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BISCAY ROAD

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CHARDONNAY

Planted in 1981, the iconic Biscay Road Vineyard is one of only a few in the Barossa where the soil is unique, the cracking clay Biscay soils provide ideal vine growing conditions for red varietals.

Biscay Road Vineyard grows Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon, Grenache and Mataro across 64 acres on the edge of Tanunda and Bethany. It also supplies grapes to some of the most well-known wineries in the Barossa.

VEGAN FRIENDLY

SUSTAINABLE WINEGROWING AUSTRALIA · CERTIFIED ·



VINTAGE CONDITIONS

The 2026 vintage delivered excellent quality despite a challenging season. Winter rainfall provided valuable moisture, while a warm, dry summer encouraged strong fruit development and concentration.

Variable fruit set and heatwaves reduced yields, naturally intensifying flavour and structure. March rainfall added complexity, but dry periods maintained vineyard health. The resulting wines show impressive purity.

TASTING NOTE

A refined, Burgundian-inspired expression, balancing generosity and texture with freshness, precision and restraint. The nose reveals white peach, nectarine and lemon zest, layered with lemon curd, toasted almond and finely integrated French oak. Delicate flint and struck-match characters add savoury complexity and depth.

The palate is poised and beautifully textured, with ripe stone fruit and citrus framed by vibrant natural acidity. Creamy nuances provide richness and weight, while restrained oak adds structure and complexity. Elegant and precise, the finish is long and focused, lingering with citrus, white peach, fine spice and a distinctive mineral edge.

FOOD MATCHING

Pan-roasted barramundi with lemon beurre blanc, complementing Chardonnay's creamy texture, subtle oak, citrus freshness and vibrant acidity.

WINEMAKING

Picked early morning for freshness, the Chardonnay was gently pressed and settled on lees for texture. Fermented in stainless steel and French oak, including one new hogshead, it aged six months with partial malolactic fermentation for added complexity.

TECHNICAL DATA

Winemaker: Dan Graham

Varietal: Chardonnay 100%

Region: Barossa Valley

Alc: 13.6%, **pH:** 3.44, **TA:** 7.10 g/L

Harvest Date: April 2026