

CHAPEL DOWN THREE GRACES 2015



GRAPE VARIETY

60% Chardonnay, 32% Pinot Noir, 8% Pinot Meunier

VINEYARDS

Fruit is sourced from vineyards in Kent, West Sussex and Essex. Grapes are grown on chalk and clay soils.

WINEMAKING

Cool fermentation in stainless steel followed by full malolactic fermentation. A portion (3% 2009, 5% 2010, 3% 2011, 4% 2013) of this wine is from reserve stocks which has been stored in barrel and tank which adds complexity and depth to the palate. Maturation on fine lees in tank for six months before bottling and a minimum of three years further ageing on lees in bottle.

ANALYSIS

ABV: 12% Dosage: 8g/l pH: 3.14 TA: 8.5g/l

TASTING NOTES

Complex aromas of baked apple, fresh strawberry and shortcrust pastry are followed by a rich palate with a fine, smooth mousse.

SERVING SUGGESTION

Great as an aperitif or an ideal accompaniment to grilled fish or risotto. Enjoy this wine at its optimum within five years of purchase.

Josh Donaghay - Spire Chapel Down Winemaker





