

Naturally sparkling wine

Balbi Soprani Moscato d'Asti is an Italian wine that can be paired with fresh fruit, cakes, and desserts, and also enjoyed as an aperitif.

At the Food & Beverage Fair, it is going for a song at Hock Hua Tonic (booth J01) — six bottles for only \$99, more than \$50 cheaper than usual.

**2 Chefs, 4 hands, Great Food**

4 Hands Kitchen, launching in March, is a year-long programme pairing chefs from around the world to present special collaborative menus for about a week at a time.

First up, from March 5 to 10, is the team of one-Michelin-starred Chef Giuseppe Costa and Chef Carlo Marengoni of The Lighthouse Restaurant & Rooftop Bar at The Fullerton Hotel Singapore.

Citi card members will enjoy 20 per cent off the 4 Hands lunch (\$69/pax) and dinner (\$148/pax) menus.

For more information, visit <http://4handskitchen.com.sg/>

**Redefining the fruit tea**

Talk about an all-inclusive tea party. Partea revitalises traditional Chinese tea with the addition of a whole lot of multi-coloured fruits for its tasty brews. The popular Rainbow Tea is made with premium tea leaves from Taiwan and six different fresh fruits.

Every purchase of a Partea drink at the Food & Beverage Fair (booths J09 and J11) gives you a chance to win a prize at the Spin The Wheel.



IT'S A DATE



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Wet your lips

Creative concoctions at this year's Food & Beverage Fair

Fruit and rice won't taste better than at the Drink Up! Beverage Fest, which will showcase creative alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages from around the world.

These include a variety of teas, beers, wines, and energy drinks, some of which are new to the local market.

The fest is a new attraction at this year's Food & Beverage Fair, to be held at Singapore Expo from March 15 to 18.

So wash down the fair's tasty eats with drinks that are fancier than any kind of water you can find in a bottle.

Banana Makgeolli from South Korea (booth K11) is a surefire hit with cocktail lovers, newbie alcohol drinkers, and probably the Minions from the Despicable Me movies.

The light, sweet and refreshing alcoholic beverage is made with premium lcheon rice and infused with the flavour of the yellow fruit.

Whip out your phones at **KECha** (booth K13) — you will want to Instagram its colourful fresh fruit tea concoctions, served in beautiful bottles which cry out to be reused.

Flavours such as Secret Garden, Wander Garden, and Lychee Summer,

sound as good as they are bound to taste.

For a dose of au naturel goodness, visit **Papathis** (booth J17). Here, you will savour organic fruit juices free from preservatives and artificial additives.

Enjoy the taste of lemongrass, hibiscus, banana, honey lime, mulberry, mango, and more.

Call this the next-gen essence of chicken: **GO Shot — NeuroEnergy** (booth J25), as its name suggests, says its drink will give you an extra boost of energy and mental acuity for up to six hours.

The grape-flavoured concoction is packed with vitamins and minerals. Drink up and test your focus in Go Shot's darts challenge: The customer who notches up the highest score each day will win a box of the drink. Non-customers can play for vouchers to buy the drink.

The Food & Beverage Fair, which is in its 15th year, will also feature other exciting games and contests in addition to irresistible food and drinks.

FOOD & BEVERAGE FAIR 2018

Where Singapore Expo, Hall 5
When March 15 to 18, 11am to 10pm
Admission Free
Info www.singaporefoodshows.com.sg,
www.fb.com/singaporefoodshows



PHOTO: POLANIN

All-natural Polish craft beer lands in Asia

Polanin is not just another craft beer that emerged from a hipster's backyard last week — it comes from Poland with more than 1,000 years of beer-brewing tradition behind it.

Polanin beers, which can be found at the Food & Beverage Fair (booth J15), are well known for their flavour, colour and aroma. All ingredients used, including the label's signature golden barley malt, are natural and carefully selected.

The lager is characterised by its light golden color, natural aroma and a hint of refreshing bitterness. The

plisner combines a uniquely deep taste, and a distinct bitterness of the finest hops with a beautiful golden colour. Taste both for free at the fair.

On top of the promotional price at the fair, customers who buy more than one carton of Polanin will get an additional 5 per cent discount.

Fancy yourself a speedy beer drinker? Sign up for the Polanin challenge — the person in each run to empty a 330ml bottle in the shortest time will win a six-pack, while the fastest of them all at the end of the four-day fair will bring home a carton of Polanin.



PHOTO: MUSIKINDER

Put the muse in MusiKinder

MusiKinder is an enthusiastic advocate for developing children through music and art. The enrichment centre aims to fire up youngsters' creative juices using an evolving and responsive curriculum. Its music and art programmes are tailored for groups and individuals, separate and integrated, onsite and online.

Get a taste of MusiKinder's offerings at SmartKidsAsia 2018 (booth C27).



PHOTO: YANG GUANG

Have fun learning Chinese

Don't make your child learn Chinese idioms by rote. Lighten up — colour a traditional Chinese mask, pose for family photographs in Chinese costumes, and sign up for a parent-child educational trip to Taiwan to learn about the schools and

cultures of that land.

Do all these things at Yang Guang Chinese enrichment centre's booth (B25/26) at SmartKids Asia 2018. The centre is also offering special discounts for classes and free trial classes at the education fair.

In the mode to code

So you want your children to excel at mathematics and science? Do not sign them up for tuition classes that will put them through drills and worksheets.

Help them develop a love for math and science concepts the fun way — via coding.

DaVinci Labs, which will be at the SmartKids Asia 2018 education fair, claims its classes equip students with "computational thinking" foundation, putting them in a good position to succeed in the future economy.

Its curriculum, said to be developed by Cornell University, is student-led with instructors supporting the young ones to complete real-world challenges using python, a programming language used widely in the commercial world.

Sign up your child for a free DaVinci Labs bootcamp at the fair (booth C01).



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SMARTKIDS ASIA 2018

Where Singapore Expo, Hall 6
When March 16 to 17, 10am to 9pm
 March 18, 10am to 8pm
Admission Free
Info <http://www.smartkidsasia.com/>