

Cocktail Competition Scorecard

Competitor's Name: _____ from Bar: _____ City: _____
Judge: _____ Competitor No. _____

Competitors will be judged according to the following criteria and scored out of a potential 100 points per cocktail, per judge.

The Drink

- Name: _____ Score: ___ /out of 10 points
A drink's name is crucially important to its saleability and points will be awarded with this in mind.
- Balance: _____ Score: ___ /out of 10 points
A perfectly balanced cocktail is divine. Is this drink too sour, too sweet or is it superbly balanced?
- Simplicity: _____ Score: ___ /out of 10 points
Simple is beautiful. Judges should consider how easily replicated and number of ingredients used.
- Taste: _____ Score: ___ /out of 20 points
A cocktail should be pleasing. Is this one just palatable, taste refreshing or is it truly delicious?
- Originality: _____ Score: ___ /out of 20 points
Competitors must present original drinks and points should be awarded for innovative methods & ingredients.
- Presentation: _____ Score: ___ /out of 10 points
The glass and general visual appearance of a cocktail and garnish affect its appeal and points will be awarded accordingly. Judges should also consider the attire and appearance of competitor.

The Delivery

- Performance: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 Score: ___ /out of 20 points
(Cross off numbers as competitor impresses with product knowledge, style etc.) Interaction between bartender and customer is fundamental to good service and so judges should reward efficient, stylish and hygienic preparation as well as a confident and entertaining delivery with commentary that demonstrates knowledge.

Total Score: ___ /out of 100 points

Judge's comments: _____

Note: Judges are encouraged to give feedback to competitors and must be prepared to present this scorecard for scrutiny by both the organisers and competitor.

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