



CHARDONNAY 'close ties' 2025

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A clean, citrus-driven nose opens with vibrant notes of green lime and crisp Granny Smith apple, layered with subtle tropical nuances. The palate is fresh and mineral, offering excellent depth and clarity. A beautifully balanced wine that pairs effortlessly with a wide range of seafood dishes.

VINTAGE NOTES

Chardonnay grapes from Elgin planted in Bokkeveld shale using Guyot trellising. Fermented spontaneously and underwent 100% MLF with regular batonage for the first month. 1000L aged in new 1000L foudre and the rest was a third fill foudre. On gross lees until racked for bottling.

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