



PEAKE RANCH

2020 SANTA BARBARA COUNTY CHARDONNAY

Retail Price: \$40.00

Alcohol %: 13.5

Varietal: Chardonnay

Region: Santa Barbara County

Appellation: Santa Barbara County

Vineyards: Sierra Madre & Peake Ranch Vineyards

Blocks: 1, 2B, 14B, 22, 229

Clones: 4, 76, 96, Wente, Hyde

pH: 3.5

Malo: 100% Malolactic Fermentation

Oak Regime: 100% French Oak, 37% New

Coopers: Damy, Taransaud, Francois Feres

Tasting Notes: This bright and energetic Chardonnay is everything we love about the Central Coast. An expressive wine, exuding fresh notes of citrus blossom, white pineapple, creme brulee, with delicate expressions of stone fruits, dried flowers and lemongrass. Nice acidity up front, slight grip and a long finish. Acid remains a dominant component of its structure, which makes this an ideal companion for a wide variety of dishes.



94 points Jeb Dunnuck

“Straight-up gorgeous notes of ripe peach, caramelized apple, flower oil, brioche, and spice all emerge from the 2020 Chardonnay Santa Barbara County, a brilliantly textured, medium to full-bodied Chardonnay with terrific balance as well as length. It reminds me of some of the great Chardonnays coming out of the Russian River Valley with its opulence and richness.”

-Jeb Dunnuck

91 points Vinous:

“The 2020 Chardonnay (Santa Barbara County) is a fabulous appellation-level wine. Rich and beautifully textured, the 2020 impresses with its creaminess, depth and texture. Orchard fruit, lime, chamomile, dried flowers and ginger lend notable complexity throughout. Floral and mineral accents linger on the close. This is the most overt of the three Chardonnays in the range.”

-Antonio Galloni