

KENZIE MANGATAHI CHARDONNAY 2024

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Product Code:	31341	Closure:	Screw Cap
Country:	New Zealand	Unit:	Each
Region:	Hawkes Bay	Volume:	750ml
Style:	White	Grape:	100% Chardonnay
Variety:	Chardonnay		



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TASTING NOTES

Winery notes (2024 Vintage)

"The Mangatahi vineyard of Osawa sits on ancient river terraces formed by the braided Ngaruroro River. Planted in 2006, the terraces are made up of greywacke stone with a topsoil based of volcanic ash, alluvial gravels and silt loams. Located inland and between two mountain ranges the organically farmed vineyard benefits from low rainfall, warm days and cool nights.

Handpicked fruit was wholebunch pressed direct to 500L French puncheons with full solids. 25% of which was new oak. After a few days, wild fermentation spontaneously started and progressed for 21 days with a maximum temperature of 25 deg C. Post fermentation the wine was stirred a few times and left to mature at cool temperatures. 50% of the puncheons progressed through malolactic fermentation while minimal sulphur was added to the other 50%. After a total of 9 months of barrel maturation the wine was racked to tank for a further 6 months of maturing on lees. No fining or filtration.

Citrus, flint and white stonefruit. A crunchy, chalky texture with flavours of granny smith apple, chamomile and light toast. Brilliant acidity and a grapefruit zest finish."

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