



# CHALK HILL

Reviews & Accolades

COUNTY CHARDONNAY 2012

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Sue Courtney, March 2015

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This bright citrine-hued wine has a bold and enticing bouquet of grilled peaches and caramel. A beautifully silky, fine-textured wine in the mouth and while at first it seems a little high-toned, it is in fact quite a malty, leesy, savoury style with lashings of creamy vanillin oak, hints of bacon fat and something a little bit sensual and fascinatingly 'grubby' (like truffle but not truffle) going on in there. Add to that nutmeg, hints of grapefruit and a spicy zesty flourish to the long full-bodied finish, this delicious mouthfilling chardonnay is one to serve at a dinner party.

NEW ZEALAND INTERNATIONAL WINE SHOW

September 2014

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Gold Medal

WINE SPECTATOR

July 2014

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88 Points

A touch raw in texture, with ripe apple, melon and citrus flavors and a leesy-tannic edge that should soften with time. Drink now.