

T O B I A S

Vineyards



2022 TOBIAS Vineyards Blue Oaks Chardonnay

Vintage Notes

Produced from our estate, Blue Oaks Chardonnay Vineyard in the Potter Valley AVA of Mendocino, the season and location is ideal for the Chardonnay. In 2022, the season was warm and dry. Mild temperatures gently and steadily increased until harvest was upon us in August. While the yields were lower, we were fortunate to harvest perfectly Chardonnay of exceptional quality before waves of heat came in last summer. Winemaker, Toby Forman, like his father Ric Forman, strives to make each vintage cohesive in style but continually pushes to improve the quality of the wine through hands-on farming.

Winemaker Notes

With lower yields and smaller clusters from the continuing drought the fruit had high quality and from harvest went into small lot barrel fermentations. To achieve richness yet preserve minerality and brightness, the Chardonnay underwent 50% malolactic fermentation, before bottling. Upon opening, bright notes of red apple, poached pear, and frangipani stem from the glass. A rich mouthfeel on the palate, notes of ripe stone fruit, baked apple, and hints of baking spices with firm acidity are slightly softened by creamy undertones. A food friendly wine, it is bright, round and rich, yet still refined perfect with a firm white fish or summer pasta.


Winemaker :	Toby Forman
Varietal :	100% Chardonnay
Production :	2000 cases
Appellations :	Mendocino, Pauli Vineyards
Barrel Aging :	1 year, 6 months in 40% new French Oak, 6 months 10% French Oak
Alcohol :	13.9%
Retail Price :	\$45



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Our Chardonnay was hand-crafted from select lots of fruit harvested from our family vineyards in Mendocino. Toby and Dawn Forman are second generation winemakers who have taken their love of farming and wine making, and combined the knowledge of their two families into this luscious wine for you to enjoy.

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GOVERNMENT WARNING: (1) ACCORDING TO THE SURGEON GENERAL, WOMEN SHOULD NOT DRINK ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DURING PREGNANCY BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF BIRTH DEFECTS. (2) CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IMPAIRS YOUR ABILITY TO DRIVE A CAR OR OPERATE MACHINERY, AND MAY CAUSE HEALTH PROBLEMS.

A.L.C. 13.9% BY VOL. 750 ML.  CONTAINS SULFITES

