

Bed Making Competition

Rules & Regulations

The Bed Making Competition will be held during HORECA Jordan, which takes place in Zara Expo (Grand Hyatt Hotel) Amman/Jordan, dated 9-11 October, 2018.

The Bed-Making Competition is one of many events that will be held during HORECA Jordan, where participants will race to make a bed according to the following general rules & regulations, in addition and for the first time this year the competition will feature the towel folding part.

General Information

1. Competitors should wear their professional uniform during the competition. Wearing slippers or shorts is not allowed.
2. The hotel's name or logo **should not** be visible to the judges during the competition. It may be placed on the uniform once the judging is completed.
3. The date and time of the competition will be sent to participants at least a week in advance to the date of the competition. Competitors should be present half an hour before their competition time. Competitors who arrive late or show up on a different day will be disqualified.
4. Participation fees are only 70 JD per participant.
5. The decision of the judges in all cases is final. Competitors have no right to appeal.
6. Competitors contravening any of the Rules and Regulations of the event may be disqualified.
7. The Organizers reserve the right to reject any entry, which does not comply with the rules or with any specific requirement.
8. The Organizers reserve the right to rescind, modify or add on any of the above rules and regulations and their interpretation of these are final. They also reserve the right to limit the number of participants, modify any rules, cancel any competition, or cancel/postpone the whole competition should it be deemed necessary.

Scale of Penalties

Points will be deducted for:

- Not respecting time
- Not wearing a professional uniform
- Revealing the contestant's or establishment's name on uniforms
- Not abiding by the rules of the personal appearance

What will be provided?

Each participant will be provided with the following supplies:

- Mattress (King size)
- Mattress Protector
- First Sheet
- Second Sheet
- Duvet
- Duvet Case
- 4 Pillows
- 4 Pillow Cases (2 designed, 2 plain)
- Bed throw/Protectors

Each participant will get his new set of (First sheet/Second sheet/ Duvet case/Pillow case)

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1. The Mattress protector should be placed evenly on top of the Mattress,
2. The First Sheet should be placed evenly and tucked tightly from all sides.
3. The Second Sheet should be placed with the sides even not tucked in, the end of the bed turned to be even with the sides. The top part of the sheet should be folded neatly with the duvet.
4. The duvet must be properly filled in the duvet cover
5. The duvet must be placed evenly from the sides and tucked folded from the top of the bed with the Second Sheet.
6. Pillows should be correctly filled in their cases; the 2 cases with any design should be on top of the plain cases along with the pillow protectors.
7. Participants must bring with them their own towels for the towel folding part.
8. Decoration theme for this year which all participants are bounded for: **Romantic Theme**
9. The bed decoration should be related to the theme.
10. The participant may use other items for decoration in addition to the towels such as (artificial flowers, or others).
11. The decorative items should be provided by the participants, and should stick to the hygiene rules of the competition)
12. No running around is allowed

Hygiene rules

- The decorative items should not keep stain or spot the linen
- The bed decoration should not have a smell
- The items used should not be heavy and should not cause any damage to the bed linens

JUDGING CRITERIA:

The Bed-Making Competition is based on **speed, accuracy and skill**. The timing of the competition will begin once the judges indicate so and will be stopped as soon as the participant completes the bed-making. The main judging criteria for the competition include: time taken to make the bed, the tidiness, the quality, the presentation of the theme and overall look of the bed.

Following is the judging criteria used in this competition:

• Technique: 60 points

The way the corners, duvet, pillow cases are set

Bed Decoration	15 points
Sheet/Second sheet/Corners	10 points
Duvet	10 points
Pillow cases	10 points
Overall Bed appearance	10 points
Bed throw/Protector	5 points

• Timing: 30 points

The participants should complete the task in less than 15 minutes to be awarded top marks.

Bed Making: 7 minutes

Less than 7 minutes	15 points
Between 7 and 10 minutes	10 points
More than 10 minutes	0 points & timing will stop

Towel Folding: 8 minutes

Less than 8 min	15 points
Between 8 and 10 minutes	10 points
More than 10 minutes	0 points & timing will stop

• Overall Impression: 10 points

The person must have good manners, be knowledgeable, self-controlled, possess a sense of humor, be eloquence and have language skills.

Cleanliness & Neatness: Uniform, grooming, perfume in moderation, no excessive use of make-up, jewelry should not be worn when in uniform, hair must always be neat and gentlemen should be clean shaved

AWARDS

60-69 points	Merit Certificate
70-79 points	Bronze Medal and certificate
80-89 points	Silver Medal and certificate
90-100 points	Gold Medal and certificate