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JENNIFER'S CHARDONNAY

RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY

2018

VINEYARD CHARACTER

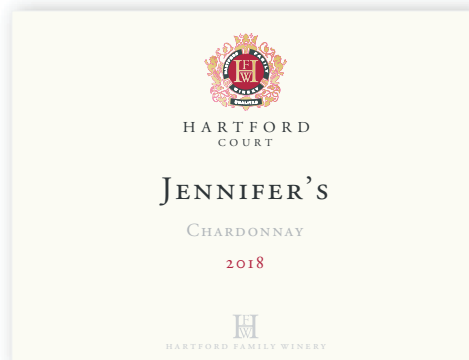
Jennifer's Chardonnay is named in honor of co-proprietor Jennifer Hartford. This wine is defined by its power, concentration of fruit, structure and an underlying elegance. Jennifer's Chardonnay is sourced from a vineyard in the windy and very cool Sebastopol Hills neighborhood of the Russian River Valley AVA. The block was planted to old Wente selection Chardonnay in 2005. We now have a sense of the place and the wine it can produce and are very excited to share it with everyone.

TASTING NOTES

Jennifer's Chardonnay shows the pedigree of its cool climate with aromatics of mandarin, pink grapefruit, mango and cool climate salinity. The wine has great weight and concentration, with interplay between the minerality and tension of the cool climate and the fruit intensity of the old Wente selection. Flavors of bright citrus and baked pineapple play off the subtle barrel influence and acidity, giving the wine great length and complexity.

WINE STATISTICS

Oak:	100% French oak: 34% new
Time in oak:	14 months
Yeast:	Native
TA:	7.3 g/L
pH:	3.31
Alcohol:	14.7%
Cases Produced:	220
No fining or filtration	



HISTORICAL ACCLAIM

2017	95 points	V.B., <i>Wine Enthusiast</i> , October 2020
2017	94 points	A.G., <i>Vinous</i> , April 2020
2017	97 points	L.P.-B., <i>Robert Parker Wine Advocate</i> , February 2020
2016	97+ points	L.P.-B., <i>Robert Parker Wine Advocate</i> , October 2018
2016	96-98+ points	R.P., <i>Robert Parker Wine Advocate</i> , December 2017
2015	93-95 points	R.P., <i>Robert Parker Wine Advocate</i> , October 2016
2015	92-94 points	A.G., <i>Vinous</i> , January 2015
2013	91-93 points	A.G., <i>Vinous</i> , January 2015