Mountain in 2005, choosing it for its beauty as well as the earthy tones, dark fruit and peppery spice of its Pinot noirs.*

### Winery Information

*Founded by the Campbell family in 1974. Second-generation winemaker Adam Campbell has a tremendous respect for the land on which the grapes were grown: "High quality wine really starts in the vineyard. The time I spend stomping through our 350 acres of vines not only helps us make good decisions in viticulture, it also informs our winemaking decisions. Good winemaking is a mixture of art and science... But at the end of the day I need great vineyard sites and impeccable farming to make phenomenal wines."*