

*In the days when ballast stone was an important feature of some of Australia's most iconic buildings, the daring Steeplejacks played a crucial role in their construction and maintenance. As skilled craftsmen, they completed the most difficult work on the highest towers, oblivious to vertigo, gravity and mortality.*

## VINTAGE 2018

After a variable start to bud burst and the season providing many disease challenges during the growing period and around veraison, a stretch of about four weeks of ideal ripening weather in the middle of vintage saved the season at Currency Creek.

Good late winter rainfall created ideal opening sub-soil moisture, a situation that prevailed during the whole growing season. Shoot length was short during the early part of the season due to cooler than average temperatures but caught up later in the season.

Whites benefited from the cooler climatic conditions and maritime influence of the Currency Creek region, with good fruit ripeness and naturally balanced acidity.



ALCOHOL	13.0%
REGION	Currency Creek
COMPOSITION	Chardonnay 100%
pH	3.21
TA	5.75

## TASTING NOTES

This is a wine for the scribes, pale straw and green hue, aromas of peach, ripe melon and honeysuckle, a full, soft, stone fruit palate of peaches and nectarines intermingled with rockmelon, creamy texture and a lingering lime citrus finish.

# STEEPLE JACK

## Chardonnay

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