WEEK

- of GRILLED PESTO SALAD & GRILLED BALSAMIC SHRIMP
- 02 EGG & AVOCADO CHICKEN SALAD
- os GRILLED VEGGIE PITA
- 04 CITRUS SHRIMP & AVOCADO TOAST
- 05 BALSAMIC KALE & CHICKPEA SALAD

GROCERY LIST

1 SUMMER SQUASH

1 BUNCH OF ASPARAGUS

2 RED BELL PEPPER

1 YELLOW BELL PEPPER

1 BOX OF MIXED GREENS

1 SMALL JAR OF PESTO

4 OZ. CONTAINER FETA CHEESE

3/4 LB. OF LARGE SHRIMP

1 LOAF OF WHOLE GRAIN BREAD

1 ROTISSERIE CHICKEN

4 MEDIUM AVOCADOS

3 LIMES

3 PINTS OF CHERRY TOMATOES

1/2 DOZEN EGGS

5-8 OZ. OF NONFAT YOGURT

8 OZ. CONTAINER OF ORANGE JUICE

1/4 TEASPOON OF CUMIN

1 BOX OF BABY BELLA MUSHROOMS

1 SMALL BAG OF FROZEN CORN

1 BOX OF KALE

3 TABLESPOONS OF RAISINS

1 CAN OF CHICKPEAS

8 OZ. OF SLICED WATER CHESTNUTS

1 PACKAGE OF WHOLE WHEAT PITA

1 SMALL YELLOW SQUASH

1 SMALL ZUCCHINI

1 PACKAGE OF SLICED PROVOLONE

PANTRY STAPLES (ALREADY HAVE)

MINCED GARLIC

OLIVE OIL

BALSAMIC VINEGAR

SALT

PEPPER

HONEY

OPTIONAL

1/3 CUP OF HALVED WALNUTS

1 BAG OF GRAPES

GRILLED PESTO SALAD & GRILLED BALSAMIC SHRIMP

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FOR SALAD:

OLIVE OIL | 2 TBSP.

SALT | 1/4 TSP.

1 SUMMER SQUASH, SLICED 1/4" THICK

1/2 BUNCH OF ASPARAGUS, DICED

1 RED BELL PEPPER, DICED

1 YELLOW BELL PEPPER, DICED

MIXED GREENS | 4 CUPS

PESTO |1 1/2 TBSP.

FETA CHEESE | 2 TBSP.

10 LARGE SHRIMP DEVEINED

FOR VINAIGRETTE FOR SHRIMP:

BALSAMIC VINEGAR | 2 TBSP.

OLIVE OIL | 2 TBSP.

HONEY | 2 TSP.

SALT & PEPPER TO TASTE

- 01 Heat grill pan on medium heat.
- Toss the chopped veggies in 2 tablespoons olive oil, 1/4 teaspoon salt and a dash of pepper.
- O3 Grill veggies on grill pan until they begin to char, grill marks form and they soften about 10 minutes.
- O 4 Place veggies in bowl and gently toss with the pesto. Cover to keep warm.
- 05 Lower the heat of the grill pan.
- O 6 Cook the shrimp until done, about 1 to 1 1/2 minutes per side.
- O7 Assemble each plate by adding 2 cups of mixed greens, followed by about 1 cup of mixed veggies, 1 tablespoon feta cheese and 5 shrimp.
- 08 If desired, serve toasted whole grain bread on the side.

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EGG & AVOCADO CHICKEN SALAD

PULLED ROTISSERIE CHICKEN | 3 CUPS

2 MEDIUM AVOCADOS, DICED

JUICE OF 1/2 A LIME

1 PINT OF CHERRY TOMATOES, HALVED

SALT | 1/4 TSP.

PEPPER | 1/8 TSP.

3 HARD BOILED EGGS

NONFAT PLAIN YOGURT | 1/4 CUP

1 WHOLE WHEAT PITA

- O1 Place avocados into a medium mixing bowl and mash until almost smooth.
- O2 Add in the yogurt, lime juice, salt and pepper, and mix until it is a smooth consistency.
- o3 Fold the pulled rotisserie chicken into the avocado base until well combined.
- 04 Mix in the tomatoes and chopped egg until well combined. Store in the refrigerator or eat immediately.
- os If desired, preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Cut pita into triangles and toast in preheated oven for about 8 to 10 minutes, turning halfway to crisp both sides.
- 06 Serve with chicken salad and enjoy!

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GRILLED VEGGIE PITA

OLIVE OIL | 2 TSP.

2 WHOLE WHEAT PITA HALVES

4 BABY BELLA MUSHROOMS, SLICED

1/2 SMALL YELLOW SQUASH, SLICED

1/2 SMALL ZUCCHINI, SLICED

PESTO | 1 TBSP.

1 SLICE OF PROVOLONE CHEESE

- 01 Heat 2 teaspoons olive oil in a skillet over medium heat
- ⁰² Add mushrooms, squash and zucchini, and cook until softened, about 5 minutes.
- Add in 1 tablespoon of the pesto and stir so that vegetables are well coated.
- O4 Divide sauteed vegetables evenly between the 2 pitas.
- O 5 Place 1/2 slice of cheese in one pita pocket, between the veggies and the pita pocket and the other 1/2 in the other.
- O 6 Press pita in preheated Panini or sandwich press or in the skillet used to cook vegetables for about 5 minutes, until the cheese is melted and the pita is crisp.

CITRUS SHRIMP & AVOCADO TOAST

FOR SHRIMP:

OLIVE OIL | 2 TBSP.

LIME JUICE | 2 TBSP.

ORANGE JUICE | 4 TBSP.

GROUND CUMIN | 1/4 TSP.

ORANGE JUICE | 4 TBSP.

1/2 LB. OF DEVEINED SHRIMP

FOR TOAST:

MASHED AVOCADO | 1 CUP

LIME JUICE | 1 TBSP.

2 PINTS OF CHERRY TOMATOES

OLIVE OIL | 2 TBSP.

SALT | 1/4 TSP.

YELLOW CORN | 1/2 CUP

8 SLICES OF WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

1/2 CUP OF FETA CHEESE

- 01 To make the shrimp marinade, combine the first 4 ingredients (listed under "For Shrimp") in a small bowl and mix well to combine.
- O2 Add the shrimp to a plastic sealable bag and then pour in the marinade.
- Place plastic bag in the refrigerator and allow shrimp to marinate while preparing the rest of ingredients for the toast (or at least 30 minutes).
- O4 Add 1/2 tablespoon lime juice to the mashed avocado to flavor and prevent browning while preparing the rest of the dish.
- 05 Heat a skillet over medium heat.
- o 6 In a medium bowl, combine the cherry tomatoes with the 2 tablespoons olive oil and 1/4 teaspoon salt.
- or Add the tomatoes to the heated skillet and cook about 10 minutes, stirring occasionally until the tomatoes begin to soften and burst. Once tomatoes are cooked, place them in a small bowl and set aside.
- While the tomatoes cook, toast the bread in a toaster or toaster oven.
- O9 Wipe out the skillet used to cook the tomatoes and then reheat again over medium heat.
- 10 Add the marinated shrimp to the skillet and cook shrimp about 1 to 1 1/2 minutes per side, until shrimp are pink and white.
- Assemble the toast by spreading each slice of toast with:
 - (a) 2 tablespoons mashed avocado
 - (b) 2 tablespoons roasted tomatoes
 - (c) 1 tablespoon sweet yellow corn
 - (d) 3 orange lime citrus shrimp
- Serve 1/2 cup feta at the table to complement toast, if desired.

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BALSAMIC KALE & CHICKPEA SALAD

KALE | 8-10 CUPS

HALVED WALNUTS | 1/3 CUP

RAISINS | 3 TBSP.

WARM WATER | 1/3 CUP

OLIVE OIL | 2 TBSP.

BALSAMIC VINEGAR | 2 TBSP.

HONEY | 1 TBSP.

SALT | 1/8 TSP.

BABY BELLA MUSHROOMS, SLICED | 1 CUP

RED BELL PEPPER, DICED | 1/2 CUP

CHICKPEAS | 3/4 CUP

8 OZ. OF WATER CHESTNUTS DRAINED

- 01 Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.
- 02 Spread walnuts evenly onto a baking sheet.
- While oven preheats, soak raisins in a small bowl with 1/3 cup of warm water.
- 0 4 Roast walnuts in preheated oven for about 6 7 minutes, stirring halfway through.
- 05 While the walnuts roast, add kale to a large bowl.
- o 6 In a small bowl, whisk together the olive oil, balsamic vinegar, honey and salt until well incorporated.
- O7 Pour dressing slowly over kale and massage into leaves with hand to incorporate.
- O9 Drain the raisins and then add to salad along with the mushrooms, bell peppers and chickpeas.
- 10 Toss all ingredients with tongs.
- 11 Top salad with the roasted walnuts (optional) and the water chestnuts.
- 12 Salad can be stored up to 5 days in the refrigerator.