

Pierro

Discover the captivating allure of Pierro Chardonnay, where the richness of Margaret River's terroir meets exceptional winemaking, resulting in a Chardonnay of extraordinary depth and complexity.

Chardonnay 2021

Margaret River, Australia



Alcohol :13,00 %

Composition: 100% Chardonnay

Region and Vineyards

Margaret River, located in Western Australia, is renowned for its pristine environment and maritime climate, which are ideal for cultivating premium Chardonnay.

The region benefits from cooling sea breezes and a long growing season, allowing the grapes to develop intense flavors while retaining vibrant acidity. Pierro's vineyards are meticulously maintained, with an emphasis on sustainable practices and low-yielding vines to ensure the highest quality fruit.

Winemaking

The Pierro Chardonnay is a blend of **carefully selected Chardonnay clones**, each contributing unique characteristics to the final wine. The grapes are hand-harvested at optimal ripeness and undergo whole-bunch pressing to preserve their delicate aromas and flavors. Fermentation occurs in a combination of French oak barrels, 50% new and 50% one to two years old, adding depth and complexity. The wine is **aged on its lees for 12 months**, with regular stirring to enhance texture and mouthfeel, before being lightly fined and bottled.

Tasting Notes

- **Color**: Brilliant straw yellow with golden hues.
- **Aroma**: An enticing bouquet of white peach, nectarine, and citrus zest, interwoven with notes of roasted almonds, brioche, and a hint of vanilla.
- **Palate**: The palate is rich and full-bodied, offering layers of ripe stone fruit, lemon curd, and a touch of minerality. The oak integration is seamless, providing subtle toasty nuances and a creamy texture, balanced by a refreshing acidity that leads to a long, elegant finish.

Did you know?

Pierro was founded by Dr. Michael Peterkin, a pioneer in Margaret River viticulture, who originally trained as a medical doctor before pursuing his passion for winemaking. The estate's commitment to quality has earned it a reputation as one of the leading producers in the region.

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Wine Pairing Ideas

Pierro Chardonnay pairs wonderfully with a variety of dishes. For a classic match, serve it with roasted chicken or turkey, where the wine's acidity and richness complement the savory flavors. Alternatively, it pairs beautifully with seafood, particularly lobster or scallops in a buttery sauce, enhancing the wine's creamy texture and bright citrus notes.



Robert Parker (RP) : 96 Points (2021)

The 2021 Chardonnay is creamy, salty and refined. As per usual for Pierro, there's a skein of crushed nuts and brine here. It's so polished and spicy as it is, with salted cashews, white peach, red apple skins, fresh grated nutmeg, almond meal, curry leaves ... it's all here. Seamless. Superstar. 13.5% alcohol, sealed under screw cap.