



HARTFORD
COURT

FAR COAST VINEYARD

SONOMA COAST • CHARDONNAY

2019

VINTAGE & VINEYARD CHARACTER

Our Far Coast Vineyard is a cool site surrounded by redwood forests, nearly two hours north of the Russian River on a Sonoma Coast Mountain ridge. It is an area that some call the 'True Sonoma Coast'. Others would simply describe the distant vineyard site as 'the middle of nowhere'. Far Coast Vineyard sits just south of the town of Annapolis at 800-1000 feet above sea level. The soils at this ridge-top site are well drained Goldridge sandy loam, which helps to intensify the sense of minerality and focus in the wines produced from this vineyard. This wine was produced from a block planted to Clones 15, Dijon 76 and 809.

TASTING NOTES

This vintage of the Far Coast Vineyard Chardonnay exhibits aromas of orange zest, quince, yellow apple, dried fruits and spice. The flavors of tangerine, mandarin orange and quince are followed by a long textural finish with structure and minerality.

WINE STATISTICS

Oak: 100% French oak, 39% new
Time in oak: 14 months
Yeast: Native
Alcohol: 14.8%
TA: 5.6 g/L
pH: 3.37
Cases produced: 245
Unfined and unfiltered



HISTORICAL ACCLAIM

2018: **94 points** A.G., Vinous, July 2021
2018: **95+ points** L.P.-B, Robert Parker Wine Advocate, January 2021
2018: **95 points** V.B., Wine Enthusiast, September 2021
2018: **97 points** J.D., JebDunnuck.com, July 2021
2017: **96 points** V.B., Wine Enthusiast, October 2020
2017: **96 points** J.D., JebDunnuck.com, May 2020
2016: **98 points** J.D., JebDunnuck.com, June 2019
2016: **96 points** L.P.B, Robert Parker Wine Advocate, October 2018
2015: **100 points** J.D., JebDunnuck.com, June 2018
2015: **96-100 points** R.M.P. Jr., Robert Parker Wine Advocate, October 2016
2015: **91-93 points** A.G., Vinous, March 2017
2014: **94-96 points** R.M.P. Jr., Robert Parker Wine Advocate, October 2015
2014: **91-93 points** A.G., Vinous, February 2016
2013: **92-94 points** R.M.P. Jr., Robert Parker Wine Advocate, December 2014
2012: **95-97 points** R.M.P. Jr., Robert Parker Wine Advocate, December 2013
2012: **92 points** S.T., International Wine Cellar, May 2014
2011: **92-93 points** S.T., International Wine Cellar, May 2013
2011: **90-92 points** A.G., Robert Parker Wine Advocate, April 2013
2010: **92-93 points** S.T., International Wine Cellar, May 2012
2010: **90-92 points** A.G., Robert Parker Wine Advocate, February 2012