



ROCO WINERY

2015 THE STALKER PINOT NOIR

JAMESUCKLING.COM 

93 points

“Aromas of plums, cherries, lemons and lavender. Hints of cedar, too. Light to medium body, firm and tight tannins and a vibrant finish. Delicious now.”

James Suckling, December 2017



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• Antonio Galloni
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92 points

“Lurid red. A sexy, highly perfumed bouquet evokes fresh black raspberry, cola and floral pastille scents, along with woodsmoke and Asian spice flourishes. Stains the palate with sweet, concentrated red and dark berry and spice cake flavors that show a suave blend of power and finesse. The spice quality lingers on a very long, penetrating, gently tannic finish that leaves five-spice powder and cola notes behind.”

Josh Raynolds, January 2018



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Wine Spectator
91 points

“A distinctive style, well-built and framed by refined tannins, this offers blueberry, cherry, sassafras tea and spice notes, with an appealingly minerally, earthy accent. Best after 2018. 840 cases made.”

Tim Fish, January 2018



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90 points

“Not a mere whole-cluster wine, the Stalker is made by drying the stalks separately and adding them to whole berries. It’s slightly chalky as a result, with a green edge to the tannins and green tea flavors. Black cherry, espresso and cacao components also factor in. Give it another couple of years and drink after 2020.”

Paul Gregutt, November 2017



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Robert Parker **90** points
WINE ADVOCATE

“The 2015 Pinot Noir The Stalker is made using whole Pinot Noir berries mixed with grape stalks, as opposed to whole cluster fermentation. Pale to medium garnet in color, it opens with notes of herbs, dusty earth, crushed rock and potpourri over a core of red cherry, raspberry jam and cranberry. Light to medium-bodied, it’s red fruited in the mouth with a good spicy layer and earthy notes, with firm, slightly fuzzy tannins and juicy acidity to carry the long spicy finish.”

Erin Brooks, November 2018