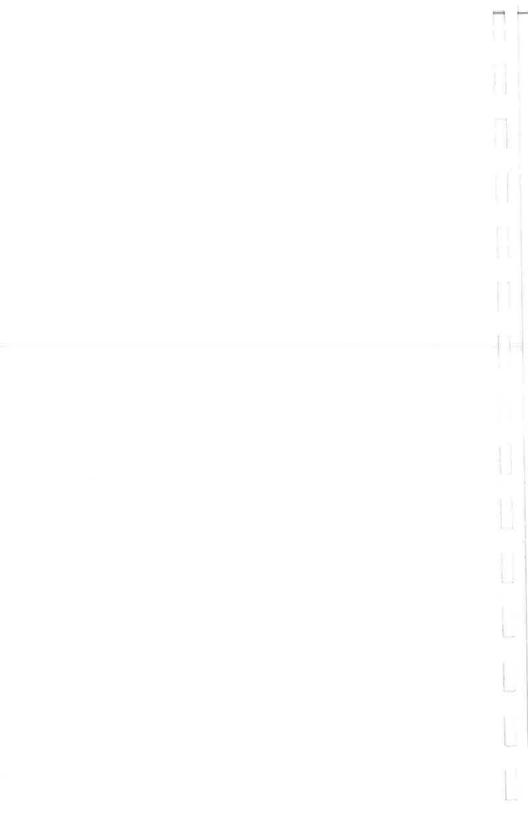


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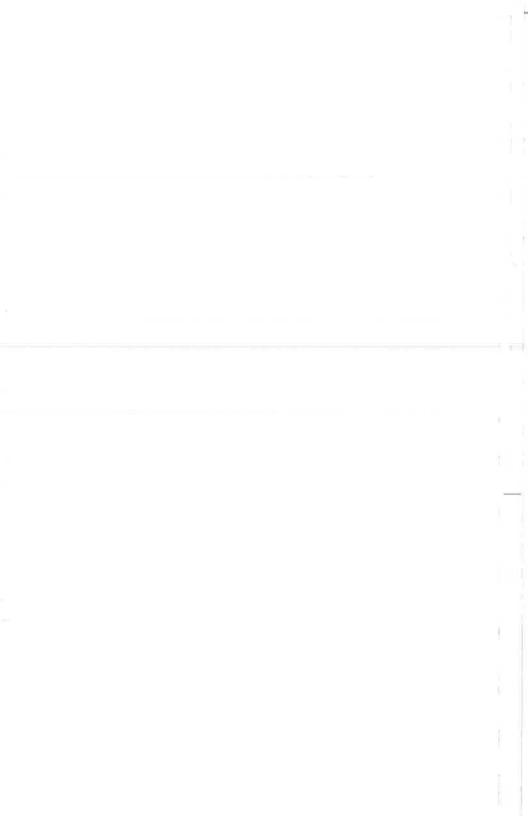
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The mission of Special Olympics is to provide year round training and competition in a variety of Olympic type sports for all children and adults with mental retardation. This gives them the opportunity to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympic athletes and their community.

In Special Olympics, victory is secondary toward striving toward one's own athletic potential. This unconquerable spirit is reflected in the Special Olympics oath:

"Let me win, but if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt."

Through your generous support of this cookbook, Special Olympics will continue to instill these values and encourage the mentally retarded children and adults of the Northwest Ohio area. When you give part of yourself to Special Olympics, they give something in return.



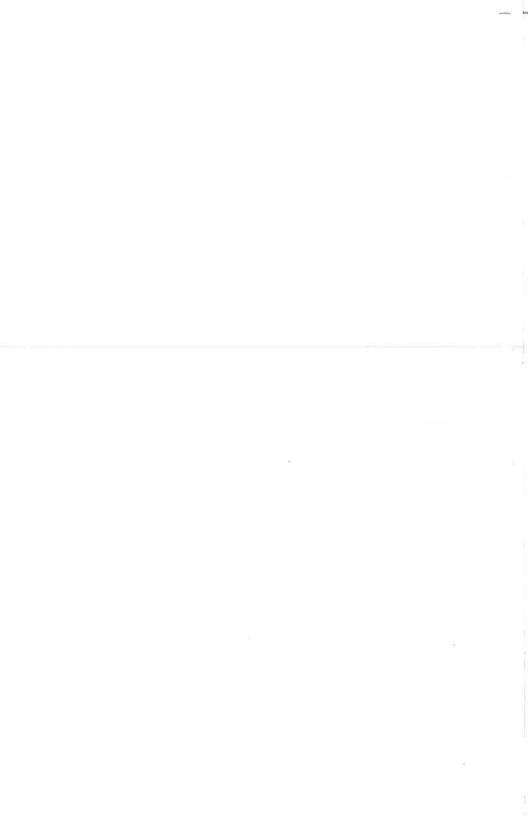


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APPETIZERS





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BROILED DEVILED CLAMS

24 hard-shelled clams (small)
34 cup butter, softened
44 cup shallots, minced
3 Tbsp. Dijon-style mustard

2 Tbsp. lemon juice Salt and pepper to taste Stale bread crumbs Rock salt

Clean and shuck clams, discarding the top shell, and release them from the bottom shells. In a bowl combine the butter, mustard, shallots, lemon juice, salt and pepper. Divide the butter mixture among the clams, spreading it evenly over each clam, so clam is completely covered. Cover clams with plastic wrap and chill 30 minutes.

Sprinkle 2 teaspoons of bread crumbs over each clam and arrange the clams on a bed of rock salt in a shallow baking pan. Broil clams 2 inches from flame for 3 to 4 minutes until the crumbs are golden.





Jerry Anderson News Anchor WTVG-TV 13

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CHEESE BITS

2½ loaves Pepperidge Farm sandwich bread4 Jars Old English cheese spread1 lb. butter (or oleo) 1 tsp. Tabasco 1 tsp. onion powder 1½ tsp. Worcestershire sauce ½ tsp. dill weed 1 tsp. Beau Monde seasoning

Trim crusts from bread. Use 3 slices for each sandwich. Mix together all ingredients for cheese mixture. Spread cheese mixture between slices. Cut in 3's both ways so you get 9 squares out of each three slice sandwich. Ice sides and tops of each square with cheese mixture, but not the bottoms. Place on cookie sheet in freezer. When frozen, they can be stored in the freezer in plastic bags.

Bake at 350° for 20 minutes or until browned. Do not thaw before baking. Makes 120 squares.





Gus J. Mancy General Manager Mancy's

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COCONUT SHRIMP

1 cup pineapple juice
2 Tbsp. lemon juice
2 Tbsp. soy sauce
2 tsp. fresh grated ginger
1 cup all-purpose flour
Pinch of salt
1 cup milk
½ cup cream of coconut
1 egg

12 uncooked jumbo shrimp,
peeled, deveined and
butterflied (leave tails intact)
2 cups sweetened coconut,
shredded
5 cups vegetable oil
Favorite Oriental or mustard
dipping sauces
Lemon wedges

Combine pineapple juice, lemon juice, soy sauce and ginger in medium bowl and marinate shrimp for ½ hour. Line baking sheet with wax paper. Place flour on a plate; add salt. Whisk milk, cream of coconut and egg in medium bowl.

Dredge shrimp in flour, shaking off excess. Dip shrimp (not tails) in milk batter. Press shrimp into shredded coconut, do not coat tails. Place shrimp on prepared baking sheet and freeze till firm.

Heat oil in heavy, large sauce pan to 350°. Add frozen shrimp to oil in batches. Cook until golden brown (approx. 3 minutes). Serve with your favorite Oriental and/or hot mustard dipping sauce and lemon wedges.

This tropical delight can be enjoyed as an appetizer or dinner. And, the best thing about Coconut Shrimp is it can be prepared a day or two before cooking.





Max Wright Actor "Alf"

Max Glugor

MUSHROOMS MAX

12 Shitake mushrooms, generous size

1/4 cup extra virgin first pressing olive oil

2 Tbsp. capers (without brine)

6-8 cloves of garlic (depending on taste) Optional garnish of lettuce leaves, wedges of lemon and fresh tomato

Use garlic press to press capers; use everything but the skins. Press garlic. Mix both with the olive oil.

Put mushrooms cap side down in bowl, pour marinade over for about ½ hour. Turn at least twice during this time.

Grill on low flame on barbecue. Serve on lettuce leaves with wedge of lemon and fresh tomato.





Jeannine Lauber News Anchor WTVG-TV 13

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TACO DIP

1 2 lb. can refried beans 1 12 oz. tub sour cream 1 12 oz. bottle of salsa/taco sauce 1 6 oz. bag shredded cheddar cheese Sliced black olives Tortilla/taco chips

In a 9x9" pan, layer beans, sour cream, salsa sauce and cheddar cheese. Top with black olives and serve with tortilla chips. Only takes 5 minutes to whip up.





Betty White
Actress
"The Golden Girls"

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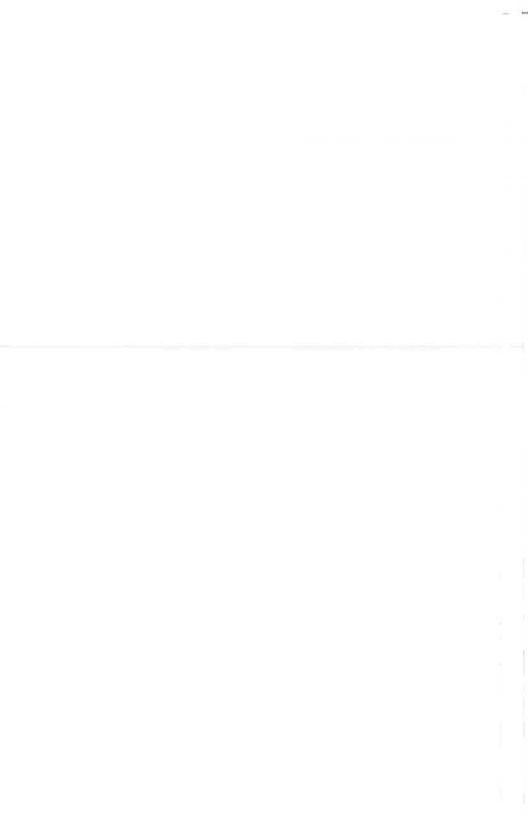
CHICKEN WINGS PACIFICA

3 lbs. chicken wings (or more, they disappear fast)1 stick butter or margarine1 cup soy sauce

1 cup brown sugar 34 cup water 44 tsp. dry mustard

Arrange wings in shallow baking pan. Heat butter (or margarine), soy saucc, sugar, water and mustard until sugar and butter melt. Cool. Pour over wings and marinate at least 2 hours, turning once or twice. Bake in same pan at 375° for $1\frac{1}{4}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours, turning occasionally. Drain on paper towels.





Soups/salads





Malcolm S. Forbes Chairman and Editor-in-Chief Forbes Magazine

Halaran Forkes

CHILLED CANTALOUPE SOUP

3 medium sized ripe cantaloupes 2 cups white grape juice 1 tsp. lemon juice 43 cup yogurtDash cinnamonDash nutmeg42 cup Perrier water

Remove skin and seeds from cantaloupes and puree in blender until very smooth. Pour in sauce pan and bring to a boil. Remove from sauce pan and pour into stainless steel bowl and place bowl in an ice water bath. When chilled, add lemon juice and yogurt by whisking it into soup. Season with nutmeg and cinnamon and stir in Perrier water. Serve very cold. Serves 8.





Brenda Hines Anchor/Reporter WTVG-TV 13

Burda Hines

NEPTUNE'S CHOWDER

1 15 oz. can Snows Clam Chowder

1 10½ oz. can cream of mushroom soup

1 13 oz. can evaporated milk (undiluted)

1 4 oz. can mushrooms (cut up) Dash of Tabasco

1 6½ oz. can minced clams

2 5 ½ oz. cans crabmeat

1 6 oz. can shrimp

½ cup chopped parsley (or to taste)

1/4 cup dry sherry

1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce

Do not drain seafood.

Combine Snows clam chowder, cream of mushroom soup, evaporated milk and mushrooms. Heat slowly for 15 minutes. Do not boil.

Add remaining ingredients. Heat to serving temperature.





John D. Mihaly
Executive Chef/General Manager
The Boody House

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TARRAGON TOMATO DRESSING

4 egg yolks
1 tsp. Dijon mustard
24 oz. salad oil
1 cup tomato meat and juice
(fresh), chopped fine

1 Tbsp. chopped tarragon leaves 3 oz. tarragon vinegar Salt and white pepper

Peel and deseed tomatoes, chop fine and save juice from cutting board.

In bowl put 4 egg yolks, mustard and dribble in salad oil to make a mayonnaise. Add chopped tomato, tarragon leaves, vinegar and mix well. Season to taste with salt and pepper.





Ted & Joanne Arvanitis Owners Theos Taverna

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THEOS GREEK VILLAGE SALAD HORIATIKI

2 large tomatoes, cut in wedges 1 cucumber (peel skins), sliced 1 green pepper, cut in 1" squares 2 green onions, cut in small pieces 2 Tbsp. chopped parsley 1 tsp. oregano Salt to taste ½ cup olive oil (enough to coat vegetables)

Toss all ingredients together lightly and garnish with slices of feta cheese, black olives, salonika peppers and red onion rings. Serves 2-4 people.



Carol Rae Manager Lion Westgate's Oak Room Restaurant

Carol Rae

FAMOUS TACO SALAD

3 heads of lettuce, torn apart, small pieces 1¾ cups rinsed kidney beans 1½ cups diced American/ Swiss cheese 1½ cups diced tomato ¼ cup chopped onion 1 cup chopped green pepper
8 oz. sour cream
1 lb. ground chuck, cooked well
2 pkgs. taco seasoning mix
½ cup red French/Russian salad dressing
Dorito's Nacho Chips

Cook ground beef, break into small pieces while cooking, drain excess grease. Rinse meat with water, re-heat in pan and add taco seasoning - mix well. Cool meat before adding to the salad.

Mix ingredients together, adding the desired amount of dressing and serve sour cream on the side. Crush nacho chips on top of the salad. Serves 6-8.



Labib Hajjar President Beirut Restaurant

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FATOOSH

2 medium tomatoes
1 small cucumber
2 green onions
1 small onion
¹/₄ green pepper
2 loaves of pita bread

1 bunch parsley, chopped

4 cup lemon juice

4 cup olive oil

8 cup fresh mint, chopped

Salt and pepper to taste

2 Tbsp. sumac (thyme, oregano)

Cut tomatoes, cucumbers, onion and pepper into small slices. Toast the bread until it's crisp. Place cut vegetables in a bowl, crack the bread into about square inch pieces over the vegetables. Add parsley, mint, salt, pepper and sumac.

Just before serving add the oil and lemon and mix.



Genevieve E. Dokurno
President
Northwood Inn & Northwood Villa

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RASPBERRY RIBBON SALAD

1 6 oz. pkg. raspberry jello 1½ cups boiling water 1 13½ oz. can crushed pineapple, DO NOT DRAIN 2 10 oz. pkgs. frozen raspberries ¼ tsp. salt 2 cups sour cream

Mix jello and boiling water, stir very well until dissolved. Add crushed pinneaple, do not drain, stir well. Add frozen raspberries and salt and stir. Let thicken slightly.

Swirl in sour cream, DO NOT OVER MIX. Pour into a 9x13" glass casserole dish and refrigerate at least 4 hours. Delicious!

(May also use strawberries and strawberry jello.)



Richard F. Celeste Governor State of Ohio

Richard J. Celeste

MUSHROOM SALAD

3 boxes of mushrooms

2 bunches of parsley

1 whole clove garlic

4 Tbsp. olive oil

4 Tbsp. wine vinegar Juice of 1 fresh lemon Salt and pepper to taste

In a large salad bowl, thickly slice mushrooms, chop parsley, thinly slice garlic.

Add olive oil, vinegar, lemon juice, salt and pepper. Toss slightly before serving.



Mary Haddad & Michel Ansara Owner Head Chef The Bungalow

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Michel Ansara



TABOOLEY SALAD

1½ cups cracked wheat
5 bunches parsley
½ cup fresh mint or
1 Thsp. dried
7 medium size tomatoes

1 bunch green onions
Juice of 5 lemons
1 cup olive oil or salad oil
Salt and pepper to taste
Dash of cinnamon

Wash wheat and soak. Clean and wash the vegetables, then chop fine. Squeeze water from wheat and mix with vegetables. Add seasonings and refrigerate.

Serve with pita bread and/or lettuce leaves.





Herbert J. Sigley Manager Lion Westgate

SCOTTWOOD WALDORF SALAD

1 cup mayonnaise

1 cup sour cream

2 cups Cool Whip

2 Tbsp. boney

3 cups diced apples

2 cups diced celery

2 cups seeded red grapes

2 cups seeded green grapes 2 cups miniature marshmallows 1 cup finely chopped walnuts

½ cup sliced dates

Combine mayonnaise, sour cream, honey and Cool Whip for dressing. Combine remaining ingredients and fold in dressing. Serves 15+.



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Entrees



Calvin Klein l'ashion Designer



RISOTTO AI FUNGHI

5 cups chicken broth 2 Tbsp. butter 2 Tbsp. olive oil ½ cup minced onion 1 clove minced garlic 2 cups Italian Arborio rice, well washed 34 lb. musbrooms, sliced thin or coarsely chopped 42 cup white wine 4 Thsp. parmesan cheese

In a 2 qt. sauce pan, bring chicken broth to a simmer. Keep broth hot while heating oil and butter over a low heat in a 3 qt. sauce pan. Add onion and garlic to oil and butter and saute until limp. Add rice, stirring with a wooden spoon, until the rice is well coated with butter and oil. Add winc, and mix in about ½ cup of broth at a time until all is used and rice is al dente.

Meanwhile, saute the mushrooms in butter for about 3 minutes. Add mushrooms, parmesan cheese and salt and pepper to taste. Serve hot. Serves 6.





Dave Hennen Meteorologist WTVG-TV 13



SWEET POTATO CASSEROLE

3 cups sweet potatoes, cooked and mashed

1 cup sugar

1 stick butter

2 eggs

1 tsp. vanilla

TOPPING:

1 cup brown sugar

½ cup flour

1/3 cup melted butter

1 cup chopped pecans

Preheat oven to 375°. Mix together sweet potatoes, sugar, butter, eggs and vanilla. Put contents into a 1½ qt. dish.

Combine the topping ingredients and sprinkle over the potato mixture. Bake for 30-40 minutes.





J.P. McCarthy WJR-AM Radio 76

SWISS CHEESE CHICKEN BREASTS

5-8 boned chicken breasts Pepperidge Farms dressing 8 oz. pkg. swiss cheese Salt and pepper to taste 1 can cream of mushroom soup butter or margarine 4 cup milk

Melt ½ stick butter in 13½ x8¼ " Pyrex dish. Place chicken breasts in dish and put a slice of swiss cheese on each breast. Mix soup with ¼ cup milk and pour over top of swiss cheese. Melt enough butter to moisten Pepperidge Farms dressing. Pour over top and bake at 325° for 1 hour or until done.



Mary Alice Powell Food Editor The Toledo Blade

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YORKSHIRE CHICKEN

¼ cup vegetable oil 1/3 cup flour 1 tsp. salt 1/4 tsp. pepper

1½ tsp. crumbled leaf sage 1 3½ lb. broiler-fryer, cut up Yorkshire Pudding (recipe below)

Pour oil into 2½ qt. round casserole or 9x13" baking pan. Combine flour, salt, pepper and sage on waxed paper. Coat chicken parts with flour mixture. (Choose favorite chicken parts if desired.)

Rub chicken parts, skin side down in oil. Turn, but do not add additional oil. Bake 40 minutes at 400°. While chicken bakes, prepare Yorkshire Pudding.

Pour Yorkshire Pudding over chicken, but do not remove excess fat from pan. Return to oven and bake an additional 25 minutes until puffed and brown.

YORKSHIRE PUDDING

1 cup sifted flour 1 tsp. salt 3 eggs 1 tsp. baking powder

1½ cups milk ¼ cup chopped parsley or 4 tsp. dried parsley flakes

Sift flour, baking powder and salt into medium bowl. Gradually beat in milk, eggs and parsley.





Fifi Berry Fifi's Restaurant

HUNTER STYLE CHICKEN

6 chicken breasts, boneless, skinless 4 Tbsp. butter Salt and pepper 1/4 cup cognac

1 large shallot, finely chopped 1 clove garlic, mashed

2 large tomatoes, peeled, seeded, chopped 1/4 tsp. dried basil 1/2 cup dry white wine ²/₃ cup demi-glace 1/2 lb. mushroom caps, sliced

Cut chicken into bite size morsels. Brown the pieces in the butter over rather high heat. Add salt and pepper to taste. Pour cognac into skillet and carefully set ablaze. Remove pieces when flame expires and set aside, warm. Add to the drippings in the skillet, shallot and garlic, cook until soft. Add tomatoes, basil, white wine, demi-glace and mushroom caps. Simmer to blend flavor.

Return chicken to skillet and baste pieces with sauce. Garnish the plate with sauteed redskin potatoes, brushed with parsley and butter, and glazed carrots.



Sherman Hemsley Actor "Amen"



SPICY CHICKEN MEATLOAF WITH BARBECUE SAUCE

4 medium carrots

2 onions

1 bell pepper

²/₃ cup wild rice, washed and drained 2 lbs. ground chicken

11/2 Tbsp. salt

½ tsp. pepper

1 egg

1 Tbsp. mustard (optional)

BARBECUE SAUCE

¾ cup ketchup

2 Tbsp. Worcestersbire sauce

1 Tbsp. lemon juice

2 Tbsp. boney

½ tsp. hot chili powder

½ cup water

Chop carrots, onions and bell pepper in small pieces. In a large mixing bowl combine vegetables with ground chicken, rice, salt, pepper, egg and mustard, if desired. Place mixture into a 2½ lb. meat loaf pan. Bake at 350° for 1¼-1½ hours.

Meanwhile, make sauce by combining all ingredients in a sauce pan. Bring to a boil and simmer until the liquid is reduced by about one third. Serve sauce hot with meatloaf.

Preparation time: 10 minutes. Cooking time: $1\frac{1}{4}$ - $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours. Serves 6.





Gene Cook
Toledo City Councilman
General Manager, Toledo Mud Hens
Baseball Club

Lene Cook

THICK AND RICH PHEASANT

2 Pheasants
½ stick margarine
1 stick finely chopped celery
1 slice finely chopped onion
8 oz. can mushroom soup
1 cup water

1 cup burgundy wine
(or dry white wine)
½ cup sifted flour
pepper to taste
parsley

Bone and quarter pheasant breasts. Cut up additional pieces of boneless pheasant into small cubes. Lightly flour and pepper. Brown in butter in frying pan, then place the pheasant in baking pan. Mix celery, onion, soup, water and wine and pour over pheasant. Sprinkle lightly with chopped parsley. Bake covered in pre-heated 350° oven for 1 hour. Serve along with cubes and pan gravy, with rice.

Chicken may be used instead of pheasant.





Adrien Arpel
Chairman & Chief Executive Officer
Adrien Arpel

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CHICKEN TOUR D'ARGENT

1 chicken (3 lbs.) or 2 whole chicken breasts, split
3 Tbsp. butter, melted
1 Tbsp. chopped shallots
½ cup dry vermouth
½ cup dry white wine

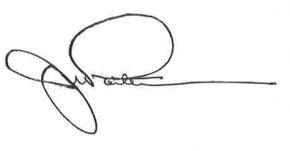
1/2 cup veal gravy
4 Tbsp. chopped mushrooms
1 Tbsp. chopped cooked ham
1/4 tsp. tarragon
4 slices bacon, fried
Salt and pepper to taste

Brown chicken well in butter. Remove chicken. Add shallots to pan and cook slowly until transparent. Add mushrooms and cook 2 minutes. Deglaze pan with wine and vermouth. Add veal gravy and boil hard until slightly reduced. Return chicken to sauce and simmer uncovered for 10 minutes, basting frequently. Add chopped ham and tarragon. Season with salt and pepper. Sprinkle with crumbled bacon.

May be done will ahead and re-heated uncovered. Preparation time: 30 minutes. Cooking time: 10 minutes. Serves 4.



J. Michael Porter President Toledo Area Chamber of Commerce



RED SNAPPER

1/4 cup onion
4 Tbsp. butter
1/2 cup mushrooms or
1 3 oz. can
1 7 1/2 oz. can crabmeat,
drained, cartilage removed
1/2 cup coarsely crushed
saltine crackers
2 Tbsp. snipped parsley

Dash pepper
2 lbs. red snapper fillets, skinned
3 Tbsp. butter
3 Tbsp. flour
1/3 cup dry white wine
4 oz. or 1 cup shredded,
processed Swiss cheese
1/2 tsp. paprika
Milk

In skillet, cook onion in 4 tablespoons butter until tender. Drain mushrooms, save liquid. Stir mushrooms in crabmeat and parsley, pepper and cracker crumbs. Spread mixture over snapper fillets. Roll up each fillet, hold with wooden picks. Place fillets seam side down in shallow 2 qt. casserole or 11x12" pan.

In sauce pan melt rest of butter. Blend in flour. Add enough milk to mushroom liquid to make 1½ cups. Add, with the wine, in sauce pan. Cook and stir until mixture thickens and bubbles. Pour over fillets and bake at 400° for 25 minutes.

Sprinkle with cheese and paprika and bake for 10 minutes more until it flakes easily. Serves 8.





Jack Nicklaus Golf Professional

Jan Michlans

CHICKEN FLORENTINE

6 half breasts of chicken, boned and cut in pieces 4 Tbsp. butter or margarine 2 Tbsp. oil Salt and pepper to taste 2 10 oz. pkgs. frozen, chopped broccoli ½ cup mayonnaise 44 cup sour cream
 1 1034 oz. can condensed cream of chicken soup
 1 Tbsp. lemon juice
 1 tsp. curry powder
 1/2 cup sharp cheese, grated
 1/2 cup corn flake crumbs

Saute, lightly salted and peppered chicken pieces in butter and oil for 10 minutes. Cook broccoli, drain well. Spread broccoli in bottom of 2 qt. casserole pan. Top with chicken pieces.

Mix mayonnaise, sour cream, soup, lemon juice and curry. Pour over chicken. Sprinkle with grated cheese, then top with crumbs. Bake at 350° for 25 minutes. Serves 6.

For variety, substitute spinach for broccoli.



Ed McMahon TV Personality

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ROAST TURKEY WITH ED'S DRESSING

ED'S DRESSING: (1 cup for each pound of turkey)

Prepared bread stuffing (Pepperidge Farms) Cornbread stuffing Celery Onions Pecans Walnuts Sage Musbrooms
Jones country sausage
½ large jar of apple sauce
½ large can of crushed
pineapple
1 small jar orange marmalade
½ bottle of brandy

Mix equal proportions of prepared bread stuffing and cornbread stuffing. Dice desired amounts of celery, onions, pecans, walnuts, sage, mushrooms and sausage. Mix in apple sauce, pineapple, marmalade and brandy.

TURKEY:

Stuff the turkey with the above dressing. Place turkey, breast side up, on a rack in an open roasting pan. Season to taste.

Tent the bird with heavy-duty foil. Cook at 250° for several hours (according to weight). Baste bird occasionally in the beginning hours of cooking and frequently during the last hours.





Jamie Farr Actor

Jamie Fan

LENTILS AND WHEAT - IMJADARA

2 cups lentils 8 cups water 1 cup cracked wheat Salt and pepper to taste 1 onion, diced ½ cup oil

Sort lentils and rinse with cold water. Add lentils to pan filled with approximately 8 cups water. Do not cover. Boil about 20 minutes, until lentils are soft, then add wheat. Add salt and pepper and cook another 15 minutes, stirring occasionally to prevent sticking, until all liquid is absorbed. Fry onion in oil. Add oil to pan of lentils and garnish platter of lentils with fried onions.

For leftovers, fix Lentils and Wheat with Kishik (Imajadara markoo'a). Serves 4-6 people.



Bill Blass Fashion Designer

SOUR CREAM SOUFFLE

½ cup freshly grated parmesan cheese 1½ cups commercial sour cream ½ cup sifted flour

5 eggs, separated 2 extra egg whites 1 generous tsp. salt ¼ tsp. cayenne pepper 2 Tbsp. chopped chives

Butter a 2 qt. souffle dish. Coat with parmesan cheese and refrigerate. Pour the sour cream into a roomy bowl and sift the flour into the sour cream, then thoroughly whip together with a wire whisk. Add yolks one at a time, whipping briskly after each addition. Then stir in salt, pepper, chives and remaining cheese.

Beat egg whites until they hold firm, shiny peaks when batter is held straight up. Fold into yolk mixture gently with a rubber spatula. Place in a pre-heated 350° oven and bake for 30-35 minutes.



Jim Rudes Senior/Consumer Reporter WTVG-TV 13



CHEROKEE CASSEROLE

1 lb. ground beef
34 cup Bermuda onion,
finely chopped
Dash of pepper
18 tsp. garlic powder
18 tsp. thyme
18 tsp. oregano

One half of a bay leaf

1 lb. can of tomatoes

1 can of mushroom soup

1 cup minute rice
Cheese

6 olives, sliced

This is a recipe that was handed down to me by my Mother-In-Law.

Brown ground beef. Add onion, pepper, garlic powder, thyme, oregano, bay leaf, tomatoes, mushroom soup and rice. Simmer for 5 minutes.

Top with sliced cheese, cut in strips, and olives. Broil until cheese melts and serve.

If you're watching your cholesterol, use mozarella cheese and substitute ground turkey for the ground beef.

Our kids loved it and I think yours will too!





Andrew Kozbial Head Chef The Willows

SIMPLE SEAFOOD POTPIE

LOBSTER STOCK:

8 cups warm water

2 oz. brandy

1 oz. white wine

1 oz. triple sec

8-10 lobster shells (May substitute 2 lbs. fish bones)

2 large carrots

ADDITIONAL INGREDIENTS:

2 large potatoes, steamed, then cubed

2 large carrots, steamed, then cubed 2 large onions

1/2 bunch celery

2 bay leaves

4 cloves

6 whole peppercorns

2 lemons, quartered

Roux - ½ lb. butter and 1 cup flour

8 oz. shrimp

8 oz. bay scallops

8 oz. lobster or crab

Saute seafood in hot pan until tender. Set aside to cool.

Put all ingredients from lobster stock into 2-3 gallon pot and bring to simmer. Continue to simmer 1½ hours, then strain. Thicken with roux over low heat until desired thickness is reached. Strain again after thickening to remove any lumps.



Add seafood, potatoes and carrots to thickened lobster stock. Place in casserole dish. Your Seafood Potpie is completed except for Puff Pastry.

PUFF PASTRY:

Puff Pastry can be purchased at your grocery store in the dairy section. Cut puff pastry to fit casserole dishes and bake according to instructions. Top casserole dish with puffed pastry and serve.





Ted and Joanne Arvanitis
Owners
Theos Taverna

Jaanne Arvanetis

THEOS MOUSSAKA

MEAT SAUCE:

2 large onions, chopped ½ cup olive oil 2½ lbs. lean ground beef Approx. 2 cans tomato paste

½ cup red wine or water Salt and pepper 2 beaping tsp. cinnamon Dash of nutmeg

Brown onion in olive oil. Add beef and brown well. Add tomato paste, wine, salt, pepper, cinnamon and nutmeg. Simmer until sauce is thick (about 20 minutes).

EGGPLANT: 5 egg plants

Peel and slice eggplants into ½" slices. Flour and fry in hot vegetable oil until brown on both sides. Drain on paper towels.

WHITE SAUCE:
1 cup flour
1 stick (¼ lb.) butter
5 cups milk

6 egg yolks Salt to taste

In a large sauce pan melt butter and blend in flour with wire whisk. Gradually stir in milk and cook until thick. Remove from heat and stir in egg yolks slowly, while beating with whisk.



ADDITIONAL INGREDIENTS: Bread crumbs

Grated parmesan cheese

In a 10x14" pan arrange 1) a layer of eggplant, 2) a thin layer of bread crumbs, 3) parmesan cheese, 4) meat sauce, 5) eggplant, 6) bread crumbs, 7) parmesan cheese, 8) white sauce, 9) parmesan cheese.

Bake in pre-heated oven at 400° for 1 hour. Topping should be browned lightly. Serves 12.





Diane Larson News Anchor WTVG-TV 13

Dine Larson

MOO GOO GAI PAN

2 large chicken breasts,
skinned, boned, halved
1 Tbsp. cornstarch
2 Tbsp. dry sherry
34 tsp. minced, peeled
ginger root
55 tsp. monosodium glutamate
salt

½ cup salad oil
1 15 oz. can Chinese straw mushroms (regular mushrooms are o.k.)
1 8½ oz. can sliced bamboo shoots, drained
¼ lb. snow peas

With sharp knife, slice across width of chicken breasts to make very thin pieces. In medium bowl, mix well, chicken, cornstarch, sherry, ginger, monosodium glutamate and 1½ tsp. salt.

In hot oil in skillet or wok, stir-fry mushrooms, bamboo shoots, snow peas and ½ tsp. salt until snow peas are tender-crisp, about 3-5 minutes. Spoon vegetables into a medium bowl, leaving oil in wok or skillet.

In remaining oil, stir-fry chicken mixture 5 minutes or until chicken is tender; stir in vegetables. Spoon onto warm platter.





Jim Harpen *Reporter WTVG-TV 13*

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LEMON VEAL SCALLOPINI

1 lb. thinly sliced veal scallopini ½ cup flour salt and pepper 1 cup white wine 2 tsp. finely grated lemon peel Lemon slices Margarine or butter

Season the flour with salt and pepper. Lightly bread veal slices and brown them on both sides in margarine in a 12-14" skillet. Set the browned veal aside.

Grate 2 heaping teaspoons of lemon peel with the fine side of a steel grater (it'll take forever with a plastic grater). Put the skillet with the veal back on the burner. Add the wine, lemon peel, remaining flour and ¼ stick of margarine. Bring to a slight boil for about 1½ minutes. Serve on a plate with lemon slices on top. Rice pilaf makes a good side dish. La Dolce Vita!



Dan Simrell Head Football Coach University of Toledo Rockets

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MEATLOAF

2 lbs. ground beef
2 eggs, beaten
1 chopped onion
1 chopped green pepper
1 tsp. garlic salt

1/2 tsp. pepper
1 cup oats or bread crumbs
1/2 pkg. onion soup mix
1/2 cup mild salsa
Parmesan cheese

Combine and mix well. Shape into loaf. Shake parmesan on top. Bake at 350° for 1 hour.



Laura Palka Producer WTVG-TV 13



PORK CHOP AND POTATO BAKE

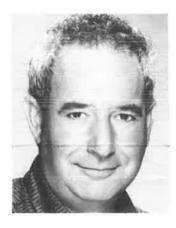
6 pork chops
vegetable oil
seasoned salt
1 can condensed cream
of celery soup
1/2 cup milk

½ cup sour cream
pepper
24 oz. pkg. frozen hash brown
potatoes, thawed
1 pkg. shredded cheddar cheese
1 can French fried onions

Pre-heat oven to 350°. Brown chops, sprinkle with seasoned salt.

Mix soup, milk, sour cream, pepper and ½ tsp. seasoned salt. Stir in potatoes, ½ cup cheese and ½ cup French fried onions. Spoon into 13x9" pan, arrange chops over potatoes. Bake covered for 90 minutes. Top with remaining cheese and onion. Bake uncovered for 5 minutes. Serves 6.

Believe it or not guys...it's NOT Lean Cuisine.



Michael Tucker Actor "L.A. Law"

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MICHAEL TUCKER'S RISOTTO CON PORCINI

1½ oz. dry porcini mushrooms 2 cups Italian arborio rice

1 at. veal stock

3 Tbsp. chopped onion 1 large ripe tomato, peeled,

4 Tbsp. butter

3 Tbsp. olive oil

½ cup grated parmesan cheese

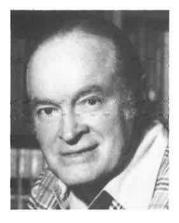
seeded, chopped

Soak mushrooms in 2 cups warm water for 45 minutes. When water turns dark, strain and set aside the water. Rinse mushrooms in warm water, squeeze dry in paper towels and set aside.

In heavy sauce pan saute onion in half the butter and all the oil until translucent. Add chopped tomato and the rice. Saute for a few minutes and then start adding the simmering veal stock 34 cup at a time. When stock is absorbed by the rice, add next amount, stirring frequently. After about 10 minutes, add the mushrooms and ½ cup of mushroom broth. When absorbed, add more broth, ½ cup at a time until used up.

Continue simmering broth until rice stops absorbing liquid. Remember to stir constantly. Turn off heat, mix in grated parmesan and rest of butter. Salt and pepper to taste. Serve with grated parmesan cheese on the table.





Bob Hope Actor



BOB HOPE'S FAVORITE CHICKEN HASH

2 chicken breasts, broiled 2 strips of bacon, crisp ½ small onion, sauteed 2 Tbsp. butter ½ tsp. lemon juice2 Tbsp. sour cream1 tsp. dry sherry wineSalt and pepper

Cut chicken in fine strips. Crumble bacon and combine wth the onion, butter, lemon juice and seasonings. Saute until thoroughly heated in the butter and shortly before serving, add the sherry and sour cream.

Do not allow to cook after adding the two last ingredients. Just heat through.





Andy Lee
Executive Vice-President and
General Manager
WTVG-TV 13

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MEATLOAF

1 lb. lean ground beef

½ lb. lean ground pork

½ lb. ground veal

1 cup Italian bread crumbs

1 cup milk

1 small can tomato sauce

1 egg, beaten

3/4 cup onion, sauteed lightly

1 Tbsp. Worcestershire sauce

1 Tbsp. borseradish

A few drops Tabasco to taste

1/4 tsp. pepper

1/4 tsp. celery salt

1/4 tsp. garlic salt

1/4 tsp. dry mustard

1/4 Isp. sage

Mix all ingredients completely. Spread in an ungreased, deep rectangular pan. Pan should be small enough that loaf fills entire surface. Bake in a pre-heated oven at 350° for approximately 1 hour and 45 minutes. At end of baking time, drain off excess and serve.



Nancy Packo Horvath and Brittany Rose Horvath Co-owner and Future Restauranteur Tony Packo's Cafe

Nancy Packs Horward

(Brittany's Signature)

TONY PACKO'S SAUSAGE LOAF BREAD

1 Pillsbury Pipin' Hot Loaf 34 lb. Tony Packo's bot dog sausage 42 cup Tony Packo's pepper rings, remove seeds 3 cup shreddedColby Jack cheeseThsp. melted butter

Unroll loaf bread to form rectangle. Place sausage in two rows about 1" apart in center of rectangle, piece sausage if necessary to reach both ends. Fill center with peppers. Add a few to cut side. Sprinkle cheese over all. Re-roll with cut side up. Spray pan with a coating of PAM. Bake at 350° for 28-32 minutes until deep golden brown. Do not underbake.

Let cool for 10 minutes on a loaf rack. Brush with 1 Tbsp. melted butter before slicing.



Kathryn E. Mobley Associate Producer WTVG-TV 13

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CHICKEN ROJO

4 chicken breasts, skinned

2 cups diced musbrooms

2 cups onions

1 can tomato sauce

Basil

1 can chunky pineapple

Dry mustard

2 green onions

Here is a fun and zesty dish for those watching their waistline but who don't have a lot of time to fuss in the kitchen.

Bake chicken in a pan in the oven at 350° until they are lightly brown. Meanwhile, in a separate skillet, brown the mushrooms and onions. (Use PAM instead of butter if you are on a low salt diet.) Throw in a dash of basil (equal to a pinch according to all chefs). Add green onions, tomato sauce and a pinch of dry mustard. This spices things up a bit.

Drain most of the juice from the pineapple and sprinkle chunks over the chicken. Then, pour tomato sauce over chicken and pineapple. Put it all back into the oven for a few more minutes of cooking.

Serve over rice. If you want to add a touch of zing for company...mix a cup of white wine into your sauce. But, you might want to make enough for seconds!





Jack Mitchell
Morning Air Personality
WKKO-WTOD

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MITCH'S CHILI

2 lbs. ground chuck

1 medium celery stalk, chopped

1 medium onion, chopped

2 Tbsp. cumin

1 Tbsp. chili powder

1 tsp. red pepper

1 medium can of Brooks plain chili beans

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1 small Hershey bar

1 qt. V-8 juice

Brown ground chuck and onion in frying pan, drain grease. Dump in big pot. Add celery, beans, spices, chocolate and V-8 juice. Simmer on medium heat for 2-3 hours. Serves 6-8.



Shirley MacLaine Actress/Author



SHIRLEY MACLAINE'S GOURMET LAMB STEW

1 leg. of lamb, weighing 5-6 lbs. 10 sugar cubes

1 Tbsp. lard or shortening

2 Tbsp. flour

1 clove garlic, peeled, minced

About 3 cups water

2 Tbsp. tomato paste

¼ tsp. bouquet garni

1 tsp. salt

1/8 tsp. freshly ground

black pepper

1 Tbsp. water

1 tsp. beef extract

1 small yellow onion, peeled

6 pearl onions, peeled

2 small yellow turnips, peeled

2 small carrots, scraped

3 Tbsp. sweet butter

1 tsp. sugar

1 Tbsp. chopped fresh parsley

Have butcher prepare lamb as follows: remove fell and bone, trim off excess fat, cut lamb into 1½" cubes.

Heat lard or shortening in large skillet until sizzling; add lamb, brown on all sides until golden, stirring. Sprinkle flour over meat, cook a few minutes, stirring constantly. Add garlic, cook over very low heat until garlic begins to smell. Add water (enough to barely cover meat), tomato paste, bouquet garni, salt and pepper. Cover, simmer about 15 minutes.

Meanwhile, put sugar lumps and 1 tablespoon water in small sauce pan; heat over low heat until sugar carmelizes. Add to meat, stir to blend will. Cover, simmer 45 minutes, stirring occasionally.



Prepare vegetables as follows: chop yellow onion, leave pearl onions whole, chop turnips into large dice and chop carrots.

Heat butter in large skillet until hot; add vegetables, sprinkling with 1 teaspoon sugar. Cook over low heat until golden, stirring occasionally. Add vegetables to lamb, cover, simmer 50 minutes or until vegetables and meat are fork tender, stirring often.

Remove vegetables and meat to heated platter. Skim off surface fat before pouring sauce over meat. Garnish with chopped parsley. Serves 6-8. Serve with crusty French bread and tossed crisp green salad.





Tony Packo & Robin Horvath Co-Owners Tony Packo's Cafe

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TONY PACKO'S STUFFED CABBAGE

1 cup rice

1 head cabbage, about 3 lbs.

2 lbs. ground beef (or 1 lb. ground pork, 1 lb. ground beef)

2 eggs

2 medium onions, chopped, divided

1 clove garlic, minced

2 tsp. salt

1 tsp. salt

Pepper to taste

Paprika to taste

1 lb. sauerkraut, canned

or bulk

1 1 lb. can whole tomatoes, mashed, juice retained

1 10 oz. can tomato soup

2 Tbsp. sugar

Sour Cream Sauce (recipe follows)

In small bowl, soak rice in cold water, 15 minutes.

Meanwhile, remove core from cabbage and immerse head in boiling water long enough to wilt leaves, about 10 minutes. Remove from water and drain. Remove large leaves and cut out large vein from the center of each with a triangular cut.



In large bowl, combine meat, eggs, one chopped onion, garlic, salt, pepper and paprika to taste. Rinse soaked rice well with cold water, drain and add to bowl. With hands, mix ingredients until well combined. Place about ½ cup meat mixture on each cabbage leaf and roll up, tucking sides in like an egg roll. Repeat procedure until all meat mixture is used. Set rolls aside.

Removing any remaining core, chop the remainder of the cabbage. Place in a large bowl with sauerkraut, mashed tomatoes and juice, tomato soup, remaining chopped onion, sugar and additional salt, pepper and paprika to taste. Mix well. Put some of the mixture on bottom of large, heavy covered kettle or Dutch oven. Place cabbage/meat rolls upright around edge and center of kettle. Put remaining cabbage/tomato mixture on top. Fill kettle with enough water to cover tops of the rolls. Cover and cook over low heat about 2 hours, adding water as needed to keep rolls completely covered. Serve with Sour Cream Sauce. Makes about 8 servings.

SOUR CREAM SAUCE

3 tsp. margarine
2 small onions, chopped
3 oz. sour cream

1 1 lb. can whole tomatoes, mashed, juice retained

In medium sauce pan, melt margarine; add onions and cook until soft. Stir in sour cream and tomatoes and juice. Mix well and keep warm until serving time.







Stan Stachek Meteorologist WTVG-TV 13

Stan Stachale

CREAMY FRESH PASTA WITH CRAB AND ARTICHOKE HEARTS

2 9 oz. pkgs. Pasta Pasta fresh Fettucine (one egg and one spinach) 1 8 oz. container plain yogurt 1 8 oz. bottle ranch dressing 1 Tbsp. dill weed

1 lb. fresh crabmeat

1 lb. sliced fresh mushrooms

2 6½ oz. jars marinated artichoke hearts

Cut Fettucine into 4" strips. Cook fresh pasta according to package directions. Drain and rinse with cold water. In a large bowl, add pasta, crabmeat, mushrooms and marinated artichoke hearts with juice. Mix together yogurt, Ranch dressing and dillweed. Add to pasta and mix well. Serves 8. Cut quantities in half for a side dish.



SAUCES



Joseph Sofo Owner Sofo Foods

Joseph Sofo

CALABRESE STYLE

6 oz. unsalted butter
3 oz. pure olive oil
1½ lbs. Italian sausage,
 (hot or mild)
3 medium cloves of garlic
2 medium onions, coarsely chopped
1 28 oz. can of Italian

pear tomatoes

1 Tbsp. sweet basil
1 Tbsp. oregano
2 Tbsp. tomato paste
1 lb. Mozzarella cheese, cut
into cubes or shredded
1/3 tsp. salt
Pinch of black pepper

This sauce is used over pasta. Rigatoni, Linguine, Mostaciolli.

Use a large skillet or medium pan and melt the butter with the olive oil. simmer at low heat. Crumble the Italian sausage in the skillet with the butter and oil. Saute sausage, garlic and onions together until sausage browns, usually 8-10 minutes. Pour excess fat from skillet.

Break Italian pear tomatoes with your hands into the sauce pan. Add sweet basil, oregano, tomato paste, salt and black pepper. Slow boil ingredients and stir constantly so nothing burns on bottom of pan. Slow boil for about 20 minutes.

Add 1 lb. Mozzarella, cubed or shredded, use low heat until cheese begins to melt, usually about 2 minutes.

Now spoon your sauce over the pasta of your choice.





Michael Reghi Sports Anchor WTVG-TV 13

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MICHAEL REGHI'S ROARING RIB SAUCE

Took the 1st place award in the 1988 NW Ohio Media Cookoff for Rib Cuisine.

1 cup ketchup ½ cup water ¼ cup finely chopped onions 2 Thsp. vinegar 1-2 Tbsp. brown sugar 1 Tbsp. beef bouillon or 3 beef bouillon cubes 1/8 tsp. cayenne pepper

In sauce pan combine ingredients, mix well. Bring to a boil, reduce heat, then simmer uncovered for 30 minutes.

May add Worcestershire sauce and finely chopped green pepper for taste if desired.



Mary Beth Zolik-Smith Morning Air Personality WKKO-WTOD

Mary Beth Zolih - Smith

MARY BETH'S LOW CHOLESTEROL SPAGHETTI SAUCE

(As stolen from her Mom!)

1 lb. ground turkey
½ envelope dry onion soup
2 8 oz. cans tomato sauce
1 6 oz. can tomato paste
Chopped onions to taste

Chopped green pepper to taste 4½ oz. jar sliced musbrooms, boiled in water 5 minutes 1 Tbsp. garlic powder ½ tsp. basil

Mix turkey and onion soup, brown in big sauce pan. Add tomato sauce and paste (if too thick add a little water). Add chopped onions, green peppers, mushrooms, garlic and basil. Let simmer covered for ½ hour.

Sprinkle oregano and parmesan cheese on top. Serve over thin, low cholesterol spaghetti noodles. Serves 4.



Buddy Ray
President and Chief Operating Officer
WTVG-TV 13

Suddy Ray

PESTO SAUCE

2 cups tightly packed fresh parsley2 Tbsp. dried sweet basil2 tsp. finely chopped garlic 2 Tbsp. pine nuts
1 tsp. salt
1 cup olive oil
1½ cups parmesan or romano cheese

Chop parsley and garlic very fine in food processor. Combine garlic, salt, dried sweet basil and pine nuts with parsley in food processor. Pour in olive oil slowly. Stir ½ cup cheese in last. Serve balance of cheese for pasta dish.





Stanley "Stosh" Ostas El Matador Restaurant

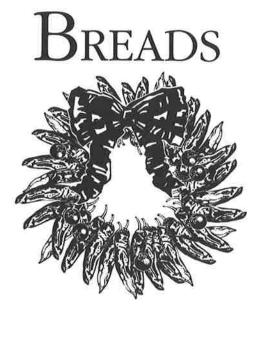
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SPAGHETTI SAUCE

10 lbs. ground chuck
5 lbs. mild pork sausage
2 large Spanish onions
½ cup salt
1 cup oregano leaves

4 cup garlic powder 4 cup chili flakes 4 cup black pepper 3 lbs. tomato paste 18 lbs. tomato puree

Fry meat and onions together, drain juice. Add spices and tomato products, let simmer 3 hours. Makes 3-4 gallons. Freeze leftovers and use when needed.





Jim Hodulik
Proprietor
The Chadwick Inn

ROSEMARY BREAD

4 oz. warm water, not to exceed 114°

1/4 oz. yeast

1 tsp. sugar

2 oz. onion puree

1 tsp. rosemary

½ oz. bacon grease

2 oz. cold milk

1 tsp. salt

10 oz. flour

1 egg

In mixing bowl, add yeast, sugar, onion, bacon fat and rosemary to warm water. Let stand 4 minutes for yeast to activate. Add cold milk and salt and mix together with dough hook. Add flour and knead for 12 minutes. Let dough rest for 15 minutes.

Divide and shape dough into 8 oz. loaves. Put on greased cookie sheet and let rise for about 45 minutes.

Pre-heat oven to 350°. Brush loaves with egg wash (beaten egg and a little water). Bake approximately 20 minutes or until golden brown. Serve warm. Yield: 2 loaves.



Sam Botek Jr. Senior Vice-President and General Manager Metropolitan Distribution Co.

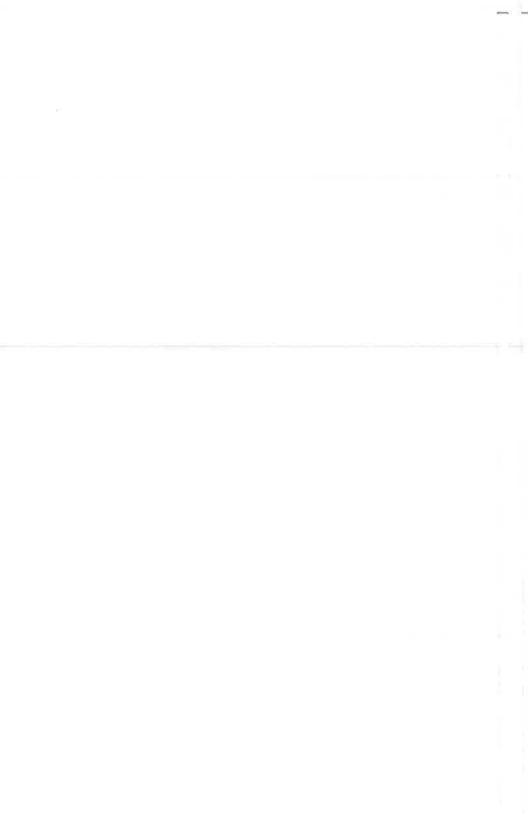
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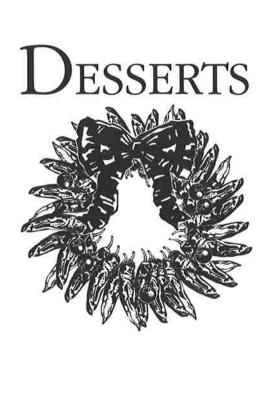
BOTEK'S BEER BREAD

3 cups self-rising flour 2 Tbsp. sugar 1 12 oz. bottle Miller Geniune Draft Beer Melted butter

Mix and form dough. Place in a greased loaf pan and bake for 1 hour at 375°.

Remove from oven and brush with melted butter.







Valerie Barad Designer

Malerie Barad

HOT LEMON SOUFFLE WITH RASPBERRY SAUCE

2 Tbsp, butter 2 Tbsp, flour

½ cup water ¾ cup sugar

4 cup lemon juice

4 large eggs, separated 1 Thsp, grated lemon rind

1 10sp. graiea temon rina ½ tsp. vanilla extract

1/4 tsp. salt

Prepare a 1½ qt. souffle dish or casserole. The charlotte mold souffle dish is usually tall enough to accommodate the souffle after it has baked, but the average casserole will need to have its sides extended with a collar made of 2 thicknesses of foil or brown paper folded to a width of 6" and tied around the dish so it will extend 4" above the top of the dish. (As the souffle bakes, it will puff and rise up the sides of the collar. Remove the collar after the souffle has baked.) Butter the bottom and sides of the dish and the inside of the collar generously and sprinkle with granulated sugar.

Melt the butter in a 1 qt. sauce pan. Remove from heat and blend in flour. Stir and cook 1 minute to form a roux. Add the water. Reserve 1 Tbsp. sugar to beat with the egg whites and add the rest to the mixture. Mix well. Stir and cook until the mixture is very thick. Add lemon juice, mix well and cook 1-2 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat.



Beat the egg yolks. Beat in a little of the hot mixture, then stir into the remaining hot mixture. Add lemon rind and vanilla extract. Transfer the mixture to a large mixing bowl. Set aside. Add salt to egg whites and beat them until they glisten and stand in soft peaks. Then beat in reserved 1 Tbsp. sugar. Continue beating until the egg whites stand in sharp stiff peaks.

Stir 2 Tbsp. of the beaten egg whites into the cooked mixture. Carefully fold in the remaining egg whites. Spoon the mixture into the prepared pan, filling it ¾ full. Smooth the top of the souffle. Using a knife with a round tip, the tip of a teaspoon or your index finger, trace a circle ½" deep around the top of the souffle 1" from the edge. The crust will break at this point and form a taller center. This permits the souffle to rise evenly. Bake by either the French method or low-temperature method.

FRENCH METHOD (bake at a moderately high temperature for a short time). Place the souffle in a pre-heated hot oven (400°) and immediately set the oven control to 375° (moderate). Bake a 1½ pt. mold, 20 minutes; a 1½ qt. mold, 30-35 minutes; a 2 qt. mold, 45 minutes. The center of the souffle baked at this temperature is rather soft and creamy. The souffle will collapse in a few minutes: therefore serve it immediately.

LOW TEMPERATURE METHOD (bake at a low temperature for a longer time). Place the souffle dish in a pan of hot water. Bake in a pre-heated slow oven (325°) 1-1½ hours or until a knife or cake tester inserted in the center of the souffle comes out clean. A souffle baked by this method will have a firmer, more stable center and it will hold its voluminous puff until it can be brought to the table. Serve it at once.

RASPBERRY SAUCE

10 oz. pkg. frozen red raspberries 1½ tsp. cornstarch

½ cup currant jelly 1 tsp. sugar

Thaw and crush raspberries. Combine with cornstartch; add jelly and sugar. Bring to boiling. Cook and stir until clear and slightly thick. Strain and cool.





Frank Venner TV Personality

Theory Venner

APPLE CAKE

1 cup oil

2 Tbsp. boney

1 tsp. vanilla

2 cups sugar

2 eggs

3 cups flour

1 tsp. baking soda

2 tsp. cinnamon

1 tsp. nutmeg

1 tsp. salt

3-4 cups grated apples

Few raisins

Grease and flour loaf pans. Mix all ingredients together and bake at 300° for 1 hour and 20 minutes.



Samir Zeilah Ilead Chef Ricardo's Restaurant

Somi Zeiloh

RICARDO'S CHOCOLATE MOUSSE CAKE

12 oz. semi-sweet chocolate 6 oz. sweet butter, softened 2-3 Tbsp. Grand Marnier 1 tsp. vanilla 1/3 cup finely ground almonds 2 Tbsp. + 2 tsp. sifted flour 10 egg yolks ½ cup water 10 egg whites 1½ cups granulated sugar

In double boiler, melt chocolate, butter, Grand Marnier, vanilla, almonds and flour. Remove from heat as soon as melted and whip lightly.

Whip egg yolks with water and ¾ cup sugar over low heat until a white ribbon is formed, about 8-10 minutes. Blend into chocolate mixture with spatula.

Whip egg whites vigorously, slowly add ¾ cup sugar, whipping until lightly firm. Fold into chocolate mixture, blending lightly as for souffle.

Use 2, 10" molds that are 2" deep. Use parchment paper in bottom. Bake at 275° for 1 hour and 20 minutes. Top with chocolate frosting or powdered sugar.





Bill Wagy Sports Reporter WTVG-TV 13



CHOCOLATE MOOSH A KIDS FAVORITE

1 angel food cake 2 boxes of Jello chocolate pudding (not instant) 1 large tub of Cool Whip

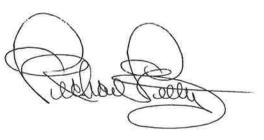
This is really easy, a dessert even I can make! The kids will love to help. Follow the instructions on the box to make the pudding. When pudding is done, rip bite size pieces of the angel food cake and toss them in pudding. Add the Cool Whip and then chill.

I bet the whole bowl will be licked clean within 24 hours!





Richard Petty Professional Race Car Driver



ANGEL FOOD CAKE

1½ cups egg whites 1 tsp. cream of tartar 1½ cups sugar ¼ tsp. salt 1 cup flour (sifted) then sift 4 times 1 tsp. vanilla

Beat egg whites until foamy, add cream of tartar and beat until stiff, but not dry. Gradually beat in sugar. Add vanilla, then fold in flour as gently as possible. Bake in angel food pan at 325° for 1 hour and 15 minutes, or until top is nicely browned.





Frank E. Horton
President
University of Toledo

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RHUBARB CREAM PIE

3 cups cut rhubarb 2 beaten eggs 1½ cups sugar 3 Tbsp. flour 1/2 tsp. nutmeg
I Tbsp. butter
Crust for a double crust
9" or 10" pie

Blend sugar, flour, nutmeg and butter. Add eggs and beat smooth. Pour over rhubarb in a 9" pastry lined pie pan. Dot with butter and cover with top crust. Spread with soft butter (about 2 Tbsp.) and sprinkle with sugar. Bake at 450° for 10 minutes, then 350° for 30 minutes. Serve warm with vanilla ice cream.





Larry Whatley
Director of Public Affairs
WTVG-TV 13

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SNICKERDOODLES

1 cup soft shortening 1½ cups sugar

2 eggs

2¾ cups sifted flour

2 tsp. cream of tartar

1 tsp. soda

½ tsp. salt

2 tsp. cinnamon

2 tsp. sugar

Mix shortening, sugar and eggs. Then mix sifted flour, cream of tartar, soda and salt and add to first mixture. Chill dough. Roll into balls the size of walnuts, then roll in cinnamon and sugar mixture. Place about 2" apart on ungreased baking sheet. Bake at 400° for 8-10 minutes. They should be light brown, but still soft.





Mary Lou Retton Olympic Gold Medal Winner NBC Sports Commentator

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ICE CREAM DESSERT

1 lh. Oreos, finely crushed
 1 stick oleo, melted
 ½ gallon vanilla ice cream, partially softened
 1 6 oz. pkg. chocolate chips

1 stick oleo 2 cups powdered sugar 1 12 oz. can evaporated milk Salted Spanish peanuts 12 oz. Cool Whip

Combine Oreos and melted oleo and pat down firmly in 13x9" pan. Work ice cream over oreos and freeze.

Cook chocolate chips, oleo, sugar and milk until it boils, boil 12-15 minutes. Cool at room temperature. Pour over ice cream. Cover with Spanish peanuts. Cover with Cool Whip. Freeze.



Isiah Thomas Captain Detroit Pistons



ISIAH'S FAVORITE CHEESECAKE

CRUST:

1¾ cups graham cracker crumbs ½ tsp. cinnamon ¼ cup ground walnuts ½ cup melted butter

Mix all ingredients in a spring form pan and pat down on bottom.

FILLING:

3 beaten eggs 1 cup sugar

2 8 oz. pkgs. cream cheese, softened

1/4 tsp. salt

2 tsp. vanilla extract

½ tsp. almond extract

3 cups sour cream

Blend all ingredients together in mixer. Pour in pan and bake at 300° for 50-60 minutes. Turn oven off and open door slightly. Leave cake in an additional 40 minutes. Remove and refrigerate overnight.





Willard Scott
Weatherman
"The Today Show"



RED VELVET CAKE

1½ cups sugar
2 oz. red food coloring
2 Tbsp. cocoa
1 cup buttermilk
2¼ cups flour

1 tsp. salt

1 tsp. baking soda
2 eggs
1 Tbsp. vinegar
½ cup shortening
1 tsp. vanilla

Cream shortening with sugar. Add eggs and beat well. Make a paste of cocoa and food coloring, add to creamed mixture.

Sift flour and salt twice. Add buttermilk alternately with flour to creamed mixture. Add vanilla. Put vinegar in deep bowl, add soda (it will foam). When blended add to creamed cake batter. Do not beat cake, just blend well. Grease and flour two 9" cake pans. Pour batter into pans and bake at 350° for 25-30 minutes.





Jeremy Licht
Actor
"The Hogan Family"

Jereny Licht

THE BEST AND MOST FATTENING BROWNIES IN THE WHOLE WORLD

(Courtesy of Mom)

1 14 oz. pkg. caramels ²/₃ cup evaporated milk

1 18½ oz. German chocolate cake mix

34 cup softened butter or margarine

1 12 oz. pkg. semi sweet morsels or 1 6 oz. pkg. plus 1 6 oz. pkg. white chocolate morsels

34 cup chopped nuts (Optional- I don't use them!)

Combine unwrapped caramels and ½ cup evaporated milk in top of double boiler. Heat over simmering water until melted.

Combine cake mix, remaining evaporated milk and soft butter. Mix until mixture holds together. Stir in nuts. Press ½ of cake mixture in greased 13x9" baking pan. Bake at 350° for 6 minutes.

Sprinkle chocolate pieces evenly over top of baked cake. Pour melted caramels over all. Crumble remaining cake mixture on top of caramels. Bake 15 minutes or until done. Cool slightly and cut in bars. They are so rich and good.





Donna Owens
Mayor
City of Toledo

Donna Quem

CHOCOLATE CHERRY BARS

1 box fudge cake mix 1 21 oz. can cherry

pie filling

1 tsp. almond extract

2 heaten eggs

1 cup sugar

5 Tbsp. margarine

1/3 cup milk

6 oz. semi-sweet chocolate pieces

Combine cake mix, pie filling, almond extract and eggs; stir by hand to mix well. Pour into greased and floured 13x9" pan. Bake 25-30 minutes in 350° oven.

While cake is baking, combine sugar, margarine and milk. Bring to a boil, remove from heat. Stir in semi-sweet chocolate pieces. Pour over hot chocolate cherry bars when they are removed from the oven. Cut into 3 dozen squares.





Jay Eck Head Basketball Coach University of Toledo

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STRAWBERRY PRETZEL DESSERT

2 cups crushed pretzels
34 cup margarine, melted
3 Tbsp. sugar
1 8 oz. pkg. cream cheese, softened
1 9 oz. container Cool Whip

1 cup sugar1 6 oz. pkg. strawberry jello2 cups boiling water20 oz. unsweetened frozen strawberries

Mix crushed pretzels, margarine and sugar together and press in 9x13" pan. Bake at 400° for 8-10 minutes. (Be sure not to overbake, mixture does not change in appearance.) Cool.

Combine cream cheese, Cool Whip and sugar. Mix well. Spread on cooled crust.

Mix jello with water, then add frozen berries. Stir until berries soften and jello starts to thicken (Approx. 10 minutes). Gently pour or spread on top of cream cheese layer. Refrigerate.



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14 lbs. Oreos, crushed 18 oz. pkg. cream cheese, softened 1 8 oz. container Cool Whip 1 small box (approx. 3½ oz.) French vanilla pudding

Prepare pudding as per directions on box. Crush Oreos in a zip lock bag with a rolling pin.

Mix cream cheese with a little Cool Whip until smooth. Fold in remaining Cool Whip and pudding.

Put ½ of the crushed Orcos in a 9x13" pan. Spread pudding, Cool Whip and cream cheese mixture over Oreos. Top with remaining Oreos.



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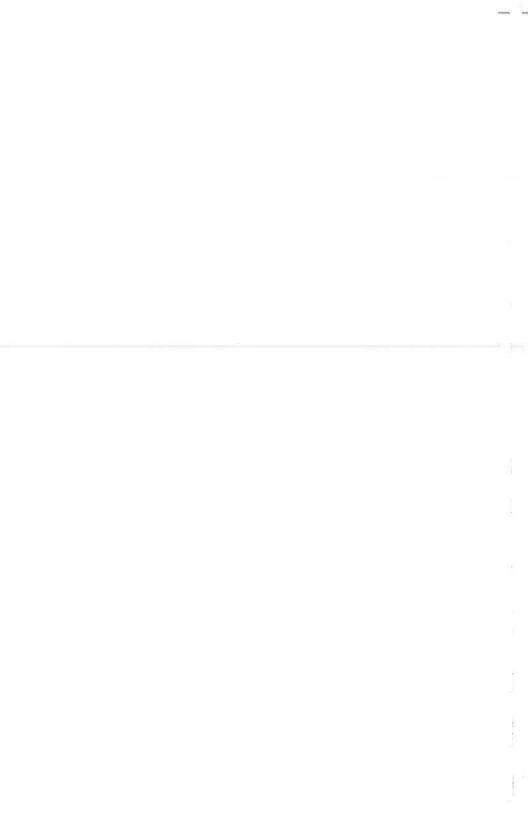
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OATMEAL COOKIES

 34 cup shortening, soft
 1 cup firmly packed brown sugar
 ½ cup granulated sugar
 1 egg
 ¼ cup water 1 tsp. vanilla 1 tsp. salt 1 cup sifted all-purpose flour ½ tsp. baking soda 3 cups oats, uncooked

Beat shortening, sugar, egg, water and vanilla together until creamy. Sift flour, soda and salt; add to creamed mixture and blend well. Stir in oats. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto greased cookie sheet. Bake in pre-heated, moderate oven (350°) for 12-15 minutes. Makes 5 dozen.

For variety add chopped nut meats, raisins, chocolate chips or coconut.



Miscellaneous





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POPCORN TREAT

1 cup popping corn ¾ cup butter ½ cup honey Salt to taste

Pop corn the way you usually would - air popping is best. Put popcorn in a brown paper bag.

Melt butter and honey together. Pour over popcorn and salt to taste. Then, close and shake the bag to spread butter and honey evenly.

Pour into decorative bowl and serve this all natural treat. A great snack for kids!





Anna Maria Horsford Actress "Amen"

M.A.D.D.'S DANDY ALEXANDER

2 pkgs. powdered non-alcoholic ½ cup crushed ice Alexander mix ¼ tsp. almond extr

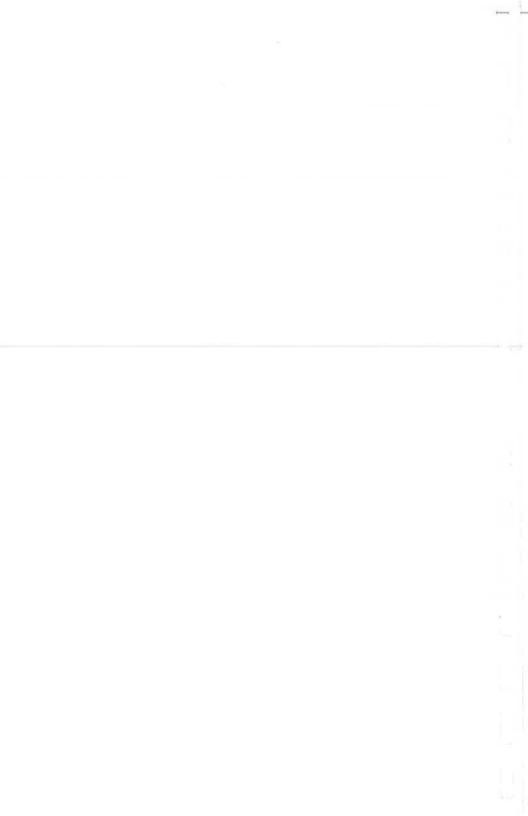
²/₃ cup cream or

4 Tbsp. ice cream

½ cup crushed ice ¼ tsp. almond extract Nutmeg

Blend and pour into two chilled cocktail glasses. Sprinkle each with nutmeg. Enjoy!





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