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Big Basin Vineyards
Chardonnay Coastview Vineyard 2015
Santa Cruz Mountains, California

93 Points

The 2015 Chardonnay Coastview Vineyard is deep, plush and super expressive, all while retaining terrific energy. Lemon peel, flowers, slate and pear notes are pushed forward. I would give the 2015 at least six months in bottle, as it is very tight at this stage. Even so, the 2015 has a distinctly phenolic, saline feel.

