

2017 GIANT STEPS  
YARRA VALLEY PINOT NOIR  
**Review Summary**



**97 pts** “Very good color; the intensity of the aromas and flavors unfolding with the first sip stop you in your tracks. The whole bunch component is evident, but not dominant, simply one of many factors in shaping the flavor and texture of this lovely wine.”

**James Halliday**  
**Halliday Wine Companion**  
**2019**

**93 pts** “A complex and satisfying pinot that merges an array of fruits, from strawberries and raspberries to cherries and plums. Dressed in fragrant red perfume and attractive oak spice, the wine also shows some earthiness. An effortless palate that blossoms with airy, fleshy flavors of pinot fruit. You barely notice the web of fine silky tannins below the deck.”

**Nick Stock**  
**JamesSuckling.com**  
**August 15, 2018**

**93 pts** “Medium to full red/purple hue with a charming strawberry, raspberry aroma, fruit-driven and straightforward but very aromatic. Nice wine: deliciously pinoty and fruity, oak taking a back-seat, and tannins well moderated. Sweet red fruits fill the palate. A young but very stylish pinot. Extreme value.”

**Huon Hooke**  
**TheRealReview.com**  
**March 2018**

**92 pts** “Bright, polished red fruit notes of wild strawberry and cherry are fresh and lively, with clove and sage accents and some firmness on the finish, where a dash of nutmeg lingers.”

**MaryAnn Worobiec**  
**Wine Spectator**  
**November 30, 2018**



**91 pts** “This wine’s tight, raspberry-scented fruit meets tannins that share the same red glow, their meatiness almost exotic, like the flavor of kangaroo or other gamey meat. There’s earthen power to this wine...”

**Joshua Greene**  
Wine & Spirits Magazine  
October 2018

**Geoffrey Crundall Perpetual Trophy for Best Pinot Noir**

Sydney Royal Wine Show 2018

