



# Green Island Vineyards

American Canyon, California

## NORD VINEYARDS

The southern-most Napa Valley vineyard has numerous Pinot Noir and Chardonnay clones promoting ample opportunity for winemakers to develop maximum-flavored wines. A member of the first class of "Green Certified" Napa Valley vineyards, Green Islands' proximity to the Napa-Sonoma Marsh makes it a major flyway for more than 200 species of birds.

### SITE CHARACTERISTICS

- ❏ Located south-east of Carneros, the region is known for cool, foggy mornings
- ❏ Soils are Haire loams with sand and gravel below 3 feet
- ❏ At this proximity to the bay, cold air is moderated, precluding the need for frost protection
- ❏ Slopes are gentle: 2-5%



### SUSTAINABILITY

- ❏ Barn owl boxes are heavily used, helping to control rodent pests
- ❏ "Green Certified" for environmentally beneficial practices and habitat restoration
- ❏ Compost is applied to add organic matter and slowly released nutrients
- ❏ Recycled water is exclusively used for irrigation

### PLANTINGS

- ❏ Vine spacing is 7' X 6'
- ❏ Pinot Noir clones: 667, 777, 115, 5, 16, 2A
- ❏ Chardonnay clones: 96, 17, 4
- ❏ Also plantings of Pinot Gris, Malbec, Merlot
- ❏ All trellising is VSP
- ❏ Row orientation is east-west, with excellent protection of the fruit zone



**Nord Vineyards: Sustaining Napa Valley's legacy of world-class wine.**

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### VINEYARD DATA

BLOCK	VARIETY	CLONE	ROOT-STOCK	SPACING	ACRES	YEAR PLANTED
A1	PINOT NOIR	5	110R	7 X 6	20	1997
A2	PINOT GRIS	VCR5	101-14	7 X 6	8	1997
A3	PINOT NOIR	115	101-14	7 X 6	8	1997
B1	PINOT NOIR	16	3309,110R	7 X 6	11	1996
B2	PINOT NOIR	5,16,2A	5C,101-14	7 X 6	8	1996
B3	PINOT GRIS	VCR5	5C	7 X 6	4	2004
B3	MALBEC	4	5C	7 X 6	2	2004
B3	MERLOT	181	5C	7 X 6	2	2004
B4	CHARDONNAY	4	SO4	7 X 6	7	1997
B5	PINOT NOIR	667,777	5C,1103P	7 X 6	7	1999
B6	PINOT NOIR	777	1103P	7 X 6	1	2004
C1	PINOT NOIR	115	101-14	7 X 6	5	1997
C2	CHARDONNAY	4	101-14	7 X 6	8	1997
C3	CHARDONNAY	17	5C	7 X 6	9	1997
D1	CHARDONNAY	4	SO4	7 X 6	10	1996
D2	CHARDONNAY	4	SO4	7 X 6	9	1996
D3	PINOT NOIR	115	1103P	7 X 6	12	1997
D4	CHARDONNAY	17,96	1103P	7 X 6	6	1997

### DIRECTIONS:

From Napa travel south on Highway 29 to Green Island Road (1.9 miles south of the intersection with Jameson Canyon Road). Turning right (west) on Green Island Road, proceed 1.2 miles to the entrance gate at the cul-de-sac on Jim Oswald Way.

