

2024 DUMOL HIGHLAND DIVIDE CHARDONNAY



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Impressions

This marks the first appearance of our neighbor's old vine Chardonnay vineyard—Peters Sundance Ranch—which we leased in 2024 and began to farm organically with our in-house team. It's immediately down the hill from our Bressay Estate, giving it serious pedigree and potential. The wine presents as elite level coastal-style Russian River Chardonnay—a mix of citrus and stone fruits, broad chewy texture, excellent volume, and mouth filling richness from low-yielding old vines, backlit by vibrant acidity. It's poised to become one of the most important vineyards in our Estate portfolio, and this new vintage of Highland Divide is the perfect start.

Aromas and flavors akin to white flowers, fresh mint, nutmeg, peach, apricot, and lemon curd. The wine's rich fruit personality dominates—layered, nuanced, and deep. Vibrant lemony acidity cuts through the wine and drives it to an energetic, tangy finish. Very long aftertaste with rising flinty notes.

For drinking on release and aging up to 7 years.

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POINTS

"The 2024 Chardonnay Highland Divide is terrific. Bright, floral aromatics and orchard fruit confer brightness. White pepper, slate and chalk lift the vibrant finish."—Antonio Galloni / *Vinous*

Vineyard & Winemaking Details

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| APPELLATION | RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY |
| VINEYARD | 100% PETERS SUNDANCE RANCH |
| CLONE | CLONE 4 & OLD WENTZ |
| YEAR PLANTED | 1989 |
| HARVEST DATES | SEPTEMBER 4-13 |
| BARREL AGING | FERMENTED BY NATIVE YEASTS THEN AGED IN 228L & 350L FRENCH OAK BARRELS, 20% NEW FOR 11 MONTHS. BLENDED AND FINISHED IN TANK FOR 4 MONTHS. |
| PRODUCTION | 1,250 CASES OF 750MLS |