



# THE ELEANOR

ESTD 1692

**HARTENBERG**  
WINE ESTATE

STELLENBOSCH · SOUTH AFRICA

*The Eleanor Chardonnay honours the matriarch of the Finlayson family who, with her husband Maurice, owned Hartenberg Estate (then "Montagne") from 1948 to 1977. Strong and resolute in character, yet always sophisticated and poised, who better personifies our super-premium Chardonnay?*

**2015**

## AWARDS

- 2014: 4½ stars Platters SA Wine Guide
- 2014: Tim Atkins 93 points
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- 2013: 4½ stars Platters SA Wine Guide
- 2012: Gold Medal IWSC (2014)
- 2011: 4½ stars Platters SA Wine Guide
- 2010: 4½ stars Platters SA Wine Guide
- 2009: 4½ stars Platters SA Wine Guide  
Gold Medal International Wine & Spirits Com (UK 2012)
- 2008: 4½ stars Platters SA Wine Guide
- 2007: 91 points Robert Parker  
89 points Wine Spectator & 91 points in August 2011  
4½ stars Platters SA Wine Guide
- 2006 & 2005: 90 points Wine Spectator  
4½ stars Platters SA Wine Guide
- 2004: 4½ stars Platters SA Wine Guide  
Gold Medal SA Veritas (2006)  
Gold Medal Chardonnay Du Monde France

## FOOD MATCHING

Oysters, Scallop and Chardonnay risotto with a basil cream sauce, Cape linefish, Cheeses.

## TASTING NOTE

Perfumed, nutty, roasted almonds with vanillin notes. Complex and rich with a tangy finish.

## PRODUCTION

- Barrel Ageing: 12 months in 50% new and 50% 2<sup>nd</sup> fill French oak Barriques (225l)
- Maturation: Recommended 2 to 8 years from vintage
- Alcohol: 13.74 % by volume
- Residual Sugar: 2.2 g/l
- Total Acid: 6.7 g/l

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