

## Delaire Chardonnay 2004 (Unwooded)

3½ stars John Platter

Green apple, citrus and pear fruit with a rich complex, creamy palate. The finish is dry with a firm acid follow through that lifts the flavour. Intense, fresh lingering aftertaste.

Fish and Poultry dishes.

**variety :** Chardonnay | 100% Chardonnay

**winery :** Delaire Graff Estate

**winemaker :** .

**wine of origin :** Coastal

**analysis :** alc : 13.5 % vol   rs : 1.8 g/l   pH : 3.53   ta : 5.79 g/l

**type :** White   **style :** Dry   **taste :** Fruity

**pack :** Bottle   **closure :** Cork

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**ageing :** 2 - 3 years

**in the vineyard :** Situation: Faces North - East

Altitude: 270 m

Distance from Sea: 50 km

Soil Type: Hutton

Rootstock: Richter 99

Age of vines: 6-18 years

Trellising: 5 Wire Perold System

Pruning: 2 bud spurs

**about the harvest:** The grapes were harvested the end of February.

**in the cellar :** Fermentation temp: 13°C.

Bottled: 14/06/2004

