

# Prohibition Evening

## What is it?

An Italian mobster themed evening of entertainment through drinks and dinner. It's the 1920s and the Prohibition Act has made the manufacture and sale of alcohol a crime. A great reason for Don Corleone to throw the biggest underworld party you have ever seen! Your 'family' has been cordially invited and the Don would be rather 'upset' if you didn't attend.

## How does it work?

The secret venue is located down a backstreet alley. A shoeshine boy touts for business under a flickering street lamp and the air is filled with the woeful sound of a harmonica player busking for pennies.

Packing crates are stacked by a steel slit door way, flanked by the Don's henchmen, their features concealed by upturned collars and down turned hats.

You speak the password into the slit and the door opens and you are hit with the warmth, colour and aroma from inside.

Once inside you are greeted by smiling flapper girls and the beat of jazz music. 'Families' wearing feather boas and trilby hats play cards and watch the cabaret dance routines from decorated tables.

## Don Corleone

The place is really hotting up when suddenly the main door is flung open and two broad shouldered henchmen enter the room, followed by the Don. A man with deadly ambition, the Don welcomes the guests to his private function before taking his seat at the head table and signals the start of dinner.

## Police Raid!

Further into the evening, a messenger dashes into the room. Nervously addressing the Don, he warns of an impending raid.

The lamps are blown out and the bottles cleared as guests are asked to remain quiet. The police arrive to stop the illegal party, but the Don is able to appeal to their 'better nature' with an exchange of cash.

## Evening Fun and Illicit Forms of Entertainment

As coffee is served the Don returns to the stage to distribute cash to each family and encourages them to spend it on the illicit forms of entertainment around the room:

**Black Jack** A game you play against the croupier. Keep drawing cards to reach 21 or sit tight and wait for someone else to go bust.



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## **Casino Stud Poker**

Just like five stud poker. Each player receives five cards face down and the dealer shows their own hand once. Players can play, fold, or play against the banker.

## **Craps**

Craps is fast, furious and great fun. Bet on the odds of your roll while the rest of the table can bet with or against you. Throw the dice and hope for lucky number seven!

## **Roulette**

Probably the best known casino game and easiest to play. Place your bet and watch the wheel spin. Where will the ball drop - red, black or maybe your lucky number?

## **Grand Prix - Giant Scalextric**

Test your skills around a fast and furious six-lane track. Speed down the straights, ease off on the corners and master the chicanes to ensure pole position.

## **Shooting Simulator**

Hit the random targets with your infra-red pulse rifle to score points.

## **Mega Bar Soccer**

Two tables joined together for you to play a larger version of the beautiful game.

## **Video Horse Racing**

Up to eight races on a huge video screen throughout the evening. Presented by our enthusiastic tout and assisted by friendly flapper girls to sell the tickets and calculate the winnings.

**Wheel of Fortune** The odds are up on the wheel. Place your bets and spin to win! If it stops on the odds you're selected, you're in the money.

## **Who is it suitable for?**

- All genders, organisations and backgrounds
- Colleagues, clients or families
  
- Most effective for 30 or more people

## **What are the benefits and outcomes?**

- The chance for guests can meet informally
- Enjoyment and relaxation
- Make your company one big 'family'



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## Enhancements and Options

- Add to the fun by assigning gangster 'family' names to your tables
- We can supply costumes for all your guests
- Many more illicit forms of entertainment can be provided, including pub games, pool tables, skittles and even electric Elvis pig racing
- Transport your guests in limousines or classic cars to arrive in style
- We can supply Laurel and Hardy, or Charlie Chaplin look-alikes to augment the authentic 1920s feel

- Instead of Don Corleone, the illegal party can be hosted by Al Capone, and a Dick Tracey style detective will come to arrest him
- The police raid can be further dramatised with stage fights, shoot outs and witty banter
- Give the evening a team building twist where each table controls an area of New York - becoming one big 'family' through deals, exchanges and negotiations

## Timing and Logistics:

<b>Number of people</b>	Unlimited
<b>Duration</b>	Up to 7 hours
<b>Venue / Logistics</b>	Indoor. Can be held at any venue, or even at the office.
<b>What we supply</b>	The Don (host), henchmen, policemen, flapper girls, all props, full AV system. Everything needed for each activity. Pre-event planning, scripting and on site management.
<b>Special Considerations</b>	Be courteous to the Don, unless you want to wind up swimming with the fishes.
<b>Pricing</b>	Price on application.
<b>Health and safety</b>	Risk Assessed and £10million Public & Product Liability.

