

2009 Sonoma Coast Chardonnay

- Varietal:** 100% Chardonnay
- Vineyards:** 58% Wildcat Mountain, 28% Green Acres Hill, 14% Stiling
- Cases Produced:** 162
- Bottled:** December 2, 2010
- Oak Regimen:** 100% French oak – 33% new, 67% neutral
- Notes:** Pale gold with only partial malolactic fermentation, the nose is surprisingly fruity in its youth, with lemon and green apple aromas accompanied by a medley of tropical fruit like kiwi and pineapple. The palate has plenty of fruit as well, but the acidity keeps it in balance as flavors of mango and papaya play off delicate floral notes. Over time we expect more earth and mineral tones (which were so powerfully present in barrel) to reassert themselves. Bright and lively, this is wonderfully refreshing now and will only gain in complexity and depth with age.



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