

La Kooki

2026



Pale straw with green tinges. Nashi, lemon zest and jasmine with oyster shell, sea spray and bath salts. Hints of jungle juice, lemon lime sherbet and chamomile. Medium bodied, with citrus, pear and loquat riding a vibrant acid backbone, flint and saline minerality: tangy - talcy - textured.

CHENIN ROCKS

MARGARET RIVER,
WESTERN AUSTRALIA ■



Vintage: 2026
Winemakers: Eloise Jarvis & Glenn Goodall
Variety: 100% Chenin Blanc
Region: 100% Margaret River
Harvest: by machine on 21 February
Alcohol: 13.0%
Titratable acidity: 7.7 g/L
pH: 3.05
Residual Sugar: <2 g/L
Oak: Barrel fermented in seasoned French barriques
Fermentation: 100% natural
Bottled: 1 September 2026
Bottle Weight: 360 g
Label: 100% recycled paper
Screwcap: Interpack CapR open - slide - recycle
Production: 130 dozen
Note: Vegan friendly

VINTAGE

Following an outstanding 2025, the 2026 vintage raised the bar across Margaret River and Geographe. Good winter and spring rainfall replenished soil moisture ahead of September budburst, and mild, settled conditions delivered remarkably even shoot growth.

Flowering proceeded without incident, with strong fruit set and no significant disease pressure. Mild days, cool evenings and reliable afternoon sea breezes sustained a long, even ripening curve through summer.

An abundant Marri blossom kept birds away from the vines, letting the team focus on canopy work rather than netting.

All fruit was picked between 15 February and 25 March with varietal vibrancy and natural acidity intact, days before the remnants of Tropical Cyclone Narelle brought rain to the South West.

This vintage in a word - brilliant!

WINEMAKING

Machine harvested in the cool of the night from Ironstone Vineyard in Wilyabrup, a Sustainable Winegrowing Australia certified member. The fruit was pressed without crushing and the high solids juice was wild fermented in seasoned French oak barriques. After fermentation, we topped the barrels with our granite stones and rolled them monthly for six months. Our unique 'rock and roll' technique gently macerates and stirs the lees; the stones also increase the lees contact surface area - together these build texture and complexity.

An intriguing blend of 97% Chenin Blanc and 3% Rocks. Chenin Rocks!

La Kooki is a certified member of Sustainable Winegrowing Australia. Proudly the 2026 Chenin Rocks bears the Trust Mark. We bottle into lightweight glass to reduce our carbon footprint.

Grown and made on Wadandi Boodja.