

*Coldstream Hills*  

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*Amphitheatre Club*







# *Discover the Yarra Valley*

## *with an enchanting new vintage and critically-acclaimed favourites*

Welcome to another year in the life of wine. As I write, it is a great time to reflect on past vintages in anticipation of what Mother Nature has in store for us in 2019. Everything we create is a reflection of the season and the vineyard, with a little bit of help from us in the winery!

The new Autumn release offers an array of new vintage wines, along with our prized Single Vineyard and Reserve selections. Our 2018 Yarra Valley Chardonnay and Pinot Noir wines are new releases and highlight a warmer season than 2017. Expect vibrancy and flavour as a hallmark of the vintage.

The 2018 Wine Show season proved yet again to be a successful time for Coldstream Hills. Our 2017 Reserve Chardonnay was awarded four trophies, including Grand Champion at the Royal Brisbane Wine Show. In addition,

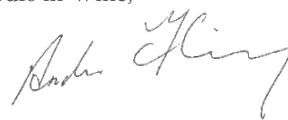
the 2014 Pinot Noir Chardonnay sparkling picked up three trophies, culminating in the 'Kit Stephens Memorial Sparkling Trophy' at the National Wine Show in Canberra. Equally pleasing was a new trophy from the Royal Melbourne Wine Awards for the 'Best Victorian White Wines of Provenance'. It celebrated the pedigree and consistency of our Estate-grown vineyards for our 2006, 2011 and 2017 Reserve Chardonnay.

The Autumn packs I have selected for you tell our story across four vintages - 2014, 2016, 2017 and 2018, and are an expression of season as well as site. The Single Vineyard and Reserve Chardonnays have all received high acclaim and reflect the strength of the outstanding 2017 vintage. For red enthusiasts, the collection offers three single site Pinot Noirs, in addition to

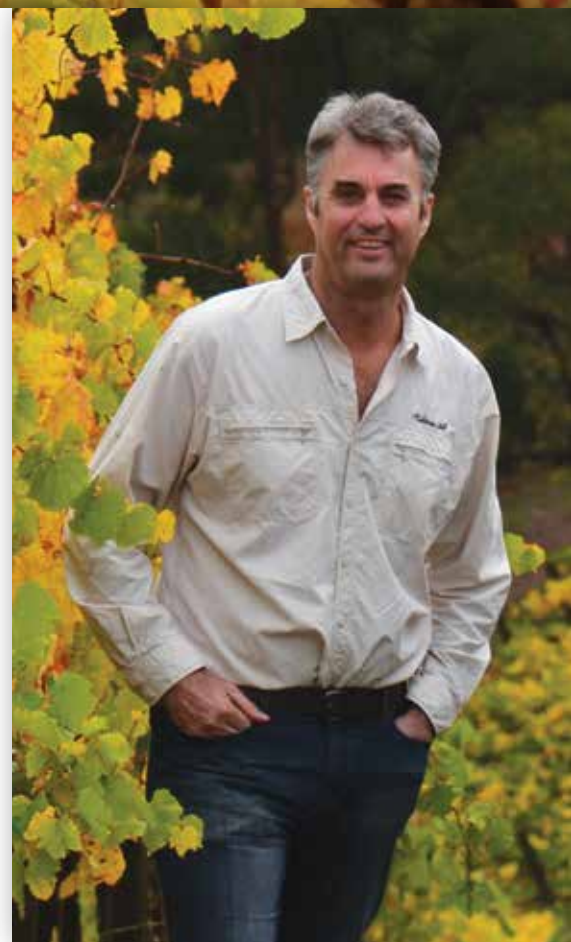
the new vintage Coldstream Hills Pinot Noir. Discover the subtleties and charm of Deer Farm alongside the brooding and powerful Reserve and Esplanade Pinots. I am also really pleased to be able to offer a Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon from the warm 2016 vintage. It will continue to improve with a bit of time in the cellar.

As always, I thank you for your continued support and hope you continue to enjoy the member benefits as much as you do the wines.

Yours in Wine,



Andrew Fleming, Chief Winemaker





2014 Coldstream Hills  
Pinot Noir Chardonnay

**“It's in very good form” –  
93 points, Halliday Wine  
Companion**

**3 Trophies and 4 Gold Medals**

2014 was a cracking vintage for sparkling and this blend of upper Yarra fruit crafted in the traditional way is a fantastic follow up to the award-winning 2013 with three Trophies to its name already. “Creamy mouthfeel, plenty of fruit and bottle-age complexity and a satisfying finish...” says master critic Campbell Mattinson, and we love its beautifully balanced lemon citrus acidity and aged liqueur.

*93 points – Campbell Mattinson,  
Halliday Wine Companion 2019*

**Alcohol** 11.5%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2020

2018 Coldstream Hills  
Sauvignon Blanc

**A great vintage layered in  
flavours**

True to style, vibrant and textural with fine acidity and length. Flavoursome with lychee, gooseberry notes and a hint of lantana from the Semillon. A portion is fermented and matured in old oak to add a level of texture, with varietal aromas of passionfruit, nettle and gooseberry.

**Alcohol** 12.5%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2021

2018 Coldstream Hills  
Chardonnay

**Elegant and pure with  
great balance and length**

Our gateway to Yarra Valley Chardonnay. Attractive pear and white peach characters complement notes of lemon barley and nougat. Layered and pure, with seamless French oak and beautifully balanced citrus acidity, this wine is a “go to” for lovers of Chardonnay.

**Alcohol** 13%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2024

2017 Coldstream Hills  
Deer Farm Vineyard Chardonnay

**An outstanding and  
cellar worthy 96 point  
Chardonnay**

“This is a rich but refined style, a glorious wine with honey and butter nuances along with nougat and toast. It's delicate, crisp, lively and dry at the finish; a wine of focus and refinement, and great intensity. Superb line and length. It's just emerging from its shell and will age superbly.”

*96 points – Huon Hooke*

**Alcohol** 13%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2029

2017 Coldstream Hills  
Rising Vineyard Chardonnay

**One of our best releases  
since the inaugural 2009  
vintage**

Rating this wine a stellar 96 points, Campbell Mattinson describes a “Bit of a wowee moment. The length of this wine is quite astonishing; so too the finesse. It's steely and pear-like, milky and dry. It has flavour but it slashes its way through the palate and on out into tomorrow. Bottle age will make this yet more beautiful.”

*96 points – Campbell Mattinson,  
Halliday Wine Companion 2019*

**Alcohol** 13%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2026

2017 Coldstream Hills  
Reserve Chardonnay

**The winner of four  
Trophies and 96 points  
4 Trophies and 1 Gold Medal**

“First you notice the power, then the poise, then the persistence,” says Campbell Mattinson. “All the ducks are in a row here. White peach, flint, toast, fresh fennel and cedar wood characters create a seductive weave from the start to impressively long finish.” This standout vintage will benefit from some time in the cellar to truly evolve to its full potential.

*96 points – Campbell Mattinson,  
Halliday Wine Companion 2019*

**Alcohol** 13%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2028





**2018 Coldstream Hills  
Pinot Noir**

**A complex Pinot with  
great texture and hints of  
spice**

The warmer 2018 vintage offers classic dark cherry characters underpinned with whole bunch spice and subtle French oak. Vibrant and bright, the wine is complete with silky texture, acid balance and a fine-grained chalk-like tannin finish.

**Alcohol** 14%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2025

**2017 Coldstream Hills  
Deer Farm Vineyard Pinot Noir**  
**“An outstanding Pinot” –  
97 points, Huon Hooke**

This is a perfect Pinot to enjoy right now, so stock up for your Easter table. “Light to medium red/purple colour, with a lovely fragrant aroma, a superb bouquet recalling strawberry, spices, cranberry and raspberry, lifted and complex. It's light to medium-bodied and intense, with delicious flavour, fresh and fragrant. Great fruit intensity and purity.”

*97 points – Huon Hooke*

**Alcohol** 13.5%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2028

**2017 Coldstream Hills  
The Esplanade Pinot Noir**  
**The Pinot for Shiraz  
drinkers who love a richer  
style**

Brooding dark cherry notes and a grainy tannin finish highlight this complex and powerful Pinot. The beautifully textured palate displays hints of rhubarb, seamless French oak, whole bunch savouriness and spice. Campbell Mattinson says, “the kick of both tannin and flavour through the finish makes it an easy wine to place a bet on” – definitely one for the cellar.

*94 points – Campbell Mattinson,  
Halliday Wine Companion 2019*

**Alcohol** 14%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2028

**2016 Coldstream Hills  
Merlot**  
**The classic Yarra Valley  
style for lovers of Merlot**

Ripe and plush, with generous characters of dark cherry, blackberry and plum. Secondary notes of violets, black olive and anise spice add complexity, with the warmer vintage providing a persistent fine-grained tannin finish. A popular wine here at Coldstream Hills, it's a great value red to have on hand for all occasions.

**Alcohol** 14%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2028

**2017 Coldstream Hills  
Reserve Pinot Noir**  
**Exceptional persistence  
of flavour and wonderful  
propensity to age**

“Deep red colour with a good tint of purple. The bouquet is reserved and sweet dark cherry-like, the taste elegant and medium-weight, with a fine backing of tannin, which adds backbone and authority as well as contributing to its length. An intense, powerful pinot of impressive concentration and lasting aftertaste. It has a very bright future.”

*95 points – Huon Hooke*

**Alcohol** 13.5%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2032

**2016 Coldstream Hills  
Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**Estate-grown fruit with  
exceptional ageing  
potential**

This new release Reserve Cabernet is medium-bodied with ripe characters of blackberry and cassis. Nuances of dark chocolate and nutmeg spice enhance the wine which are supported by seamless French oak. Layered and textural, the palate finishes with a characteristic fine-grained tannin profile. It will cellar gracefully for years and years.

**Alcohol** 14%

**Peak Drinking** Now to 2033



\*Wine Show results indicate accolades awarded to the specific vintage and wine noted may span multiple years and shows.

## Andrew's Choice

Andrew's Winemaker's Selections are a showcase of his personal favourites from the season. This Autumn, you'll be treated to some extraordinary wines from throughout the valley.

Andrew is exceptionally proud of the 96 point 2017 Rising Vineyard Chardonnay, describing it as one of the best wines since the style was first released a decade ago. Red wine lovers will rejoice in the 2017 Deer Farm Pinot, a 97 point wine with delicious fruit intensity. The trio of Reserve wines – 2017 Chardonnay, 2017 Pinot Noir and 2016 Cabernet are perfect to enhance the range in your cellar – although be sure to enjoy some now as well.

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### Winemaker's White Selection

*Contains 1 bottle of each of the following*

- 2014 Coldstream Hills Sparkling Pinot Noir Chardonnay
- 2018 Coldstream Hills Sauvignon blanc
- 2018 Coldstream Hills Chardonnay
- 2017 Coldstream Hills Deer Farm Vineyard Chardonnay
- 2017 Coldstream Hills Rising Vineyard Chardonnay
- 2017 Coldstream Hills Reserve Chardonnay

RRP \$255   **Members Price \$175**

### Winemaker's Red Selection

*Contains 1 bottle of each of the following*

- 2018 Coldstream Hills Pinot Noir
- 2017 Coldstream Hills Deer Farm Vineyard Pinot Noir
- 2017 Coldstream Hills The Esplanade Pinot Noir
- 2016 Coldstream Hills Merlot
- 2017 Coldstream Hills Reserve Pinot Noir
- 2016 Coldstream Hills Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon

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### Winemaker's Mixed Selection

*Contains 1 bottle of each of the following*

- 2018 Coldstream Hills Chardonnay
- 2017 Coldstream Hills Deer Farm Vineyard Chardonnay
- 2017 Coldstream Hills Reserve Chardonnay
- 2018 Coldstream Hills Pinot Noir
- 2017 Coldstream Hills Reserve Pinot Noir
- 2016 Coldstream Hills Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon

RRP \$320   **Members Price \$185**

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