

Three-Cheese Turkey Manicotti & Salad

Prep time: 30 min Cook Time: 45 min Serves: 6

NUTRITION FACTS, PER SERVING:

647 calories 34g total fat 937mg sodium



INGREDIENTS: ** Items not included in kit

Turkey Manicotti

- 12 uncooked manicotti shells
- Non-stick cooking spray**
- Aluminum foil**
- 1 lb. ground turkey
- 1 cup diced onion
- 3 oz. (2 cups) baby spinach, chopped
- 24 oz. marinara Sauce
- 1 tsp sugar**
- Turkey Manicotti Spice Blend
 (1/2 tsp Italian seasoning, 1/4 tsp onion powder, 1/4 tsp garlic powder)
- 2 cups shredded Monterey Jack cheese
- 15 oz. part-skim ricotta cheese
- 1/2 cup parmesan cheese, divided
- 1 large egg, beaten
- 1/4 cup fresh parsley, chopped

Salad

- Lettuce
- 1 cucumber
- Shredded carrots
- Favorite salad dressing**

DIRECTIONS:

- Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Grease a 13x9 inch casserole dish with non-stick cooking spray. Cook manicotti according to package directions. Drain and set aside to fill.
- 2. In a large skillet over medium heat, cook ground turkey and diced onion until meat is no longer pink. Roughly chop 2 cups baby spinach and add to pan. Stir to combine and cook for 2 minutes until spinach is wilted. Remove from heat and stir in the marina sauce, 1 tsp sugar, Turkey Manicotti Spice Blend and stir well to combine. Pour half of the mixture into the greased casserole dish.
- 3. In a large bowl, combine 1.5 cups Monterey Jack cheese (reserving 1/2 cup of Monterey Jack for later), ricotta cheese, and 1/2 of the parmesan cheese, 1 egg beaten, and 1/4 cup chopped parsley. Stir to combine. Stuff mixture into cooked manicotti shells with a small spoon OR by using a gallon Ziplock bag, place filling in bottom corner of bag and twist or secure with a clip to create a piping bag. Snip the bottom corner and gently squeeze filling into shells. Place filled manicotti shells in the baking dish in a single layer. Top with the remaining turkey marina sauce and sprinkle with remaining parmesan cheese and 1/2 cup Monterey Jack cheese. Cover dish with aluminum foil coated in nonstick cooking spray.
- 4. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes or until bubbly. Remove from oven and let stand for 5 minutes before serving.
- 5. **Salad:** In a large bowl, toss all prepped salad ingredients with your **favorite salad dressing**.

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