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Featured Inside:

- It's a wrap! Making wrap sandwiches even more tasty
- An Asian collard wrap recipe with rice noodles and toasted sesame seeds
- Delectable fresh mozzarella cheese is the feature of the month
- Try this: take the "hot or not" pepper quiz! Find more fun online



Asian Collard Wraps

Serves 6. Prep time: 45 minutes.

- 1 bunch collard greens, washed well, large stems removed
- 4 ounces Annie Chun's rice noodles, uncooked
- 2 tablespoons tamari
- 1 tablespoon rice vinegar
- 1 ½ tablespoons toasted sesame seeds
- 1 cup carrots, shredded

- 1 cup red cabbage, shredded
- ½ cup red bell pepper, julienned
- 2 green onions, thinly sliced
- 2 tablespoons cilantro, chopped

In a pot of boiling, salted water, blanch the collard leaves for about one minute each. Set them gently on a towel to dry.

Prepare the rice noodles according to the package directions. Drain the noodles well and toss them with tamari, rice vinegar, and toasted sesame seeds. Set aside.

To prepare the wraps, lay out one blanched collard leaf with the stem side towards the bottom. Place about ¼ to ½ cup of rice noodles at the bottom of the leaf. On top of the rice noodles, pile a few pieces of carrot, red cabbage, and red pepper. Sprinkle with a pinch of green onions and cilantro. Fold the bottom of the collard leaf up over the fillings. Fold in each side of the collard leaf and continue to roll upwards until you have a burrito-like wrap. Set aside and repeat process with the rest of the leaves and filling.



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Making Wrap Sandwiches

Wrap sandwiches are a great option for picnics and lunchboxes. Portable and endlessly versatile, a wrap can appeal to many different tastes. And while tortillas may be the most common wrapper, here are some variations:

- Use a spring roll wrapper and a dash of Hoisin sauce, toasted sesame oil or Sriracha for an Asian-influenced sandwich with cubed chicken or baked tofu and shredded raw veggies
 - Try cumin-spiced black beans, diced red bell pepper and mango chutney with naan, accompanied by chopped cilantro and yogurt
 - Spread lahvosh or pita bread with hummus and sprinkle with feta cheese, chopped olives and bean sprouts

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Stuffed Tomatoes with Pesto and Orzo

Serves 8. Prep time: 60 minutes.

- 8 medium to large ripe tomatoes
- 1 8-ounce package orzo pasta
- 2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil
- 1 lemon, juice and zest
- 1/4 cup fresh basil, finely chopped
- 1 cup fresh spinach, finely chopped

- 2 tablespoons pine nuts, toasted
- 1 teaspoon garlic, minced
- 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
- 2 tablespoons shredded Parmesan cheese
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon ground black pepper

Cook the orzo according to the package directions, drain well and refrigerate until cold. In a large bowl, mix together the chilled orzo, olive oil, lemon zest and juice, basil, spinach, pine nuts, garlic, ¼ cup grated Parmesan cheese, salt, and pepper.

Wash and core the tomatoes, then scoop out the seeds and some of the flesh to make a space for the orzo mixture. Slice a small section from the bottom of the tomato so it will sit upright. Fill each of the tomatoes with a few tablespoons of the orzo mixture, sprinkle with shredded Parmesan and serve at room temperature or chilled.

Serving suggestion: Accompanied with hummus, baba ganouj, and toasted pita triangles, these stuffed tomatoes make a lovely al fresco lunch. If you prefer, bake stuffed tomatoes for 15 minutes at 425 degrees F. and serve warm.



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Tomatoes

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Fresh mozzarella cheese is in a class by itself. Rich, creamy, smooth and supple, this fresh milky cheese is at its best when just-made. It's mild and silky texture is best experienced at room temperature, try it sprinkled with salt and pepper and drizzled with olive oil for an elegant and simple appetizer. Fresh mozzarella pairs well with ripe cherry tomatoes and fresh basil leaves, often this combination is called a "Caprese salad." Try a summery take on this classic by threading tomatoes, mozzarella, and basil leaves on bamboo skewers to make kebabs for your next patio party! Fresh mozzarella also works for cooler weather fare: just slice and use to artfully top casseroles and lasagnas.



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