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FESTIVE TIPPLES

Add punch to your festive celebrations with delicious homemade cocktails. These festive tipples by Drinkdings and Bar Vagabond's award-winning international bartender Mauricio Allende are easy to mix up and are sure to impress your guests.



CHRISTMAS CHERRY CHEER

PREP 5 MINS • SERVES 1 cocoa powder, as needed ice cubes, as needed 20ml vodka 40ml baileys 10ml milk Grenadine syrup, as needed cherries, to garnish

- 1 Rim martini glass with cocoa powder and set aside.
- 2 Fill a Boston glass with ice, then pour the vodka in.
- 3 Add baileys and milk into the glass, and shake hard in nice big movements, allowing the ice to travel from one end of the shaker to the other. The further the ice travels the better as it will mix and cool the drink faster. Shake for about 10-15 secs.
- 4 Strain into a martini glass, then add a few drops of grenadine syrup.
- 5 Garnish with cherries and serve.

TRILLBY & CHADWICK

Peychaud's Bitters, to garnish

PREP 1HR 10 MINS • COOK 10 MINS • SERVES 1
60ml Mancino Bianco Ambrato Vermouth infused with chamomile
(refer below for instructions)
30ml fresh lemon juice
20ml simple syrup
1 egg white
chamomile flowers, to garnish

ice cubes, as needed For the simple syrup

227g sugar 118ml water

For the Mancino Bianco Ambrato Vermouth infused with chamomile

37.5g dried chamomile flowers 750ml Mancino Bianco Ambrato Vermouth

- 1 Prepare simple syrup. Combine sugar and water in a medium saucepan, and bring to the boil. Stir continuously until sugar is completely dissolved. Remove from heat and allow to cool.
- 2 To prepare the Mancino Bianco Ambrato Vermouth infused with chamomile, steep dried chamomile flowers in Mancino Bianco Ambrato Vermouth for 1 hr before use.
- **3** Add the Vermouth, lemon juice, syrup and egg white to a shaker, and shake vigorously for 20 secs.

- 4 Add ice to the shaker. Hold the shaker horizontally and shake thoroughly in big back and forth movements for 10 to 15 secs.
- 5 Strain mixture through a fine mesh into a coupé glass. Garnish with Peychaud's Bitters streaked over the top of the egg white foam, and chamomile flowers arranged in the centre.

