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# Bream Creek Vineyard

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Bream Creek Vineyard is one of the pioneers of the modern Tasmanian wine industry. Our 7.5ha vineyard at Marion Bay in the south-east of Tasmania was originally planted in 1974, making it one of the oldest commercial vineyards on the island. Fred Peacock purchased the vineyard in 1990 and expanded the Pinot Noir and Chardonnay plantings, as well as introducing Sauvignon Blanc. Fred also planted what was arguably the first commercial planting of the rare German grape variety Schönburger in the southern hemisphere. Since 1990 our premium cool climate wine has been rewarded with 31 trophies and more than 740 show medals.

## 2016 Bream Creek Reserve Chardonnay



### **Tasting Note**

Vintage 2016 was simply spectacular in Tasmania. Perfect growing conditions provided the ideal platform to grow fruit that was of excellent quality, with fantastic balance between flavour and physiological ripeness.

This limited release Tasmanian Chardonnay shows complex lemon, grapefruit, almond, oatmeal and spicy French oak flavours balanced by crisp, bright acidity. With excellent length and intensity this wine can be enjoyed now and will also reward careful cellaring. Food matches would include slow cooked Scottsdale pork shoulder or herb roasted Marion Bay chicken.

### **Awards and Reviews**

**Trophy “Best White Wine”, Trophy “Best Chardonnay up to 12.9% Alc” & Gold Medal 2018 AWC International Wine Challenge**

Double Gold Medal 2018 Asia Wine & Spirits Awards

Gold Medal Class 13 2018 International Cool Climate Wine Show

Gold Medal Class 13 2018 Tasmanian Wine Show

96 points Huon Hooke (ranked #2 / 43 2016 Tasmanian Chardonnay)

Alc/Vol 12.9%

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