



## 2017 Sparkling Pinot Meunier

### *Pet Nat*

### **Dommen Vineyard**

### **Russian River**

The newest varietal to our ever-growing list (at last count, it was 21!) is from a 53 year old vineyard in the Russian River. When we were offered a chance to make Sparkling Pinot Meunier in 2017 the answer was not yes, it was HELL YES. Depending on how we count our experimental years this will be our sixth Pet Nat to add to our also ever-growing collection of sparkling wines. There is no question - this one is a keeper. Like all of our Pet Nats, this is a zero zero wine where we bottle before our spontaneous fermentation completes so it continues in the bottle making those delicate and delicious bubbles. We disgorged in the Spring and now we bring what remains to our wine club. But next year, we promise, there is more!

Appellation: Sonoma

Vineyard: Dommen

Varietal: Pinot Meunier

Age: Planted 1953

Elevation: 300 feet

Soil: Goldridge

Harvested: August 23, 2018

Pressed: August 23, 2018

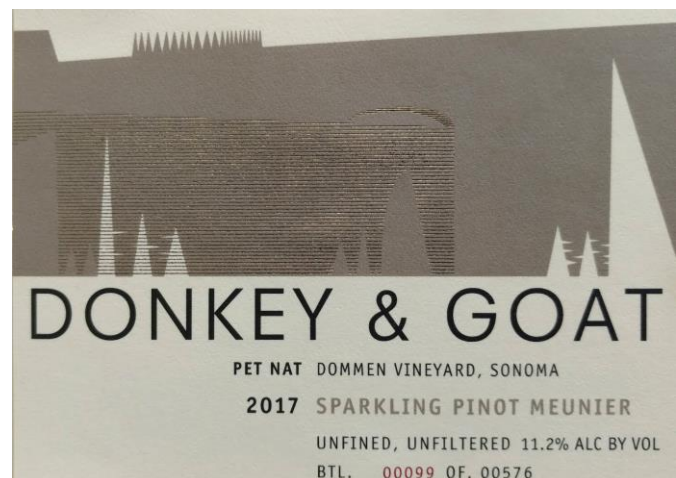
Fermentations: Wild yeasts & bacteria in stainless and glass bottle

Bottled: September 26, 2017

Disgorged: April 2018

Production: 46 cases

Release date: November 2018



### **Tasting Note:**

*Fresh, vibrant and lively this wine will surprise and delight sparkling fans near and far. Delicate fruity notes of green apple and lemon zest with a hint of creaminess and touch of savory herbs and whiff of ginger. Refreshing acidity and soft yet persistent bubbles.*