



Press Release

The result of the Danish championship in flair on March 12th, 2017 have been changed!

Danish Bartender's association have decided to change the result of the Danish championship in flair 2017

As the case was in the classic part of the competition, the flair competition was also hit by the same mistake in the calculation of the combined result for technique and cocktail tastes.

Danish Bartender's association corrected the mistake in the classic part, but never in the flair category, and this is deeply regrettable as we therefore did not get the best flair bartender in Denmark 2017 to represent Denmark on home ground at the World Championships held in Øksnehallen in October 2017.

The result presented after the competition in 2017 was based on an incorrect calculation, and therefore the combined result of technique and cocktail was not correct in either classic cocktail, or Flair. Danish Bartender's Association changed the error in Classic Cocktail, after which Damiano Pezzi was left as winner of the Danish Championship 2017. Damiano ended up winning his category at the World Championships in Øksnehallen 2017 and took gold medal to Denmark in Long Drink.

Danish Bartender's Association was aware of the error in the flair category, and simply chose not to change the result back then, after having been in dialogue with those who qualified No. 1 and 3 after the points were corrected for the calculation error in the initial round, did not bother making a new final. Danish Bartender's Association can confirm that the participant who qualified in 1st place in the preliminary round did not have his main product in his cocktail, this is a breach of the overall rules, after which he is downgraded to a 3rd place in the initial round.

When the final did not consist of the correct participants of the day, and participants later refused to make a new final, the final is declared invalid. Initial result is therefore valid for the Danish Championship in flair 2017

The result at the Danish Championship 2017 is:

- 1. Michael Bolt Dahlstrøm, Blume**
- 2. Mathias Daa Løfquist, Castenskiold and Getbartender.com**
- 3. Casper Nico Keller, Chateau Motel**

The current board of Danish Bartender's association has nothing to do with the results in 2017, and no one in the current board can therefore be held responsible for what happened. The current board is just solving the mistake that the previous board should have done.

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