

Mushroom and Barley Risotto

Prep Time: 15 min Cook Time: 1 hour Serves: 4 NUTRITION FACTS, PER SERVING: 350 Calories 14 g fat 685 mg sodium



INGREDIENTS: ** Items not included in kit

- 4 cups (32 oz.) low sodium vegetable broth
- 3 TB unsalted butter**
- 1 cup onion, diced
- 1/4 tsp salt & 1/4 tsp black pepper**
- 16 oz. sliced mushrooms
- 3 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 TB thyme leaves, pull leaves from stem & discard stem
- 1 cup pearl barley
- 1 lemon, juiced
- 1 cup Parmesan cheese
- 3/4 cup peas
- 1/4 cup flat leaf parsley, chopped

DIRECTIONS:

- Wipe mushrooms clean with a damp paper towel and discard the mushroom stems. Slice the **mushrooms**, set aside. Peel and mince **3 garlic cloves**, set aside. Wash and dry **parsley**, chop leaves, set aside.
- 2. In a large sauce pan, over medium heat add 3 TB butter, once melted, add the diced onion, 1/4 tsp salt and 1/4 tsp black pepper and sauté for 5-7 minutes, stirring often until onions are translucent. Increase the heat to medium high and add the sliced mushrooms, stirring to combine and continue cooking 4 minutes. Add the minced garlic and fresh thyme leaves and cook for 1 minute longer. Add the pearl barley and stir to combine for 2 minutes to toast the barely. Add 1 cup water and cook for 3 minutes stirring often. Add the 32 oz box (4 cups) vegetable broth; stir to combine and bring mixture to boil. Cover, reduce heat and simmer, for 45-50 minutes or until tender. Remove pan from heat, take lid off, and let stand for 5 minutes.
- Remove lid and add the 1 cup parmesan cheese, juice of 1 lemon and the peas. Toss to combine then top with the chopped parsley as a garnish.

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Roasted Broccoli Red Pepper Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup



Prep Time: 15 min Cook Time: 35 min Serves: 4 NUTRITION FACTS, PER SERVING: 924 Calories 32 g fat 1020 mg sodium



DIRECTIONS:

- **INGREDIENTS:** ** Items not included in kit 1.
- 1.5 lbs. broccoli florets
- 2 red bell peppers, thinly sliced
- 1 yellow onion, thinly sliced
- 2 TB olive oil**
- 1 TB balsamic vinegar
- 1/4 tsp salt & 1/4 tsp black pepper**
- Pinch of red pepper flakes
- 8 slices of sourdough bread
- 2 cups shredded cheddar cheese
- 2 TB mustard
- 2 TB Butter**

Tomato Soup:

- 4 TB unsalted butter**
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/2 cup diced onion
- 28 oz. can crushed tomatoes
- 1.5 cups vegetable broth
- 1/2 tsp sugar**
- Salt & pepper, to taste**
- 1 oz. (2 TB) sour cream

- Tomato Soup: In a large saucepan melt 4TB butter over medium
 heat. Add 2 cloves minced garlic, 1/2 cup diced onion, crushed
 tomatoes, 1.5 cups vegetable broth, 1/2 tsp sugar, bring to a
 simmer, cook uncovered for 30 minutes, stirring occasionally.
 Stir in 2 TB sour cream then blend with an immersion blender or
 use a blender. If using a blender, work in batches and remove
 the center insert of the lid and cover with a towel instead to let
 steam escape while blending. Season to taste with salt & pepper
 and add remaining broth to reach desired consistency.
- Preheat oven to 425 degrees. Thinly slice bell peppers & onion. Place the broccoli, sliced bell peppers & onions on a large rimmed baking sheet. Drizzle with 2 TB olive oil, 1 TB balsamic vinegar, 1/4 tsp salt & 1/4 tsp black pepper, toss until evenly coated. Arrange in a single layer then sprinkle lightly with red pepper flakes. Bake until the veggies are tender and caramelized, about 20 minutes.
- 3. To assemble the sandwiches, spread a very thin layer of **mustard** on one **slice of bread**, top with **shredded cheddar cheese**, then some of the **roasted vegetables**, and top with more **cheese**; then place another **slice of bread** on top.
- 4. Heat a large non stick skillet over medium heat. Add **1/2 TB butter**, let it melt and swirl around the pan. Place one sandwich in the pan. Cover the pan with a lid or foil to encourage the cheese to melt. Let the sandwich cook until the bottom side is golden. Use a spatula to lift the sandwich out of the pan and add a little more butter if needed, then flip the sandwiches over and place back in the pan to cook the other side. Once both sides are golden and the cheese has melted, transfer to a plate and repeat with the remaining sandwiches.

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