

## $Ad\ Hoc$

Ad Hoc is an assembly of varietal wines for any occasion, each wine sourced from its best-suited region in Western Australia.

From Margaret River, to Pemberton, to the regions of the Great Southern, we've grown up and worked amongst the vines. Our knowledge of these regions and relationships with other grape growers enables us to find the best vineyards for each grape variety, and this is what we show with through Ad Hoc.

We've travelled long to find the path of least resistance, enabling us to show you great quality at great value for money.

Ad Hoc are "go-to", dependable wines for any occasion, as characterful as their labels.

# 2018 Hen & Chicken Chardonnay

#### THE VINTAGE:

A dry start to the winter followed by good spring rainfall. The summer was mild with temperatures below 30c throughout the entire season which resulted in some of the best Pinot Noir in decades. All white varieties are marked by lively acidity backed by strong flavours and textures resulting in very well balanced wines.

Vintage Rating—9.5/10

#### THE WINEMAKING:

Fruit was hand picked, whole bunch pressed, fermented with natural yeasts and aged in new and two year old French oak prior to bottling.

### THE WINE:

A pale, beautifully balanced chardonnay with hints of vanilla on the nose and a winning cool climate acidity. Careful oak treatment has resulted in a wine of depth and balance.

#### **DRINK WITH:**

Seafood & lemon risotto.

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Rootstock Own Aspect Northern Soils Genassic Origin Pemberton, WA
Variety Chardonnay
Picking date March 2018
Sugar at picking 12.6°Baume
Alcohol 13.1%
pH 3.28
Total acidity 6.8 g/L

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