

ROSS HILL

MAYA Chardonnay 2023

VINTAGE CONDITIONS: Abundant rain and cooler temperatures in winter led to a late start to the growing season. Through spring and summer, the vines experienced cooler temperatures and wetter soils, meaning the vines could take their time to ripen the fruit. The final ripening happened in cool, dry conditions, ideal for flavour, acid and tannin development.

VINEYARD: Orange; Central Ranges

VARIETAL: Chardonnay

WINE ANALYSIS: 13.1% v/v, pH 3.39, TA 5.8/L

MATURATION: 18% older French oak, remainder in stainless steel on lees

COLOUR: Pale straw

NOSE: Papaya and stoney aromas complemented by pear and nougat

PALATE: Lively melon, citrus and ripe apple flavours complemented by a refreshing zesty acid framework

CELLAR: Up to 3 years



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