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## Wente Vineyards Announces Inaugural Release of Niki's Pinot Noir Rosé

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**LIVERMORE VALLEY, CA – Valentine's Day 2019** – Wente Vineyards is tickled pink(!) to announce the inaugural release of the 2018 Niki's Pinot Noir Rosé (SRP \$30), just in time for Valentine's Day. Wente Vineyards remains the country's oldest, continuously operated family-owned winery, and this bottling marks the newest addition to an internationally respected stable of top quality, appellation-driven California wines. 2018 Niki's Pinot Noir Rosé is the brainchild of Viticulturist and 5th Generation Winegrower, Niki Wente. Niki partnered with her cousin, Wente Vineyards' Chief Operating Officer and Winemaker Karl Wente, to create a crisp, pure rosé with notes of cantaloupe, rhubarb, white strawberry and mandarin zest, while maintaining a sophisticated, almost rose quartz-like acidity.



***Niki said, "My family has a passion for stewardship of our land. I absolutely love being able to continue this legacy and maintaining quality in our vineyards. Sustainability in the vineyard has always been our practice and we wouldn't still be here after 136 years otherwise. Being able to farm the land I love and make a beautiful wine from the grapes is such a meaningful experience and I'm so excited to share it."***



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