LABRI 1694
FRANSCHHOEK



Chardonnay 2026

TASTING NOTES
Fruity and expressive, this wine entices with notes of white pear and peach, leading to a creamy balanced palate all offset against a backdrop of a crisp acidity with a sweetsour finish

THE HARVEST
Handpicked in the last week of January from clonal vineyard planted in 2016 – focussing on clone CY95

IN THE CELLAR
Overnight cold storage of the grapes preserved the fresh fruity character during whole bunch pressing. After settling, the clear juice was racked off its gross lees into a selection of the best 300 and 600L French oak barrels (29% new). The wines underwent a combination of natural fermentation and selected inoculation in the barrels. The wines were aged on lees 9 months before bottling.

BOTANICAL SKETCH
Each of our wines is linked to a specific flower – the characteristics of the wine are symbolized by that particular flower on the label.

Clivia miniata **(Buttercup)**
The bright yellow colour of the Clivia is synonymous with our lively **Chardonnay** and its floral notes.

Alcohol	14.06 % vol	RS	2.5 g/l
pH	3.6	Total Acid	6.8 g/l

New release