



# KIMURA

CELLARS

## MARLBOROUGH 2023 Chardonnay

### Vineyard

The vineyard is in the north of Wairau Valley. The age of vine is 28 years old (Clone 1 and 95), and the vine produces lower yield and smaller berries. The soils are silt loam with many large stones.

### Winemaking

The fruits for this wine were hand-picked and whole clusters were pressed to gain the pure juice. Juice was run to tank for settling overnight and filled to barrel (16% new) where it is fermented with fine lees. It then rests in French barrels for 10 months. Only 210 cases were made.

### Tasting note

The wine has aroma of grapefruit, apple, lemon and sweet spicy oak notes. It has soft texture with refreshing acidity. There is purity of varietal expression and balanced with the acidity, lovely fruit concentration and a fine oak quality.

Alcohol:13% | TA:5.8 g per L | pH:3.3 | Residual sugar:Nil