



MARGARET RIVER

The Wine Front—Gary Walsh—February 2009



Clairault Estate Chardonnay 2006

“This is the third time I’ve tasted this excellent wine and each time it’s happy days. Release date is July 2009.

Complex aromatics—lime rind, melon and stone fruit with spicy cashew nut oak and a little wildness in the way of sulphide. In the mouth intense and focused with abundant flavour and bright mouth-watering acidity. The texture is very appealing with its lightly slippery creaminess planed off by a distinct minerality and tight flinty exit. In the upper echelon of Margaret River Chardonnay but with a modest mid-tier price.”

Rated: 94 / 100 points
Tasted: Feb 09
Alcohol: 14%
Price: \$32
Closure: Screw cap
Drink: 2009 –2014

www.winefront.com.au

<http://www.winefront.com.au/clairault-estate-chardonnay-2006/>