

# NIKOLA



# REGIONAL GEOGRAOPHE CHARDONNAY

# **COLOUR**

Pale straw, yellow

# **TASTING NOTES**

Pale straw, green edges in colour, on the nose expect a fresh bouquet of apricot, vanilla pod, honey dew melon, pear tart and puff pastry. The palate is rich and full-bodied with white nectarine, vanilla, almond nougat, limoncello characters with a powerful finish.

#### **WINEMAKING**

The fruit was hand-picked and whole bunch pressed directly to 100% new French Oak where it was allowed a natural ferment. Barrel stirring was undertaken weekly and the wine underwent a full malolactic fermentation. It was rested for nine months in oak.

# **VINTAGE CONDITIONS**

Geographe experienced hot conditions that led to a quick ripening process which captured the intensity and flavour profile of the fruit.

### **FOOD PAIRING**

Roast chicken with all the trimmings.

# **QUICK NOTES**

# VINTAGE

2024

# **WINEMAKERS**

Damian Hutton Marcello Fabretti

# **GROWING REGION**

100% Geographe

# **GRAPE VARIETY**

100% Chardonnay

# **ALC % VOL**

14.5%

# **TITRATABLE ACIDITY**

7.4g/L

# PH

3.4

# OAK

100% New French

# **MATURATION**

9 months

# **CELLARING POTENTIAL**

20 years