



2007 Pinot noir King Ridge Gran Fondo

Vineyards:

Appellation: Sonoma County

Grower: Bacigalupi, Klopp

Vineyard: Thorn Ridge Ranch,
Bacigalupi Vineyard

Clones: 667, 777, Pommard

Harvest:

Date: 9/18/2007-9/30/2007

Brix: 24.6

The Wine:

100% Pinot noir

Alcohol: 13.8%

pH: 3.68

Total Acidity: 6.21 g/L

Maceration Time: 16 days

Cooperage: 35% new French oak,
65% Seasoned French oak

Production: 600 cases

A tribute to the annual Gran Fondo King ridge bike race in Sonoma County, this wine is a blend two appellations and three different clones of Pinot noir: 667, 777 and Pommard. This wine shows a very floral aroma with rose petals and sweet cherry. Aged in 35% new French oak, the mouth feel is that of soft tannins and sweet oaky vanilla. Vinted in a Burgundian style, The fruitiness of the wine is balanced by the subtle French oak.

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