## CHAPEL DOWN

# KIT'S COTY CHARDONNAY



### **VINTAGE** 2018

**GRAPE VARIETY** 100% Chardonnay

#### VINEYARDS

Kit's Coty vineyard is a 95 acre vineyard on the North Downs of Kent. The southerly aspect ensures the vines capture the sunshine all year long while the warm, free-draining chalk soils provide the perfect terroir for producing well balanced, intensely flavoured fruit. Restricting yields and maintaining vine balance allow vines to fulfil their potential, producing fruit that truly express their identity and the unique qualities of the soil.

#### WINEMAKING

Harvested by hand in late September, grapes are whole bunch pressed before undergoing wild fermentation in old oak barrels adding complexity and richness to the wine.

#### ANALYSIS

Residual	Sugar: 2.9 g/l
ABV:	13.5%
pH:	32.98
TA:	6.5 g/l

#### **TASTING NOTES**

This is a rich example of English Chardonnay with aromas of white peach, apple and apricot. The palate has a flinty texture with flavours of toasted hazelnuts and subtle oak and a very long finish.

#### SERVING SUGGESTION

An ideal pairing to scallops in garlic butter or simply grilled lemon sole.

#### AWARDS

