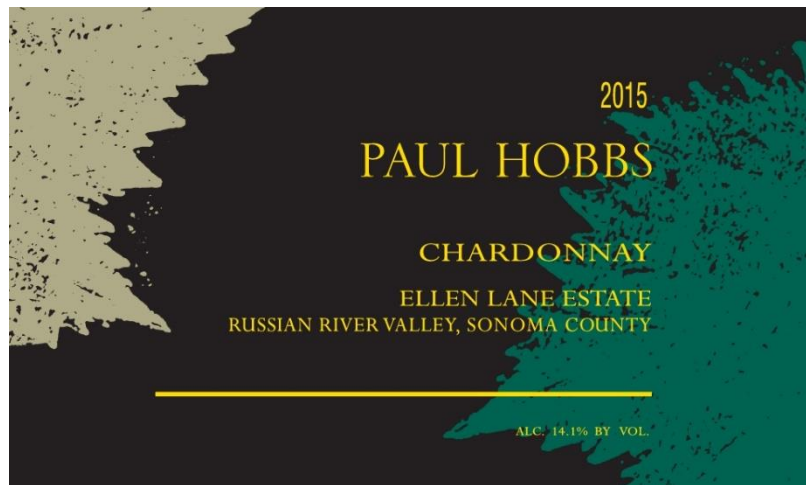


PAUL HOBBS WINERY



2015 PAUL HOBBS CHARDONNAY, ELLEN LANE ESTATE, RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY

94 POINTS

“This has more mango peel and peach skin with some dried jackfruit, dried rosemary and peach compote. The palate got lovely ripe, soft fruit but then a line of acidity at the back that drives things through to an oily, topical finish.” – James Suckling, May 2018

94 POINTS

“The 2015 Chardonnay Ellen Lane Estate reveals a stunning floral nose of orange blossoms and honeysuckle over a core of peach preserves, apple pie and green mango with touches of baking bread, toasted almonds and crushed rocks. Medium to full-bodied, the palate is tightly wound of stone fruit and savory layers with a lively line of freshness and satiny texture, finishing long and perfumed.” – Lisa Perrotti-Brown, The Wine Advocate, June 2018

93 POINTS

“Lemon confit and a host of floral overtones give the 2015 Chardonnay Ellen Lane Estate quite a bit of freshness to balance the natural richness of the year. In this vintage, the Ellen Lane is a bit more voluptuous than it often is. Paul Hobbs adds that the berry size was smaller than normal, and therefore the wine has higher extract. I imagine the 2015 will develop nicely in bottle given its density.” – Antonio Galloni, Vinous, April 2018