MARLEY SPOON



Pan-Fried Chicken & Gnocchi

with Mushrooms, Spinach & Pine Nuts

🔊 20-30min 🔌 2 Servings

We are all familiar with pillowy-soft gnocchi, but this recipe takes the pasta in a different direction by pan-frying it, which adds a layer of golden brown crispiness. A mascarpone sauce, spiked with garlic, lemon, and Parmesan, coats the gnocchi, along with lean chicken, baby spinach and sautéed mushrooms. A sprinkle of toasted pine nuts and Parmesan cheese ties it all together.

What we send

- garlic
- 1 lemon
- 3 oz mascarpone¹
- ¾ oz Parmesan ¹
- 4 oz mushrooms
- 10 oz pkg chicken breast strips
- 1/2 oz pine nuts 2
- 17.6 oz gnocchi ³
- 5 oz baby spinach

What you need

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- olive oil

Tools

- microplane or grater
- large nonstick skillet

Allergens

Milk (1), Tree Nuts (2), Wheat (3). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

Nutrition per serving

Calories 1080kcal, Fat 59g, Carbs 91g, Protein 57g



1. Prep ingredients & sauce

Finely grate ¹⁄₂ teaspoon garlic into a small bowl. Into same bowl, finely grate ¹⁄₂ teaspoon lemon zest and squeeze 1 teaspoon lemon juice. Whisk in mascarpone, ¹⁄₃ cup water, and a pinch each of salt and pepper. Set sauce aside until step 5.

Finely grate **Parmesan**. Trim ends from **mushrooms**, then thinly slice caps. Pat **chicken** dry; season with **salt** and **pepper**.



2. CHICKEN VARIATION

Toast **pine nuts** in a large, dry nonstick skillet over medium-high heat, stirring constantly, until golden brown and fragrant, 2-3 minutes (watch closely). Transfer to a small bowl.

Heat **1 tablespoon oil** in same skillet over medium-high. Add **mushrooms** and **chicken** and cook, stirring occasionally, until golden brown and chicken is cooked through, 5-7 minutes. Transfer to a plate.



3. Pan-fry gnocchi

Heat **3 tablespoons oil** in same skillet over medium-high. Carefully add gnocchi to skillet in one layer, gently breaking apart any that are stuck together. Cook, without stirring, until undersides are golden brown and crisp, 4-5 minutes. Transfer to a plate.



4. Wilt spinach

Add **spinach** to same skillet in large handfuls, allowing it to wilt slightly before adding more. Add **gnocchi** and **mushrooms and chicken** and stir to combine.



5. Add sauce

Remove skillet from heat. Add mascarpone sauce, stirring to coat gnocchi. Add half of the Parmesan in large pinches to avoid clumping. If sauce is too thick, stir in **1 tablespoon water** at a time, as needed, to loosen. Season to taste with salt and pepper.



6. Garnish & serve

Spoon **gnocchi** into bowls and top with **remaining Parmesan** and **toasted pine nuts**. Enjoy!