

2020 Harvest Widow Chardonnay

Region Adelaide Hills

Colour Pale straw green in colour

Purity of fruit, exhibiting grapefruit, Aroma

green pear, baked apple, and flint.

Palate Mouth filling creamy texture and

linear mouth-watering acidity. Well

defined tasting.



Viticulture

Variety: Chardonnay Clone: Bernard 76 Row Width: 2.5 metres Vine Spacing: 1.8 metres Vine Density: 2,222 vine per ha

Elevation: 390 metres above sea level

Vine Age: 24 years

Soil Type: Limestone, shale and quartz incorporated within an alluvial loam to medium

Irrigation: Monitored daily drip irrigation

Shoot Thinning: by hand Fruit Thinning: by hand

Fertiliser Program: organic matter **Bird Control:** 100% of the vineyard is bird

netted.

Harvesting: 100% of the vineyard is handpicked

to maximise fruit quality.

Winemaking

- 24 hrs in Coolroom / Freezer before processing
- Whole bunch pressed
- 25% new French oak. Damy and Chassin oak.
- 75% 2-3 yr old French oak
- Free run straight into barrel
- Pressing settled 24hrs then racked
- Wild ferment to free run
- Ferment allowed to get to 20 degrees
- 50% Oak portion went through malo
- Unsulphured for 9 months and lees stirred every 3 weeks
- Out of barrel after 9 mths, settled, racked, stabilised and bottled.

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