

## Plaisir de Merle Chardonnay 2006

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Colour: Light yellow straw colored tint.

Bouquet and Taste: Pronounced toasted vanilla wood flavours, roasted nuts and honey aromas with a combination of caramelised lemons and tropical fruit on the palate, which is balanced by subtle sweetness and toasted wood flavours. A well-integrated wine with an appealing flavour and a pleasant lingering aftertaste.

Enjoy on its own or with fish, white meats and salads.

variety : Chardonnay | 100% Chardonnay

winery : Plaisir Wine Estate

winemaker : Niel Bester

wine of origin : Coastal

analysis : alc : 14.0 % vol   rs : 2.1 g/l   pH : 3.38   ta : 6.01 g/l

type : White   style : Dry   taste : Fruity   wooded

pack : Bottle   closure : Cork

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in the vineyard : **The vineyards (viticulturist: Hannes van Rensburg)**

Grapes were sourced from vineyards in Simondium. The vines, ranging from 10 to 18 years old, are situated between 360 m and 450 m above sea level on the south-eastern slopes of the Simonsberg.

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested by hand at between 22.7Â° and 24.3Â° balling

