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Heitz Cellar

2021 QUARTZ CREEK CHARDONNAY OAK KNOLL

APPELLATION Oak Knoll District AVA

VARIETAL COMPOSITION
100% Chardonnay

SUSTAINABILITY Certified CCOF
organic, biodynamic practices

AGING Aged on the fine lees in large oak casks and barrels (20% new) for one year with battonage performed regularly and an additional six months of bottle aging before release.

PRICE

"The 2021 Chardonnay Quartz Creek Vineyard is fabulous... Effusive floral top notes open first. Silky and creamy on the palate, with gorgeous finesse, the 2021 is, first and foremost, a wine of harmony. Low yields created by drought and a cool, long growing season yielded an especially intense young Chardonnay."

- ANTONIO GALLONI, DECEMBER 2023

Situated at the base of the Mayacamas mountains, in the northwestern-most portion of the Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley, this site takes its name from an abundance of quartzite found throughout the bedrock and upper layers of the soil. This material provides tension and energy, seldom seen in Chardonnay from the Napa Valley.

