

## **SPINACH PASTA SALAD**

## **INGREDIENTS:**

500g pasta of your choice
2 large carrots peeled and chopped
Half a teaspoon of black pepper
3 tablespoons of cooking oil
5 leaves of raw spinach
2 cups of frozen peas
1 teaspoon of thyme

1 large red bell pepper
2 cups of frozen corn
1 large green bell pepper
Half a teaspoon of salt
6 tablespoons of mayonnaise
1 teaspoon of dried parsley

## **METHOD:**

- 1. Boil your pasta with a tablespoon of cooking oil. Once cooked, drain and rinse to remove all the boiling water and keep the pasta from sticking together.
- 2. Clean and chop the peppers and carrots into small cubes to match the size of the corn and peas
- 3. Rinse and drain frozen corn and frozen peas.
- 4. Fold each spinach leaf in half and chop off the white rib. Once this is done for all leaves, cut the spinach into small square pieces by putting them on top of one another and slicing several times from the top the bottom and then across.
- 5. In a large dish, place your fully drained pasta, and vegetables, including the chopped raw spinach. Mix this all together.
- 6. Add mayonnaise, salt, pepper, thyme and dried parsley.
- 7. Mix this thoroughly until the pasta is well coated in the mayonnaise.
- 8. Note that you can add a tablespoon of less or more mayonnaise depending on your taste.

## **SERVING SUGGESTION**

This pasta salad is an easy go-to for potlucks, bring and braais or easy grills at home on a hot summer's day. An easy win for kids and adults alike.

Enjoy!

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