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Expertly-Made Martini Recipe For National Martini Day

In honor of National Martini Day on June 19th, Belvedere Vodka partnered with **Cocktail Courier**, a company that delivers top-rated cocktails to doorsteps throughout Manhattan and Chicago, and **Tad Carducci**, an award-winning mixologist and bartender, to create a martini recipe just in time for the occasion.

The recipe is below. Plus, New Yorkers of legal drinking age can have this martini delivered to their doorstep through Cocktail Courier: <https://www.cocktailcourier.com/drink/summer-thyme-martini/>

BELVEDERE SUMMER-THYME MARTINI

Serves 1

"The Martini is the perfect expression of simplicity - so when the ingredients are pure, let them speak for themselves! For this version, I ventured to my garden for an aromatic thyme enhancement, combined it with the smooth finish of Belvedere Vodka and added a pinch of salt to round out the flavors. Happy World Martini Day NYC!" - Tad Carducci, Bartender at Tippling Bros., New York, NY



Ingredients

- . 2.0 OZ BELVEDERE VODKA
- . 1.0 OZ BLANC VERMOUTH
- . **2 DASHES BERG & HAUCK LEMON BITTERS**
- . 1 THYME SPRIG
- . GARNISH: 1 DEHYDRATED LEMON WHEEL, 1 THYME SPRIG
- . REQUIRED BAR TOOLS: MIXING BEAKER, TEASPOON OR MUD-DLER, JIGGER OR MEASURING CUP, BAR SPOON, JULEP STRAINER
- . GLASS: COUPE
- . SHAKE / STIR / MUDDLE

Instructions

- . Chill Coupe Glass by placing in refrigerator or freezer. (Optional)
- . Place 1 thyme sprig in a Mixing Beaker, then using a teaspoon or muddler lightly press on thyme sprig to release essential oils.
- . Fill Mixing Beaker about 2/3 full with ice.
- . Measure and add Belvedere, vermouth, and bitters into Mixing Beaker. Stir contents by placing shaft of Bar Spoon between your index and middle finger.
- . Insert spoon into the beaker until spoon touches bottom.
- . Keeping your arm and fingers still, use your wrist to turn the spoon in the glass. The spoon will spin about in your fingers on its own axis.

Stir for about 60 seconds.



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