



Port Phillip Estate Morillon Chardonnay 2019 – Reviews

WineFront, May 2021

[Mike Bennie](#)

Lemony lift, green apple juice scents, struck match and wet slate there too with faint rice cereal notes. Cool and reserved in the palate, minimalist but with impact, courses along with authority and a nice, chalky-powdery grip with those citrus/apple flavours a feature, albeit dusted with some woody/cinnamon spice. Fresh finish. In a style, done well.

93 points

The Halliday Australian Wine Companion 2022, August 2021

[Jane Faulkner](#)

A layer of woody spicy oak sits across this at the moment, which should (in time) melt into the body of the wine. Now the fruit is in the background, but it's slick, textural, ripe and rich with cashew-nutty flavours and all the while it dances with flinty sulphides.

92 points

The Real Review, July 2021

[Huon Hooke](#)

Light to medium yellow colour, with a dominant initial aroma of reduction intertwined with quality oak: smoked-chicken and chicken-stock, the palate dense and yet only medium-bodied, adding a rich and complex blend of fruit flavours, with supple texture and lingering persistence. A very satisfying yet elegant chardonnay of generous flavour and prodigious length.

93 points

Wine of the Week, July 2021

[Winsor Dobbin](#)

Glen Hayley, who makes wines for both Port Phillip Estate and sibling label Kooyong, is on fire right now. The Morillon Chardonnay is sourced from a tiny section within the oldest chardonnay block (33+ years) at Port Phillip Estate's Red Hill vineyard on the Mornington Peninsula. This is a wine of serious poise and structure; unmistakably cool climate with a delicious melange of citrus, Granny Smith apple and stone fruit characters.