



Cherubino

The sum of our experiences and our best performing parcels of vineyard come to be expressed in our Cherubino range.

It's the best of what we do, from Margaret River to Pemberton, to the regions of the Great Southern: our top one per cent, and with each year, we improve the quality of our best.

Hand made, with attention to detail taken at every step of the winemaking journey.

They are our signature, the sign of our best work.

2020 Gin Gin Chardonnay

THE VINTAGE:

Low rainfall and warm temperatures in spring resulted in a very early harvest. All varietals performed exceptionally well with the standout being Cabernet Sauvignon.

THE 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 only10% allowed to go through full malolactic fermentation.

THE WINE:

Dominant aromas of barley sugar, citrus blossom and mineral – typical of the Gingin clone. Constructed with ample texture and a long, fine acidity.

Vineyard Various Year Planted 1986-2009 Location Margaret River, WA Vines per Hectare 1350-2200 Irrigation Yes Clone/s 95,96 Rootstock Own Aspect Northern Soils Various

Margaret River, WA Origin Chardonnay Variety March 2020 Picking date Sugar at picking 13.1 °Baume Alcohol: 13.6% 3.16 Total acidity $7.47\,\mathrm{g/L}$ Residual sugar $2 \, \mathrm{g/L}$ **Bottled** March 2021 **Cellaring Potential** 10 years

Vegan N/A
Vegetarian N/A
Organic N/A
Biodynamic N/A
Allergens Low Sulphites