

# BOUNDARY BREAKS

## DID YOU KNOW?

**Unoaked Chardonnay is making a comeback.**

- The classic, unoaked Chardonnay style originated in the Chablis region of France
- Cooler climate regions like the Finger Lakes can produce stunning examples of this style of wine.
- These wines are lighter and more refreshing than the more common oaky style of Chardonnay.

## 2021 Unoaked Chardonnay

### WHAT MAKES UNOAKED CHARDONNAY SPECIAL

- Unoaked Chardonnay has a clean, fresh quality that pairs well with food.
- To soften the acidity in the wine, we leave the wine on the yeast bodies after fermentation is complete. This “lees contact” adds a creaminess to the wine.
- The result is a bright wine with a rounded quality and no sharp edges.

### 2021 VINTAGE NOTES:

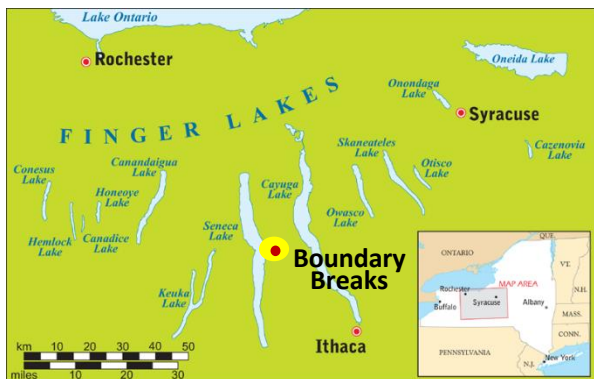
The 2021 vintage was unusual for the consistent wet weather and cool temperatures. It placed high demands on our vineyard teams to keep the leaf area on the vines as productive as possible. This led us to achieve desirable ripening in an otherwise challenging year.

### TECHNICAL NOTES

<b>Country:</b> USA	<b>Fermentation:</b> Stainless
<b>Region:</b> New York	<b>Alcohol:</b> 13.0%
<b>AVA:</b> Finger Lakes	<b>Residual Sugar:</b> 0.0%
<b>Varietal:</b> 100% Chardonnay	<b>Titrateable Acidity:</b> 6.7 g/l
<b>Harvest Date:</b> Oct. 1, 2021	<b>pH:</b> 3.49
<b>Brix at Harvest:</b> 20.0	<b>Bottling Date:</b> May, 2022
<b>Winemaker:</b> Chris Stamp	<b>Cases Produced:</b> 1,000; <b>SRP:</b> \$19.95

### SELLING POINTS: UNOAKED CHARDONNAY

As wine consumers re-discover the Chablis-style of unoaked Chardonnay, wines made in this style in the cool climate of the Finger Lakes will become increasingly popular.



**ABOUT US:** Boundary Breaks focuses on cool-climate grape varieties--principally Riesling, Gewurztraminer and Cabernet Franc. We began planting vines in 2009 and released our first vintage in 2013. Our wines are sold throughout the US and abroad.

**WHAT MAKES OUR WINES DISTINCTIVE:** Our wines possess a powerful flavor profile. We achieve this in the challenging cool climate of the Finger Lakes by ensuring our fruit achieves a maximum level of ripeness in the vineyard. Our vineyards are located in a unique microclimate near the shoreline on the east side of Seneca Lake. The lake is more than 700 feet deep and keeps our site warmer during the coldest periods of winter. Our western-facing vineyard slopes also benefit from extended afternoon sun.