

BROOKFIELDS Bergman Chardonnay 2018



Category: WINE

Style: WHITE WINE

Variety: CHARDONNAY

Region: HAWKES BAY

Vintage: 2018

Volume: 750ml

Vineyard: All the grapes for the Bergman Chardonnay are estate

grown. They were harvested from Ohiti Estate. The Bergman Chardonnay takes its name from the Ingrid Bergman roses planted at the winery. The Ohiti Estate grapes were harvested on the 18th and 19th March.

Vinification: Immediately after harvesting the grapes, they were

pressed, and the juice was chilled. Following settling the juice was racked into predominantly French oak, with some American oak, for fermentation and subsequent aging on its lees. Fermentation was with wild yeast. There was partial malolactic fermentation nearly 30%. Total time in oak was nine months there is a small

portion of new oak.

Appearance: Straw gold

Bouquet: Apricot, oak, melon and vanillin are quite evident in the

elegant 2018 Bergman Chardonnay.

Palate: There is a softness due to the partial malolactic

fermentation and the wild fermentation has resulted in a multi- dimensional palate. It will enrich if given time in the

bottle!

Cellaring: 5 years

Technical Analysis:

Alcohol: 14.00% **pH:** 3.5

Residual Sugar: Dry Packaging: 1 x 750ml

Titratable Acidity: 5.78g/L Hancocks Product: 15318