

Grapes

100% Chardonnay

Region/Appellation

Karridale and Wilyabrup, **Margaret River** 

Alcohol by volume 13.00%

Residual Sugar 2 g/l

pН

3.2

**Total Acidity** 7.65 g/l

**Drinking Window** 2024 - 2030

**Tasting Guide** 







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# Cherubino Margaret River Chardonnay 2021 6x75cl

#### Winemaker Notes

Aromas of roasted nuts, peach and sweet citrus blossom aromas and complex oak spices. Flavours of citrus, mineral salts and a fine, long acidity.

### Winemaking

The fruit was hand-picked and whole-bunch pressed directly into 60% new French oak, 40% 1 year old French oak from a combination of forests -Vosges, Troncais and Allier. Juice naturally fermented in barrel with only 10% allowed to go through full malolactic fermentation.

## Vintage

A very challenging year with above average rainfall. Careful fruit selection and canopy management made all the difference with expressive white wines with longevity due to the long, slow ripening. The northern end of the Margert River, Wilyabrup and Yallingup experienced very different condition to the south. Reds are very perfumed and long in flavour with abundant tannins.

#### Food match

Grilled and Roasted White Meats

Pan-fried halibut with wild mushrooms and gnocchi

