



Katnook Estate

COONAWARRA

Steeped in heritage and tradition, the Katnook Estate range of premium quality, single varietal wines are crafted from selected distinguished vineyards and are an expression of the classic and unique characteristics of the Coonawarra wine region.

Katnook Estate range is represented in the 'Excellent' category of the Langton's VI, Classification of Australian Wine.



Chardonnay 2018

Grape Variety: Chardonnay

Region: Coonawarra

Harvest: 05 – 13 March 2018

pH: 3.17 *Acidity:* 6.4g/L
RS: <2.0g/L *Alc/vol:* 13.5%

Vintage:
2018 was an ideal vintage in Coonawarra. Harvest started slightly earlier; good rainfall in the leadup followed by a warmer and drier season than usual, produced outstanding Chardonnay fruit exhibiting excellent varietal and regional expression.

Oak Maturation:
Select parcels (13% of the total blend) were matured in new French oak barrels for an average of 10 months, adding complexity, texture and suppleness.

Colour: Pale gold with green tinges.

Nose: Rich fruit aromas of white peach, ripe pear and citrus with subtle vanilla and cashew nut oak maturation notes.

Palate: Complex layers of vibrant stone fruit flavours with hints of citrus. Elegant oak maturation characters provide balance and structure.

Food Matching: Creamy seafood bisque, roast chicken with herb stuffing or pumpkin and goats cheese risotto.

Cellaring Potential:
Enjoy now or will age gracefully up to ten years.