

# PROVIDENCE ROAD

# Chardonnay 2023

Frankland River Western Australia

COLOUR

Brilliant pale straw with a lighter golden hue

NOSE

Lifted aromas of lemon sherbert and toasted brioche

#### PALATE

An elegant wine with flavours of ripe melons and stone fruits integrated with cashew oak and a fresh lime acidity gives this wine a long, linear finish.

### WINEMAKING

Gingin clone Chardonnay from the estate's block 7 was machine harvested in the cool hours of the morning. Gently pressed to French oak, a combination of puncheon, hogshead, and barrels (20% new) with some juice solids from wild yeast and cool fermentation with occasional lees stirring to build texture and mouthfeel. Maturation for six months before blending and bottling in October.

## FOOD PAIRING

Creamy mushroom risotto or roasted chicken thighs with garlic and herbs

#### VINTAGE NOTES

 ${\it Vintage~2023~was~a~late~season~with~high~rainfall.~Across~the~vineyard,~yields~were~lower~than~average,~but~the~quality~is~outstanding.}$ 

### QUICK NOTES

VINTAGE 2023
WINEMAKERS Liam Carmody, Guy Lyons
GRAPE VARIETY 100% Chardonnay
BOTTLED October 2023
GROWING AREA Frankland River WA

ALC %/VOL 13.0% v/v
STANDARD DRINKS 7.7
CELLAR POTENTIAL 5-8 years
OAK French
MATURATION 6 months

