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OLYBET FLAIRMANIA 2019

A WFA GRANDSLAM FLAIR BARTENDING COMPETITION

LOCATION: RIGA, LATVIA

DATE: 30th & 31st JANUARY 2019

PRIZES

	1st	€2500	WFA Black Level
	2nd	€1200	WFA Black Level
	3rd	€800	WFA Black Level

	4th	€300	WFA Purple Level
	5th	€200	WFA Purple Level
	6th	€100	WFA Purple Level

Big Ass Move - €100

Best Cocktail - €100

Supergirl - €100

Monin Special Prize - To Be Announced

SPONSORS

<u>Olybet</u>

<u>Monin</u>

Schwepps

Naked Grouse

Lucas Bols





INTRODUCTION

The Olybet Flairmania 2019 competition is the first WFA Grand Slam competition of the year. It will be on January 31st 2019 at the Olympic Voodoo Casino at the Radisson Blu Hotel Latvia.

OlyBet Flairmania 2019 will have one heat of 4 minutes and a final round of 7 minutes. In both rounds the bartender must make a minimum of 2 of the same cocktails.

The main sponsor of the event is OlyBet, with four co-sponsors – Monin, Schweppes, Naked Grouse whiskey and Lucas Bols liquers. As supporters being the Latvian Bartenders Federation and Bartending.lv

All information about this event is available at: <u>www.flairmania.com</u> and <u>www.worldflairassociation.com</u>

The competition will be streamed live on <u>www.bartending.lv</u>

GENERAL RULES

OlyBet Flairmania 2019 is part of the official 2019 WFA GrandSlam Championship.

- WFA GrandSlam Rules & Scoring apply throughout unless otherwise specified in these materials.
- WFA GrandSlam points will be awarded to final placement of all competitors.
- All Bartenders as well as their supporters must be at least 18 years of age.
- All Competitors must complete registration through the WFA website <u>here</u>. Please note: Registration is a 2 step process.
- All Flair Bartenders are required to attend the Meet & Greet on the 30th January (8pm at the <u>Voodoo Casino</u>)
- The total number of competitors for 2019 is limited to 60 on a first come first served basis only.
- The top 10 scored competitors will advance from the qualification round to the finals.

Flairmania & the competition sponsors reserve the right to have the final decision with relation to awarding best Sponsor prizes.





SHARING IS CARING

The main sponsor of the competition is Olybet. They have been supporting flair for a number of years now, so let's show our support back to them. Our co-sponsors are: Monin, Schweppes, Naked Grouse and Lucas Bols.

<u>Competition event page</u>: You can register to compete and continue to check back on this page for any updates about the competition & rules.

<u>Facebook event page</u>: Please share this page with all your friends so they can follow updates and live streams.

SOCIAL MEDIA

As a competitor, You are an ambassador for flair bartending, for the competition and for the sponsors. Be proud of what you do and share related content through your own social channels using the appropriate hashtags and handles provided in the table below.

#OlyBet #Flairmania #WFAGrandSlam #FlairBartending

	Facebook	Instagram	twitter
Flairmania	<u>/flairmania.riga</u>		<u>@FlairmaniaRiga</u>
WFA	/worldflairassociation	/worldflairassociation	<u>@wflaira</u>
Monin	/createwithmonin	/monin_europe	@moninflavours
Schwepps	/Schweppes	<u>/schweppes</u>	@schweppsUS
Naked	/nakdgrouse	<u>/naked_grouse</u>	@NakedGrouse
Grouse			
Lucas Bols	/bolsbartending	/bolsbartending	

This helps to build excitement, grow the audience and bring more people to flair competitions and flair bars.

We post and share cool pictures and videos about flair. If you have something to share, please email Abbie on: <u>social@worldflairassociation.com</u>

You can follow the WFA on <u>facebook</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and <u>youtube</u> where we post routines from flair competitions all over the world. Make sure you SUBSCRIBE and click the bell to be notified as soon as we add new content.

#OlyBet #Flairmania #WFAGrandSlam #FlairBartending





COMPETITION SCHEDULE

<u> 30th January 2019</u>

19:00: All competing bartenders can register for the competition at the desk in the hotel from 7-8pm

20:00: All competing bartenders are required to be in Latvia by 20:00 for the Meet & Greet and welcome drink, held at the Voodoo Casino.

On arrival to the Radisson Blu Hotel you will find a registration stand where you can collect your wrist band, sign in and receive your goody bag from the organisation.

<u>31st January 2019</u>

09:00: Doors to the practice room opens.

09:45: Judges, organisation and livestream team all in position

09:50: MC begins intro to competition

10:00: First bartender on stage (you will have 4 minutes in-between each bartender to set up your stage. If you go over time you will have a penalty of 10 points. There will be two bars being used so you should have plenty of time)

19:10: Last bartender finishes on stage. The top 10 bartenders will be known for the finals.

21:00: Finals begin

23:00: Last bartender finishes on stage

23:30: Awards Ceremony

00:00: After Party





VENUE

Olympic Voodoo Casino - <u>www.voodootour.lv</u>

Olympic Voodoo Casino

Elizabetes Street 55

Riga, Latvia

HOTEL

Radisson Blu Hotel Latvija

SPECIAL OFFER

- Single room 89 EUR/night (one person allowed, breakfast included)
- Double-bed/twin room 99 EUR/night (two persons, breakfast included)
- Double + extra bed needs to be checked with hotel management.

All hotel bookings are the responsibility of the competitors.

Link for the booking - <u>https://bit.ly/2JkSGv7</u>

AIRPORT TRANSFER

Flairmania organisation will pick you up at the airport, bus station or railway station. Please make sure you send us your arrival information in due time to arrange your pick up.

We will send you a form to submit your details.





PRIZE CRITERIA / INFO

SUPERGIRL

This will go to the highest placed female.

BIG ASS MOVE

Bartenders who will qualify in 11. - 15. place will have a chance to participate in the "Big Ass Move" (BAM) competition with a prize of 100 Euros

<u>Rules</u>

- Each bartender will get three attempts to land his/her biggest move.
- The move has to be the same in all of the attempts.
- If the move is landed it will be judged and there are no more attempts for the participant.
- Judges will give a score from 1 10. Whoever gets the highest score wins.
- If the move is not landed in none of the three attempts participant is out of the competition.
- Before the BAM competition bartenders will be asked to state how many objects his/her move will consist of and after that draw their starting number for BAM competition.

BEST COCKTAIL

The cocktail that will get the most points from the tasting jury will be awarded a 100 Euro prize. Only the scores from the elimination round will be taken into consideration.

MONIN SPECIAL PRIZE

There will be Monin special prize. Details will be announced along the way so stay tuned ;)

BEST WORK WITH SPONSOR PRODUCTS

This will be judged during the qualification round and there will be a special judge for it (products to use: Schweppes, Naked Grouse or Bols).





REGISTRATION & PAYMENT

Please note: Registration is a 2 step process.

STEP 1 - Reserve a spot on the **WAITING LIST** (80 will be made available in the 1st wave) - you will receive an automated email if you made it.

STEP 2 – Ivars (the competition organiser) will email the first 60 in order with instructions on how to complete STEP 2 and become a **CONFIRMED COMPETITOR** (60 spots available).

Participation fee is 50 EUR and must be paid in advance using Paypal or direct bank transfer within 3 days in order to complete the second step and confirm your spot in the competition.

You will receive instructions, bank and Paypal account details after submission of the registration form.

REGISTRATION IS <u>ONLY</u> THEN COMPLETE WHEN THE PAYMENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED AND A CONFIRMATION EMAIL HAS BEEN SENT BACK TO THE COMPETITOR. TO AVOID TRANSACTION DELAYS SEND US A PAYMENT CONFIRMATION FROM YOUR BANK OR PAYPAL ACCOUNT WHEN THE PAYMENT IS MADE.

THE REGISTRATION FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE.

Any financial losses connected for example with early flight bookings while not having complete registration will not be refunded or taken into consideration.

- It is not allowed to pass the entry fee to another person.
- The fee should be paid in EURO.
- Any transfer fees should be paid by the bartender.
- If you do not wish to take your spot or you do not complete step 2 in the time given, Ivars will contact the next person on the waiting list until all 60 spots in the competition are confirmed.
- If all 60 spots are taken by the first 70 people (with 10 dropping out), the rest of you will remain on the waiting list in case another spot becomes available.
- If the 60 competitor spots are not all claimed in the 1st wave we will release a 2nd wave. Please check our facebook page for announcements.
- The 1st wave will open at 12:00 Riga Time (10am London) on 05/12/2018.





DRINKS

In both the heats and the finals, the bartender must make at least 2 of their own cocktails on stage.

Bartenders may use both working and exhibition flair techniques in any order for making both cocktails.

Your cocktails will be tasted in both rounds and account for almost 25% of your final score, so make sure you put a lot of care and attention into them. See <u>RECIPE RULES</u> section below for details.

SPONSORS PRESENTATION: The competitor must finish with having one of the following on the bar top (if missing - will be marked as miscellaneous):

- Schweppes (in glass bottle)
- Naked grouse
- Bols liquer

ON STAGE

- Heats 4 minutes
- Finals 7 minutes

All bartenders MUST wear the competition T-shirt during their performance. Make sure you let us know your size when completing registration.

<u>Attention!</u> Music must be sent to <u>flairmaniacs@gmail.com</u> after the running order draw.

Music must be in one mp3 file named after your running order, name and surname, for example 1_lvars_Rutkovskis.mp3 (our DJ will copy them into his computer and play them from there. We will do a small music check before each competitor) Deadline for music is January 23rd. Laptops, phones, iPods will not be accepted on the venue.

The organisers will provide:

- Monin syrups and purees from the product list. Make sure you let them know beforehand what flavours you will need.
- Scweppes lemonades from the product list
- Naked Grouse whiskey
- Lucas Bols and other liquers from the product list

ONLY two bar backs are allowed on stage at any time for each competitor.





STATION SETUP

Each bartender will have 4 minutes to prepare and setup their station before they start. There will be two stations, so this should be easy to achieve.

The competitors are free to use any bottles they wish, as long as they have their labels off and stickered – except sponsors products. The organizers will provide different stickers in order to mark different liqueurs. All bottles are competitors' responsibility. Only Flairmania stickers are allowed. WFA stickers will not be allowed on the bottles (sponsors request)

USE OF ORIGINAL SPONSOR BOTTLES

It is requested the bartenders for their performances use AT LEAST ONE original bottle from each sponsor product used in their recipe.

With that said it means that if, FOR EXAMPLE, you have Naked Grouse in your cocktail - there should be one original bottle of Naked Grouse, but after you have flaired with that - you can use your own, stickered bottle which contains Naked Grouse whiskey.

- There will be no bar tending tools provided, please bring your own bar tending equipment to prevent disappointment and failure.
- Bartenders can set up the "Martandi Mobile Bar" portable bar station (see the picture in the appendix 1) any way they choose
- The Top 10 from qualifying advances to the Finals. The points from qualification are not added up.
- You can use any bottles you wish on stage. All labels must be removed and replaced with a "Flairmania" sticker.
- The organisation will provide cubed and crushed ice. If you need anything other than that we suggest you plan it in advance.





RECIPE RULES - HEATS & FINALS

- All recipes must contain
- at least 0.5 cl of Monin non-alcoholic range,
- at least 1 cl of any Schweppes lemonade (any flavour)
- at least 1 cl of Naked Grouse OR Bols liquers from the list.
- Drink category: Bartenders choice
- Method of preparation: bartender's choice (you choose the method you want)
- Home-made INGREDIENTS are allowed
- Trays, garnishes and other condiments are also allowed.

Any bartender seen to be "bending" the rules or "cheating" by pre-mixing their cocktail beforehand will be immediately disqualified.

All recipes should be sent to <u>flairmaniacs@gmail.com</u> no later than January 24th (the online draw) - ABSOLUTY NO EXCEPTIONS! There will be no changes allowed after this date. If a participant has not sent the recipe to the organizers by that date - your drink will not be scored, and you will receive 0 points for the drink. THIS MEANS BOTH - QUALI AND FINALS (in case you are awesome, and you make it through without the drink score).

THIS IS SERIOUS - <u>MARK THE DATE IN THE CALENDAR</u>. YOU KNOW FLAIRMANIA - WE NEVER JOKE WHEN IT IS ABOUT THE POINTS.

All the ingredients, garnishes, glassware, tools and anything to do with your cocktail EXCEPT sponsor products from the list are participants' responsibility.

Please note that organisers will provide only those products mentioned in the list. If you want to use any other product, you must bring it yourself.

All bottles and products will be given to each competitor in the practice area.

Syrup is not allowed for exhibition flair set up.





RUNNING ORDER DRAW

The running order will be drawn in the Flairmania style as usual 10 days before the competition on January 24th, 2019 and aired live on <u>facebook</u>. Exact time to be announced.

SCORING

All WFA GrandSlam competitions use the same system to judge & build a competitors' score card. This helps to ensure that all GrandSlam competitions are judged fairly from a set standard. Individual competitions within the GrandSlam Championship are free to set the weighting of scores across 5 main categories that meet the needs of the individual sponsors and partners.

You can read more about the GrandSlam Scoring System here.

Olybet Flairmania 2019 has set the following weighting to the judges' score cards:

TECHNICAL	
Difficulty	70
Originality	70
Choreography	40
Relevance	30
COCKTAIL	
Taste	20
Aroma	10
Garnish	10
Originality & creativity of cocktail presentation	10
TOTAL	260

Penalties

- Miscellaneous: -4 points
- Missing Sponsor drink: You drink will not be scored.
- There will be no deductions for drops, spills or breaks.
- Instant scoring will be in use for Heats and Finals





<u>Notes</u>

Grand Slam competitions are 100% Flair bartending competitions as reflected in the scoring system. You are required to make real drinks whilst demonstrating <u>Your</u> Best moves, <u>Your</u> style and <u>Your</u> ideas not what everyone else is doing.

The categories above are considered and recorded throughout your routine - think about how everything links together.

"If what you do on stage doesn't go towards making your drink, then you might as well be throwing around banana's"

In addition to these rules please make sure you have read and understand the following:

- WFA GrandSlam Rules
- WFA GrandSlam Scoring System





THE PRODUCT LIST

LUCAS BOLS

Bols Yoghurt 0.5I Bols Elderflower 0.5I Bols Sour Apple Liqueur 0.5I Bols Peach Liqueur 0.5I Bols Melon Liqueur 0.5I Bols Creme De Bananes 0.5I Bols Creme De Cassis 0.5I Bols Blue Curacao 0.5I Bols Apricot Brandy 0.5I Bols Triple Sec Curacao 0.5I Bols Gold Strike 0.5I

OTHER LIQUERS

Pisang Ambon 0.5l

Galliano Liquore 0.51

Vaccari Sambuca 0.5l

WHISKEY

Naked Grouse 0.7l







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SCHWEPPES

Schweppes products preferably in original glass bottles (could be cans, but no PET bottles). The product list will be updated but you are free to use any product from Schweppes range that is available in the world.

The following selection will be provided by the competition organiser. Bartenders should bring their own products if they are not included below:

- 1. Tonic 250ml glass bottle
- 2. Russian 250ml glass bottle
- 3. Jazzy Ginger 200ml glass bottle
- 4. Aperativo 200ml glass bottle

<u>MONIN</u>

Please see the following pages for information regarding the Monin range and remember to let us know in advance which flavours you will need.









Le Sirop de MONIN Le Concentré de MONIN

LIME JUICE	RANTCHO
GLASCO LEMON/ Citron glasco	GRENADINE
GREEN MINT/ Menthe verte	PURE CANE SUGAR / Sucre de Canne
ALMOND/Orgeat	GUM/Gomme
ANISE/Anis	HONEY/Miel
BLUE CURACAO /Curaçao bleu	JASMINE/Jasmin
BUBBLE GUM BUTTERSCOTCH	LIME/Citron vert PEACH /Pêche
CARAMEL	PISTACHIO/Pistache
CHOCOLATE MINT/Chocolat Menthe	
COCONUT/Coco	VIOLET/violette
FROSTED MINT/Menthe blanche	WHITE CHOCOLATE
GINGER/Gingembre	WHITE PEACH/Pêche Blanche
GREEN BANANA/Banane verte	YELLOW BANANA/Banane jaune
AMARETTO/Amaretto	LEMON PIE/Tarte Citron
APPLE/Pomme	LEMONGRASS/ Citronnelle
APPLE PIE	LYCHEE/Litchi
APRICOT/Abricot	MACADAMIA/Macadamia
BASIL / Basilic BLACKBERRY/Mûre	
BLACKCURRANT/Cassis	MANGO/ Mangue MAPLE SPICE
BLACKFOREST/ Forêt noire	MELON
BLOOD ORANGE/Orange Sanguine	MORELLO CHERRY/Cerise Griotte
BLUEBERRY/Myrtille	ORANGE
BROWNIE	PASSION FRUIT / Passion
CANDY STRAWBERRY	PEAR/Poire
CHERRY/Cerise	PINEAPPLE/Ananas
CHESTNUT/Châtaigne CHOCOLATE/Chocolat	PINK GRAPEFRUIT/Pamplemousse rose PLUM/Mirabelle
CHOCOLATE COOKIE	POMEGRANATE/Grenade
CINNAMON/Cannelle	POP CORN
COFFEE/Café	PRALINE
COTTON CANDY/Barbe à papa	PUMPKIN SPICE/Citrouille épicée
CRANBERRY/Airelle	RASPBERRY/Framboise
	ROASTED HAZELNUT/Noisette grillée
CUCUMBER/Concombre DONUT	SALTED CARAMEL/Caramel salé
ELDER FLOWER/Fleur de Sureau	SPECULOOS SPICY
FALERNUM	SPICY MANGO
FRENCH VANILLA	STRAWBERRY/Fraise
GINGERBREAD/Pain d'Epices	TANGERINE/Mandarine
GRAPEFRUIT/Pamplemousse	TARRAGON/Estragon
GREEN APPLE /Pomme verte	TIRAMISU
	TOFFEE NUT
HAZELNUT/Noisette HIBISCUS	TONKA BEAN/Fève de Tonka
KIWI	VANILLA/Vanille WATERMELON/Pastèque
LAVENDER/Lavande	WILD STRAWBERRY/Fraise Sauvage
BITTER	MATCHA GREEN TEA/Thé vert matcha
BLIER BLACK TEA / Thé Noir	MATCHA GREEN TEAT ne vert matcha
CHAI TEA/Thé Chai	PEACH TEA/Thé pêche
CURACAO TRIPLE SEC	PINA COLADA
IRISH SYRUP/Irlandais	RASPBERRY TEA/Thé framboise
GIN FLAVOUR/Saveur Gin	RUM CARIBBEAN
LEMON TEA/Thé Citron	SANGRIA
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Le Fruit de MONIN

LE FRUIT DE MONIN FLAVOURS

BLUEBERRY/Myrtille CHERRY/Cerise COCONUT/Noix de Coco MANGO/Mangue RASPBERRY/Framboise STRAWBERRY/Fraise

BANANA/Banane GREEN APPLE/Pomme Verte KIWI LYCHEE/Litchi PASSION/Fruit de la Passion PEACH/Pêche RED BERRIES/Fruits Rouges

YUZU

SEA BUCKTHORN/Argousier