

## BROOKFIELDS Hawkes Bay Chardonnay 2017



Category: WINE

Style: WHITE WINE

Variety: CHARDONNAY

Region: HAWKES BAY

Vintage: 2017

Volume: 750ml

Vineyard: All the grapes for the Hawkes Bay Chardonnay were

grown at Ohiti Estate in the Ohiti Valley in the 2017 season. The yields were light hence there is a good

concentration of flavor.

Vinification: Immediately after harvesting on the 22nd March the

grapes were pressed, and the juice was immediately chilled. Following settling and innoculation with a selected yeast strain, the juice was racked and

fermentated in stainless steel.

Palate: The 2017 Hawkes Bay Chardonnay is dominated by

peach, melon and apricot. It had minimal oak treatment, hence it is vibrant and fruit driven. Harvesting the grapes at 22 Brix and above has ensured the mid palate is generous and lasting. Enjoy with fish, poultry and pork or just by itself late

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afternoon on the patio.

Cellaring: 5 years

**Technical Analysis:** 

Alcohol: 13.50% pH: 3.31 Residual Sugar: Dry Packaging:  $1 \times 750 \text{ml}$ 

Titratable Acidity: 7.05g/L Hancocks Product: 14624