

CHALONE VINEYARD

CHALONE CHARDONNAY, 2021



SUPPLIER

[Foley Family Wines](#) - Compliance approved recommended wine supplier 2023-2025 program

VARIETAL

100% Chardonnay

APPELLATION

Chalone (Monterey)

COOPERAGE

12 months in 40% new French oak barrels

ALCOHOL

14.8%

PROFILE

The 2021 Chalone Chardonnay opens with notes of lemon curd, mandarin orange, and hints of toasted brioche. These characters carry through to the honeyed mid-palate where classic Chalone wet rock minerality provides an elegant finish.

BRAND FACTS + KEY SELLING POINTS

- A California pioneer with a storied history dating to the 1870's
- The oldest producing vineyard in Monterey County and the sole winery in the Chalone AVA
- High elevation estate perched in the remote Gavilan Mountain range, bordering the Pinnacles National Park
- Ancient limestone and granitic soils add unique minerality and exceptional complexity to the unique character of Chalone wines
- The Chalone Chardonnay was ranked #3 in the 1976 Judgement of Paris tasting and ranked #1 in the 1978 San Francisco re-enactment tasting

PGH TIER ACTIVATION

- Tier 1: Recommended mandated Chardonnay By-The-Glass at specialty restaurants. Minimum mandate BTB use. Optional for bars, pools, rooftop, in-room-dining, premium banquet/catering and grab & go.
- Tier 2: Optional Chardonnay BTB & BTB use at premium catering

SCORES & ACCOLADES

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