

WEST SONOMA COAST

2012 HAGAN VINEYARD

CHARDONNAY

➤ ELEV. 850 FT. / PACIFIC OCEAN 4.6 MI.

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The inaugural release of the 2012 Hagan Vineyard Chardonnay was harvested from a one and a half acre section planted to 100% Old Wente clone vines. This Chardonnay from the same renowned Taylor Lane ridgetop as its namesake Pinot Noir sister offers a refined profile of floral aromas, citrus and spiced pear fruit balanced with vibrant acidity. Production is quite limited for our newest estate wine, so we encourage our members to access their allocation while quantities are still available.

➤ TASTE

Lemon zest, honeysuckle, Asian pear

> PHILOSOPHY

Red Car is focused on growing Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Syrah in a network of cold-climate vineyards on the edge of the Pacific in the West Sonoma Coast. We are hands-on farmers, part of a small cadre of wineries in our region who are fortunate to grow a large majority of our own fruit. For several years now we have worked hard to go beyond sustainability and have integrated the concepts and principles of organic, biodynamic and permaculture systems into our farming as we search for nature's ideal pathways. Our wines are made in small lots utilizing minimalist intervention techniques like native yeast fermentation, gravity flow, and natural acid.

SPECS

ALCOHOL	13.5%
VINEYARD	Hagan
AVA	Sonoma Coast
PRODUCTION	200 Cases
AVERAGE BRIX	22.1°
TOTAL ACIDITY	6.4 g/L
FRENCH OAK	100% Neutral
pH LEVEL	3.38
CLONES	Old Wente
SOIL TYPE	Goldridge Sandy Loam
BARREL AGING	18 Months

