



#### TECHNICAL NOTES

**APPELLATION:**  
Green Valley of the Russian River  
Valley, Sonoma County

**ALCOHOL:** 14.5%

**PH:** 3.51

**TA:** 6.3

**AGING:**  
13 months in 18% new French oak

**VARIETY:** Chardonnay

**HARVEST DATE:**  
September 24 - October 14, 2019



CALIFORNIA'S FIRST PREMIUM WINERY  
SINCE 1857

*Buena Vista Winery*

VINICULTURAL  
SOCIETY

NATALIA'S SELECTION  
CHARDONNAY

GREEN VALLEY OF THE RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY  
VINTAGE 2019

The Buena Vista Vinicultural Society was formed in 1863 by the winery's founder, Count Agoston Haraszthy, to further improve its winemaking prowess and expand its vineyards. The Vinicultural Society has been restored as a collection of unique small-production wines that honor the winery's pioneering spirit and contribution to California winemaking. The collection of wines explores clonal selections, varietals and the incredible terroir of Sonoma County.

#### WINEMAKER'S NOTES

Named for the wife of the Count's son Attila and the daughter of General Mariano Vallejo, Natalia's selection Chardonnay is harvested from the Green Valley region of the Russian River Valley, where the warm summer days and cool nights of the region allowed the select blocks to reach optimum ripeness and flavor maturity. The grapes for our 2019 Chardonnay were harvested in the early morning to refrain freshness. The wine underwent 100% malolactic fermentation and was aged in 65% French oak, 18% new, for 13 months prior to bottling.

#### TASTING NOTES

A garland of crème fraîche, lemon zest, ripe pear, orange zest and brioche leap from the glass. This is a vibrant, medium-bodied wine with flavors of fresh peaches, honeysuckle, toasted almonds, and hints of spiced apple coated with refreshing acidity and a buttery-textured finish.

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