

FROMM Chardonnay 2022 Clayvin Vineyard

Viticulture

No herbicides, pesticides or systemic fungicides used. Only approved natural fertilizer applied. Vineyard certified organic (BioGro).

Winemaking

Hand-picked on March 20th. Crushed and pressed with stems and fermented in used traditional 228L Burgundian barrels to bone-dry. After fermentation matured for a further 20 months on lees in the same barrels and allowed to go through 100% malo-lactic fermentation.

Wine facts Grape variety Chardonnay (80% Mendoza clone and 20% Clone 15)

Bottled February 1st 2024 under diam at FROMM Winery

Labelled and packed at FROMM Winery

Production 960 bottles
Cellaring potential 1-5years

Winemaker Hätsch Kalberer and Daniel Ah-Loy

Store 10° - 12° Enjoy 10° - 12°

Wine analysis Alcohol 12.5%

Total acidity 7.18 g/l pH 3.11

Residual sugar less than 1 g/l

Winemaker's comments

While rather muted on the nose while cold, this wine unfurls in the glass to reveal hints of stone fruit, white blossoms and a hint of apricot kernel. The palate shows a concentrated core of just-ripe conference pear, white nectarine, framed by a touch of apple-skin phenolic grip. A vein of fine acidity runs throughout, bringing freshness and a sense of poise and balance to this subtle and elegant wine.

Food match

In its youth, this wine is showing a fine delicacy to its fruit character, which combined with the freshening acidity makes it a versatile wine across many cuisines. Try with trout "en papillote", with coquilles saint Jacques, or even simply with alpine cheeses. Our favourite; a caramelized leek and gruyere tart.

