

## Drinking songs

In May 2012, Stockholm will get a new museum that combines alcohol, art and impressions. Spritmuseum, which opens in the Harbor Sheds (Galärskjulen) on Djurgården, will present exhibitions highlighting the tradition of alcohol in Sweden and our contrasting relationship with it. As a part of the history of alcoholic beverages, the new museum will showcase The Absolut Art Collection, one of the modern day's most spectacular collections of art, with works by Andy Warhol, Keith Haring, and others. Even the restaurant, with a view of the water and Kastellholmen, will reflect the contrasts in our country.

**SPRITMUSEUM**



## The Whole Goes

The whole goes,  
sing hopp-father-allan-lallan-ley  
The whole goes,  
sing hopp-father-allan-lallan-ley  
And he who will not take the whole  
He'll miss the chance to take the half  
The whole goes..... (drink the snaps)  
sing hopp-father-allan-lallan-ley

Melodi: Helan Går

## The Devil's Call

Filled anew, a frosted glass is standing by.  
When I see it, I can hear a muted cry.  
Somewhere down there, in my stomach,  
In a dark and hidden spot.  
Sits the devil calling for another shot!

Melodi: Kors På Idas Grav; Imbelupet

## The Darwin Song

When Darwin had studied  
origin of species  
He found that the weakest of  
brain cells die easy  
The weakest of brain cells  
will also die first  
So increase your IQ and  
decrease your thirst!

Melodi: Skånska slott och herresäten  
Textursprung: Rolf Malmström

## I Like The Snaps

like the snaps and the snaps likes me,  
thrilling as only a snaps can be.  
I want to drink the real elite:  
Aalborg aquavite!  
//: Over the mountains, over the sea,  
Millions of snaps are waiting for me.  
Please go to hell with juice and tea,  
Snaps is the drink for me!! ://

Melodi: Over The Mountains

## Wish I Could Tie

Wish I could tie a piece of string,  
a-round the snaps fore I drink it!  
Wish I could tie a piece of string,  
a-round the snaps fore I drink it!  
When it goes down,  
I pull the string,  
And thus reuse it, that's why I sing.  
Wish I could tie a piece of string,  
a-round the snaps fore I drink it!

Melodi: Hej Tomtegubbar;  
Tänk om jag hade lilla snubben

## Herring And Sill

You can give us herring,  
And you can give us sill.  
But you still be erring,  
unless you also will.  
Give us a glass of Akvavit,  
that sure smells sweet,  
to Swedes in heat.  
It gives the fish its feet,  
and makes the dish complete!

Melodi: Lili Marlene  
Textursprung: Christer Engström

## Vodka, Vodka

Vodka, Vodka, drink of heaven V  
odka, Vodka drink of hell!  
//: Don't resist any temptations.  
Soon enough you'll hear the bell! ://

Melodi: Stenka Rasin; Vodka, Vodka

## You can have another

You can have another yet.  
They're nicer the more you get!  
But if you have twenty,  
you'll wake with plenty,  
of head-ache and much regret

Melodi: Popeye the sailor man

