

Fairwinds

ESTATE WINERY



2014 Chardonnay, Napa Valley

Vintage 2014
Varietal Chardonnay
Appellation Napa Valley
Alcohol % 13.4

Bright and sunny in the glass, this Chardonnay greets you with immediate wafts of ripe honeydew melon, papaya and paper whites. The mouthfeel is flirty and slightly acidic with a good backbone to carry the rich flavors of white peach, vanilla, toasted hazelnuts, citrus and dried thyme to the long finish. It lingers as it started, with a smile, and draws to a bright, crisp conclusion. A wonderful wine for summer, or any fowl, fish or vegetable pairing.

The fruit for this wine came from a highly regarded grower in the center of Napa. Chosen from three blocks with different clones that highlight both aromatics and fine acid structure, it was aged for 9 months in French oak barrels, about 30% new and the remainder second use and older.



Fairwinds Estate Winery is nestled in the hillside off the Silverado Trail in Calistoga and is dedicated to the production of hand-crafted wines from small lots that are full of luscious fruit character. Our historic winery not only offers sweeping views of the Napa Valley, but is also a fabulous venue for large gatherings in our spacious wine caves and manicured grounds. Come see us for a private tasting, picnic, or barrel thieving experience.