

# ALPHA OMEGA

# Grilled Caprese Steak with Corn, Zucchini & Fusilli Salad

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Yield: Serves 4

## Grilled Caprese Steak

Ingredients:

3 cloves garlic, minced

2 tbsp. honey

2 tbsp. extra-virgin olive oil

I tbsp. dried thyme

I thsp. dried oregano

4 (6-oz.) filet mignon, or 4 8oz. pieces of sirloin

2 beefsteak tomatoes, sliced

Kosher salt

4 slices whole milk mozzarella

4oz. shaved parmesan

3/4 c. balsamic vinegar

Fresh basil leaves, for serving

#### Method:

- In a small bowl, whisk together balsamic vinegar, garlic, honey, olive oil, dried thyme, and dried oregano.
- Pour over steak and let marinate for 20 minutes.
- Season tomatoes with salt and pepper.
- Grill steak 4 to 5 minutes per side, then top with mozzarella and tomatoes and cover grill until cheese is melted, about 2 minutes.
- Top with basil, parmesan & a few twists of fresh cracked black pepper

# Corn, Zucchini & Fusilli Salad

Ingredients:

3 ears of corn, shucked.

I-pound small zucchini or summer squash, halved lengthwise

I/4 cup extra-virgin olive oil

Kosher salt

Pepper

1/2-pound fusilli

1/4 cup mayonnaise3 tablespoons fresh lime juice

I tablespoon minced shallot

1/2 teaspoon guajillo or ancho chile powder

I 1/2 cups coarsely chopped cilantro

2 ounces fresh goat's cheese, frozen





### Corn, Zucchini & Fusilli Salad

#### Method:

- Light a grill or heat a grill pan to medium high heat.
- In a large bowl, toss the corn and zucchini with I tablespoon of olive oil and season with salt and pepper.
- Grill over moderate heat until charred and crisp-tender, about 10 minutes for the zucchini and 15 minutes for the corn. Transfer to a cutting board and let cool. Cut the kernels off the corncobs and coarsely chop the zucchini. Transfer to a large bowl.
- Meanwhile, in a large saucepan of salted boiling water, cook the fusilli until al dente. Drain and rinse under cold water to cool. Drain well and spread the fusilli out on a baking sheet; pat dry with paper towels.
- In a large bowl, whisk the mayonnaise with the remaining 3 tablespoons of olive oil and the lime juice, shallot, chile powder and 1/2 cup of the cilantro, season with salt and pepper.
- Add the fusilli, corn, zucchini and the remaining chopped cilantro and mix well. Transfer to a platter.
- Using a vegetable peeler, shave the frozen goat cheese over the top and serve.

Enjoy!