

MIDDLE EARTH

Nelson Chardonnay 2018



Category:	WINE		
Style:	WHITE WINE		
Variety:	CHARDONNAY		
Region:	NELSON		
Vintage:	2018		
Volume:	750ml		
Vineyard:	Lord Rutherford, Brightwater, Nelson		
Vinification:	The Chardonnay for this wine, a blend of CL15 and Mendoza was harvested on the 6th April 2016, processed to the press then only gently squeezed. The juice was settled overnight, racked first thing the next morning off only the heavy juice solids to its ferment tank. Inoculated with a yeast chosen for its contribution to mouthfeel and subtle nutty flavours the ensuing ferment ticked along without a hitch		
Appearance:	Light golden-yellow colour		
Bouquet:	Yellow peach, grilled pineapple and hazelnut		
Palate:	These flavours follow through upon tasting and the wine is at once silky and juicy. The wine has excellent presence is balanced and long lived on the palate		
Technical Analysis:			
Alcohol:	13.00%	Packaging:	1 x 750ml
Hancocks Product:	14547		