

### **CLASSICS:**

# Hawke's Bay Chardonnay 2017



Specially selected from our two estate-owned Hawke's Bay vineyards, this unoaked Chardonnay offers a creamy palate with melon and peach flavours, without the intrusion of oak. It has a clean, dry finish.

#### **INFORMATION**

Grape Varieties	Chardonnay
Region	Hawke's Bay
Clonal selection	15, 6 & Mendoza
Harvest method	Machine
Harvest Dates	17 <sup>th</sup> March & 22 <sup>nd</sup> March
Harvest Analysis	20-22.5 brix; pH 3.28-3.34; TA 7.2- 8.5g/L
Processing	Crushed & destemmed.
Fermentation vessel	Stainless Steel tank
Fermentation	Various yeasts & temperature
Malolactic	Yes - 15%
Fining	Gelatine
Filtration	Yes







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## **TECHNICAL NOTES**

13.0%
7.2 g/l
3.49
4.0 g/l

## WINEMAKER NOTES

### **Tasting Note**

Creamy palate, melon and peach flavours - clean, dry finish

#### Recommended food

A versatile wine that will enhance a wide variety of dishes.

Recommended cellaring	0-4 years
AWARDS	
SILVER MEDAL	China Wine & Spirits Awards 2019
SILVER MEDAL	Royal Easter Show Wine Awards 2018
SILVER MEDAL	Texsom International Wine Awards 2018
SILVER MEDAL	The Asian Chardonnay Masters 2018
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