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SONOMA COAST

Nestled in the hillsides of Sonoma Mountain, Pfendler Vineyards is a small, family-owned winery dedicated to cultivating the finest estate-grown grapes. Limited production offerings of Pinot Noir and Chardonnay capture the distinct qualities of our vineyards and the newly emerging Petaluma Gap region of the Sonoma Coast. It is our pleasure to share our wines with you.

2017
CHARDONNAY
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Winemaker:
Our Winemaker Justin Harmon's philosophy of making elegant wines that focus on showcasing the unique qualities of individual vineyards is in perfect harmony with our love of our property.

Winemaker Notes:
Our 2017 Chardonnay is truly an elegant example of our mountainside terroir. Lemon/lime, baked pear and honeycomb notes lead both the nose and palate, with chamomile and ginger notes echoing at the edges. The extended lees contact is evident as the flavor profile deepens and broadens texturally, with notes of baked pineapple and crème brûlée. This wine's kaleidoscope of flavors builds harmoniously as the finish lingers on the palate.

Technicals:

Brix at Harvest:	23.6° brix
Harvest Date:	September 22nd, 2017
Varietal:	100% Chardonnay
Alcohol:	14.2%
Winemaking:	Whole cluster pressed, overnight settle and racking off of heavy lees to barrel for native fermentation on fine lees. Light stirring through native malolactic fermentation. Raised on its fine lees, racked only for bottling. Bottled unfined and unfiltered.
Cooperage:	14 months French oak (50% new)
Clone:	Shot-Wente
Production:	250 Cases

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