

PIKE ROAD WINES

2025 Chardonnay

How we make our Chardonnay

Pike Road Chardonnay is made from 100% Willamette Valley fruit. Primarily grown on our estate vineyards, the wine also includes smaller lots of fruit grown by our longtime, trusted partners here in the Willamette Valley. We believe this “multi-vineyard” approach results in a more complex, flavorful wine.

Our Willamette Valley Chardonnay is harvested and then gently pressed. A portion of the wine is barrel fermented and aged in French oak for 8 months. The remaining is fermented in stainless steel tanks. Both portions go through malo-lactic fermentation to help soften the acidity and provide an elegant texture. The wine has a fresh, light oak profile, rounded structure and a fruit finish.

The 2025 Vintage

The 2025 vintage in the Willamette Valley stands as one of the most accelerated and compressed in the region’s history. Defined by an exceptionally warm and arid growing season with very little rainfall from April through mid-September, the vines reached maturity earlier than normal. While many producers in the Willamette Valley picked early, we resisted the urge to follow the herd, preferring a longer hang time to allow greater development of both flavors and phenolics.

Working with our vineyard partners to achieve extra hang time proved to be the right decision, as the resulting fruit quality is quite exceptional. The dry growing season and low yields produced small, intense berries characterized by profound flavor concentration and deep color extraction in the reds. Simultaneously, the whites emerged with a striking balance of vibrant acidity and complex aromatics, promising a vintage of remarkable power and precision.

Details:

Retail: \$20

T.A: 5.6

pH: 3.56

Alcohol: 13%

AVA: Willamette Valley

8 months in 47% French Oak (5%

New Oak) / 50% Stainless Steel / 3%

Concrete Egg



With roots deep in Oregon, our family has spent over 40 years farming at Elk Cove Vineyards. Our goal at Pike Road is to honor dedicated family-owned vineyards like our own growing cool climate wines here in the Willamette Valley.



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