

## IN MADRID

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# NORDIC NIGHTS

Deck the halls with shots of vodka, fa-la la-la la, la-la-la-huh? Forget the Christmas sherry — at Ølsen you'll find more than 80 different types of vodka and a variety of cocktails and martinis. This Scandinavian restaurant invites us to get warm and cosy this month with its Nordic Nights (*noches nórdicas*), taking place in its chic *zona de relax*, a cosmopolitan lounge space decorated like a snow-covered forest. These nocturnal affairs will feature Nordic tapas, consisting of slices of pumpnickel bread topped with salmon, raspberry spread, mustards, tomato chutney, and smoked cheeses. A carefully selected soundtrack will further set the scene. It may sound like just another attempt to create a cool chill-out, but Ølsen's Nordic twist should make this an authentic winter wonderland. ■ AF

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Ølsen, c/Prado, 15, tel: 91 429 36 59 (Metro: Atocha/Banco de España). Open: Tues-Sun, 12pm-2am. The kitchen is open until 12.30am on Fri and Sat. See [www.olsen-madrid.com](http://www.olsen-madrid.com) for more information.

