

# 2020 CHARDONNAY

## Eden Hill Vines Benzie County

Although it is a grape we always work with for sparkling wine and blending, we have only produced a single varietal Chardonnay five times throughout the history of Left Foot Charley.

In 2020 we selected a specific section of the Eden Hill Vineyard to reserve for a barrel-fermented Chardonnay. This small section consists of a single clone known for its opulent fruit and balanced ripening. The vintage afforded us an opportunity to take advantage of these characteristics, and we produced around 100 cases to be allocated first to our wine club.

We fermented this lot in gently used French Oak - two 225L barrels and one 500L puncheon. The intention with this wine was to keep the effects of the barrel-aging in balance with the characteristics of the fruit.

## THE VINEYARD

### Eden Hill Vines

Appellation: Benzie County

Varieties: Chardonnay, Blaufränkisch

Acreage: 5

Year Planted: 2015

Grown by: Michael and Nancy Call



### wine specs

RS: 0 g/L

PH: 3.42

TA: 9.3 g/L

ABV: 13%

105 cases

Aged: French Oak

Aging window:

5-8 years