

AS SEEN IN BEST OF YEAR 2016

WINE ENTHUSIAST



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94 **Center of Effort 2014 Pinot Noir (Edna Valley).** For the winery's lower-priced offering, this is a stunner. Baked black cherry, vanilla, raspberry, rose petals and a touch of licorice light up the nose. The lightly poised but intensely focused sip reveals a wild combo of fruit and spice, with sage, bay leaf, thyme and fennel laced through black cherry. It's like walking through the Central Coast scrubland. *Editors' Choice.* —M.K.

abv: 14.4%

Price: \$27