



INTERNATIONAL  
**CHARDONNAY  
CHALLENGE**  
GISBORNE, NEW ZEALAND

# 2006 International Chardonnay Challenge

18 – 20 October 2006

Champion Wine of the Show  
Sponsor – Harveys

Earls Chardonnay Reserve 2004  
Landmark Estate

Reserve Wine of the Show  
Sponsor – Westfalia Separator NZ Ltd

Montana Terroir Series Stuart Block Chardonnay 2004  
Pernod Ricard New Zealand

Top International Chardonnay  
**Beringer Private Reserve Chardonnay 2004**  
**Fosters Wine Estates Americas**

Sponsor – Winejobsonline

Top Regional Chardonnay – North Island  
**Earls Chardonnay Reserve 2004**  
**Landmark Estate**

Sponsor – Apple Art

Top Regional Chardonnay – South Island  
**Deutz Marlborough Blanc de Blanc 2002**  
**Pernod Ricard New Zealand**

Sponsor – Charta Packaging

Highest Awarded Winery  
**Nobilo Wine Group**

Sponsor - NDA

Bill Irwin Trophy  
**Earls Chardonnay Reserve 2004**  
**Landmark Estate**

Sponsor – GisVin Limited

Recommended Top 6 selection  
**Villa Maria Cellar Selection Marlborough 2005**  
**Nobilo Wine Group Houghton Chardonnay 2005**  
**Cardmember Nobilo Colonial Series East Coast Chardonnay 2004**  
**Kahurangi Nelson unwooded Chardonnay 2005**  
**Pernod Ricard Lindauer Special Reserve Blanc de Blancs NV**  
**Mission Estate Ice Wine 2006**

Sponsor – NZ Grape Grower

Best Value Wine under \$15  
**Nobilo Houghton Chardonnay 2005**  
**Nobilo Wine Group**

Sponsor – ECT

*Other Categories*  
*Awarded to the highest score in class*

Top Oaked Chardonnay  
**Earls Chardonnay Reserve 2004**  
**Landmark Estate**

Top Unoaked Chardonnay  
**MadFish Premium White (Chardonnay) 2005**  
**Howard Park Wines**

Top Methode Traditionnelle Chardonnay  
**Deutz Marlborough Blanc de Blanc 2002**  
**Pernod Ricard New Zealand**

Top Dessert Chardonnay  
**Millton Essencia 2005**  
**The Millton Vineyard**

Top Freestyle Chardonnay  
**Hungerford Hill Fishcage Chardonnay Viognier 2006**  
**South Pacific Product Brokers Ltd**

Top Intrinsic Quality Chardonnay  
**Nobilo Bay of Fires Chardonnay 2005**  
**Nobilo Wine Group**

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