



## CELEBRATE WARMER WEATHER WITH A COOL COCKTAIL

**Sydney, AUSTRALIA September 2014** – With spring bringing sunshine back to Australia's shores, now is the perfect time to celebrate the warmer weather with friends over a cocktail. A well-stocked bar is a crucial ingredient to successful home entertaining and these simple recipes provide a great introduction to the world of home bartending. Amateur mixologists will love making these stunning cocktails to impress their guests this Spring.

*Classic cocktails are back in vogue and nothing says spring like a Spring Fling.*

### **Spring Fling**

#### **Ingredients:**

45ml gin

15ml apple liqueur

45ml Ocean Spray® Ruby Red Grapefruit Juice Drink

10ml lemon juice

3 lychees and a dash of syrup

#### **Directions:**

Muddle all fruit, lychee syrup in a cocktail shaker then add all ingredients with ice, shake and fine strain in a chilled martini glass. Garnish with a thin wedge of apple.





*The Sea Breeze embodies idyllic Aussie beach culture and is the ultimate in casual entertaining.*

### **Sea Breeze**

#### **Ingredients:**

75ml Ocean Spray® Cranberry Classic™ Juice Drink, chilled

75ml grapefruit juice, chilled

40ml vodka

Lemon or lime slice to garnish

#### **Directions:**

Pour all ingredients into a glass filled with ice. Garnish with a slice and serve.





*The change in seasons also brings with it longer nights for enjoying garden parties and barbeques and there is no easier way to cater for a thirsty crowd than with a jug of cool cranberry sangria.*

### **Cranberry Sangria**

#### **Ingredients:**

1 litre Ocean Spray® Cranberry Classic™ Juice Drink

1 bottle red wine, chilled

4tbsp lime cordial

500ml carbonated water or lemonade, chilled

Lime slices, garnish

#### **Directions:**

Mix together the Cranberry Classic™ Juice Drink and red wine in a large jug or punch bowl. Add the lime cordial. Gently stir in the water or lemonade just before serving. Garnish with lime slice.







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