Lioni LATTICINI, INC.

Awards

RECOGNIZED AMONG THE WORLD'S BEST

SILVER ★ STRACCIATELLA AFFUMICATA

2026 World Championship Cheese Contest®

Lioni's **Stracciatella Affumicata** (smoked) cheese received the Silver Medal honor at the largest international cheese and butter competition in the world. Over 3,375 cheeses were evaluated by a panel of 56 internationally renowned judges—for flavor, body, texture, salt, color, finish and packaging, as well as other technical attributes.

GOLD ★ STRACCIATELLA AFFUMICATA

2025 World Cheese Awards

Lioni's **Stracciatella Affumicata** was awarded a Gold medal at the 2025 World Cheese Awards in Bern, Switzerland, an event that featured entrants from 46 countries. A record-breaking 5,244 cheeses were evaluated by an international panel of expert judges.

SILVER ★ BURRATA CON STRACCIATELLA AFFUMICATA

2025 World Cheese Awards

Lioni's **Burrata Con Stracciatella Affumicata** received a Silver award at the 2025 World Cheese Awards in Switzerland. This prized Burrata is a fresh mozzarella filled with authentic Italian panna di latte and delicately smoked pasta filata. It was evaluated by judges taking into consideration its aroma, body, texture and flavor.

BRONZE ★ BUFALA CILIEGINE

2025 World Cheese Awards

Lioni's **Bufala Ciliegine** was awarded a Bronze medal at the 2025 World Cheese Awards. During judging, experts receive only a brief product description—without any indication of origin or producer— and evaluate each entry based on appearance, aroma, body, texture, and overall flavor.

3rd PLACE ★ CACIOCAVALLO DI SALVATORE

2025 American Cheese Society Competition

Lioni's **Caciocavallo Di Salvatore** won 3rd place in the 2025 American Cheese Society Competition. Cheese was judged for quality, craftsmanship, and flavor highlighting excellence in cheesemaking. Lioni's Caciocavallo is aged for about 3 months. It is lightly salted with a buttery flavor and creamy texture.

2nd PLACE ★ STRACCIATELLA PANNA DI LATTE

2025 American Cheese Society Competition

Lioni's **Stracciatella Panna Di Latte** won 2nd Place in the 2025 American Cheese Society Competition judged on both technical and aesthetic criteria. Lioni's Stracciatella is a decadent combination of shreds of fresh mozzarella cheese and authentic Italian cream.

GOLD ★ BUFALA FRESCA

2023 World Cheese Awards

Lioni's **Bufala Fresca** was awarded a Gold Medal at the 2023 World Cheese Awards in Trondheim Spektrum, Norway, where 43 countries competed. Lioni's Bufala Fresca, made from 100% grassfed buffalo milk imported from Italy, was selected for its appearance, aroma, body, texture, and most notably, its flavour.

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SILVER ★ RICOTTA DI BUFALA

2023 World Cheese Awards

Lioni's **Ricotta di Bufala** received a Silver Medal at the 2023 World Cheese Awards in Norway, the largest international competition of its kind. The world's leading cheese experts chose Lioni's Ricotta di Bufala, which is made from 100% grassfed buffalo milk imported from Italy, out of 4,502 entries, from 43 countries.

1st PLACE ★ OVOLINE

2023 American Cheese Society Competition

Lioni's **Ovoline** traditional fresh mozzarella cheese received the 1st place award at the 2023 American Cheese Society competition, topping 21 entries in the Fresh Mozzarella (under 8 oz.) category.

2nd PLACE ★ BURRATA CON PANNA

2023 American Cheese Society Competition

Lioni's **Burrata Con Panna** was awarded the highest honor in the 2023 American Cheese Society competition in the Burrata category, topping 13 other burrata entries. The American Cheese Society Judging and Competition, is the largest event of its kind for American-made cheeses.

1st PLACE ★ STRACCIATELLA PANNA DI LATTE

2022 American Cheese Society Competition

Lioni's **Stracciatella Panna di Latte** was awarded 1st place in the Cow's Milk - Open Cheese Category for excellence in cheesemaking and commitment to food safety. Stracciatella was selected by judges for its excellence amongst 1,387 products, from 196 companies, recognized for achievements in flavor, aroma, texture, and appearance.

BEST NEW PRODUCT ★ STRACCIATELLA PANNA DI LATTE

2022 sofi™ Awards

Lioni's **Stracciatella Panna di Latte** received the New Product Award in the Cow's Milk Cheese category as part of the Specialty Food Association's 2022 sofi™ Awards, a top honor in the $170 billion specialty food industry. Products were judged on taste, including flavor, appearance, texture and aroma, ingredient quality, and innovation.

2nd PLACE ★ BOCCONCINI

2015 American Cheese Society Competition

Lioni's **Bocconcini** traditional fresh mozzarella cheese received 2nd place at the 2015 ACS Judging & Competition, a prestigious award given to cheeses and dairy products that have achieved technical excellence and possess the highest aesthetic qualities.