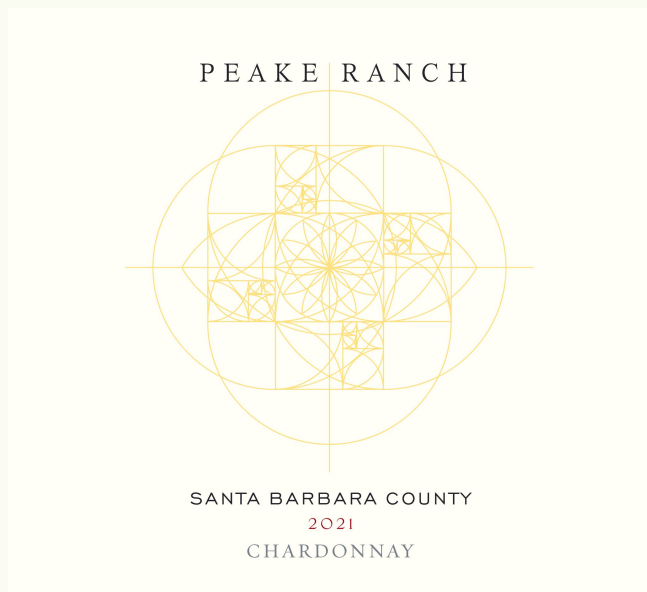


PEAKE RANCH

2021 SANTA BARBARA COUNTY CHARDONNAY



Retail Price: \$40.00

Alcohol %: 13.5

Variety: Chardonnay

Region: Santa Barbara County

Appellation: Santa Barbara County

Vineyards: Sierra Madre, John Sebastiano, and Peake Ranch Vineyards

Blocks: 1, 2B, 14B, 22, 30, 229

Clones: 4, 76, 96, Wente, Hyde

pH: 3.4

Malolactic Fermentation: 100%

Oak Regime: 100% French Oak, 33% New

Coopers: Damy, Taransaud, Francois Feres

Tasting Notes: The 2021 Santa Barbara County Chardonnay is the perfect encapsulation of the Central Coast. This bright and expressive wine exudes fresh notes of lemon zest, brioche, and citrus blossoms. There is a pleasant balance of acidity and texture along with a long finish. As it lingers, a delicate cinnamon and apple combo will start to surface.

94 points Jeb Dunnuck

"Light gold-hued, the 2021 Chardonnay Santa Barbara County offers a classic Chardonnay nose of ripe orchard fruits, lemon peel, and brioche, with plenty of background Sta. Rita Hills chalky minerality and obvious salinity. This medium-bodied, balanced, beautifully textured Chardonnay is well worth seeking out and represents a terrific value."

-Jeb Dunnuck

93 points Wine Enthusiast:

"This is a very solid county cuvée, no surprise since the single-vineyard components are also all owned by the winery. Pleasantly subtle aromas of citrus peel, white blossom and tight nectarine lead into a grippy palate that shows flavors of lime juice and sea salt on jicama and Asian pear. "

- Matt Kettmann