



2006 Cameron Hughes Chardonnay Lot 57 Carneros (USA, California, North Coast, Carneros)

Vintage	Type	Producer	Varietal	Designation	Vineyard	Country	Region	SubRegion	Appellation
2006	White	Cameron Hughes	Chardonnay	Lot 57	n/a	USA	California	North Coast	Carneros

Community Tasting History

Community Tasting Notes (average 87.6 pts. in 9 notes)



Tasted by jfp on 2/10/2008 & rated 88 points: This is one of those chardonnays that leave you wondering when you'll see a few oak splinters floating on top. Aside from the slightly smoky caramelized oak, there's a fair degree of butter and the fruit (peach, apple, and perhaps a smidgeon of pineapple) takes a distant back-seat. On the palate, this is quite smooth, so full that it's practically oily, and just a bit flabby. All together, it's good and the QPR is great. If you like the over-the-top California style of Chardonnay, you can hardly expect to do better in most \$20 bottles of this type. Tasting it on day 2, I have to agree with the previous reviewer: drink the bottle when you open it. Don't open it and keep it around. (443 views)



Tasted by CORSkier on 2/4/2008 & rated 89 points: (461 views)



Tasted by ttriche on 1/10/2008 & rated 89 points: Not much acid but very pleasant taste. Fell apart on day 2, but tasted great with chicken (sauteed and deglazed with a bit of this wine, garlic and rosemary). Pale yellow, smells like restrained tropical fruits, hard to pin down the taste but I liked it, and I normally hate oaked Chardonnay regardless of where it's from. (472 views)



Tasted by DanSm on 12/19/2007 & rated 89 points: Rather exotic nose of banana and petrol. Banana and butterscotch flavors. Short on acidity. For the price, it's a winner! (589 views)



Tasted by monkuboy on 12/8/2007 & rated 84 points: Lots of oak in the aromas and palate, rather harsh at first. Needed time to round out in the glass. Also prominent butterscotch/caramel which overpowered the fruit. Unbalanced right now with not enough fruit but after giving it some air it seems there is fruit that needs to emerge. I think this needs a few months to get in better balance. (624 views)



Tasted by EaglesWin on 12/7/2007 & rated 90 points: Pronounced oak, full-bodied; could use a bit more acid, but enjoyable. (611 views)



Tasted by wordstar on 11/25/2007 & rated 81 points: Rather harsh on opening, and still 'disjointed' when tasted over the next two nights. Plenty of the appropriate flavors, aromas, and body, but this wine seems too unbalanced at the moment. We'll look forward to future bottles to see the wine matures into a whole better than the current separate parts. (475 views)



Tasted by mippolito on 11/18/2007 & rated 92 points: Outstanding wine for the price. Crisp, dry, rich, and clean. (698 views)



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