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**Gradini presents a vegetarian-friendly afternoon tea set
in collaboration with cruelty-free luxury beauty brand, Hourglass**

(Hong Kong, 29 September 2021) — Gradini Ristorante E Bar at The Pottinger Hong Kong takes inspiration from a shared philosophy with cruelty-free luxury beauty brand, Hourglass, in fostering sustainability through the creation of a wholesome vegetarian* afternoon tea set, available from now until 30 November.

As the first hospitality partner of Hourglass, Gradini introduces the brand's first afternoon tea set featuring some of the most popular plant-based ingredients such as ***Beyond Beef in Vol-au-vent***, ***Soymilk Panna Cotta with Forest Fruits***, a dairy-free version of the Italian dessert; and nutty ***Cashew Macaron***.

In addition to these bespoke delights, Gradini's culinary team has turned to Hourglass' vegan, limited-edition palette, ***Ambient™ Lighting Edit – Universe and Universe Unlocked***, from its Holiday 2021 collection, and craft sweet afternoon tea treats like ***Mini Cheesecake***, ***Chocolate Truffle with Gold Leaf*** and ***Blush Chocolate Covered Strawberry***, which highlights Hourglass' signature swirled texture and lit-from-within shade. Savoury canapés include ***Porcini Mushroom Quiche***, ***Fig with Mozzarella Cheese***, ***Truffle Honey*** as well as ***Cucumber with Sundried Tomato, Herbs and Cream Cheese Wrap***.

This special afternoon tea set is topped off with a traditional ***British Scone*** and choice of ***Hourglass Cappuccino*** or premium whole-leaf teas by Tea WG. Guests can also sample the ***'Infinity'***, a mocktail concocted with Sakura tea, pineapple juice and pomegranate syrup, based on the colours of 'Ambient Lighting Infinity Powder' from the ***Ambient Lighting Edit – Universe*** palette.

Each afternoon tea patron will receive a redemption voucher for a complimentary 20-minute Holiday Makeup Service at Hourglass counters (valued at HK\$980), a Veil Mineral Primer Deluxe after service (valued at HK\$75) as well as a Vanish™ Airbrush Concealer Blister Card.

*Afternoon tea contains eggs, milk, gluten, and other products

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Gradini x Hourglass Afternoon Tea

Date: From now until 30 November 2021 inclusive

Time: Daily from 3:00pm to 5:30pm

Price*: HK\$298 per person

HK\$528 for two persons

*subject to 10% service charge

Address: Lobby Level, 74 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong
(Main entrance: 21 Stanley Street)

- Remarks:
- Book online to enjoy 10% off on afternoon tea
Booking Link: <https://bit.ly/GradinixHG-PR10EN>
 - Afternoon tea for two is also available for takeaway

For enquiries, please contact Gradini at +852 2308 3088 or email gradini@thepottinger.com.

Call Hourglass Counter in advance for makeup service booking:

Period: From now until 31 December 2021

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(Left) Hourglass Cappuccino

About Hourglass

LUXURY INNOVATION MEETS PURPOSE

Hourglass, the cruelty free luxury beauty brand, is known for its innovation and commitment to reinvent luxury cosmetics. Complexion, color and skincare are crafted to be undetectably transformative while effortless to apply. Cutting edge formulas in state-of-the-art packaging make Hourglass the brand that is setting trends by creating new classics. For more information, visit hourglasscosmetics.com.

About Gradini Ristorante E Bar Italiano

Gradini Ristorante E Bar Italiano at The Pottinger Hong Kong brings modern Italian cuisine to the historic heart of the city. Gradini specialises in modern interpretations of time-honoured Italian dishes. Hearty Italian flavours are amplified by the elegant ambience and intimate old-world charm of The Pottinger Hong Kong, where East meets West and heritage meets modernity.

About Sino Hotels

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