Frozen Ravioli Lasagna with Pecorino Kale Salad

The following recipes were created in collaboration with Lauren Schulte. To see more of her bites and meals, visit her Instagram <u>@TheBiteSizePantry</u>.

Ingredients

For the Lasagna

- 2 packages of Heinen's Frozen Spinach and Cheese Ravioli
- 2-3 heirloom tomatoes, sliced thin
- 1-1/2 cup of low fat ricotta cheese, divided
- 2 cups Heinen's Shredded Italian Cheese Blend
- 1 cup pecorino cheese
- 12 mozzarella cheese medallions
- 1 packet of Italian seasoning
- 1 24 oz. jar of Rao's Marinara Sauce, divided
- Millcreek Gardens Oregano and Basil, for garnish



For the Kale Salad

- 1 large bunch of organic kale, stems removed and sliced in thin strips
- ½ cup of pecorino cheese
- ½ cup of sliced almonds
- Salt and pepper, to taste

For the Lemon Vinaigrette

- 4 Tbsp. of lemon juice
- 2 Tbsp. of apple cider vinegar
- 4 Tbsp. of La Tourangelle Artisan almond oil
- 1 small shallot, sliced thin
- Salt and pepper, to taste

Instructions

For the Lasagna

- 1. Preheat oven to 400°F.
- 2. In a medium-size bowl, mix together the ricotta cheese, shredded Italian cheese blend and Italian seasoning.
- 3. Pour about 1/4 cup of the Rao's marinara sauce onto the bottom of a 9x13 inch baking dish.
- 4. Place 6-7 heirloom tomato slices on top of the sauce followed by half of the frozen raviolis in a single layer on top. The ravioli comes with frozen sauce, so just break apart the sauce and sprinkle it over top of the raviolis.
- 5. Spread half of the ricotta cheese mixture over the raviolis and place about 6 of the mozzarella cheese medallions on top.
- 6. Spread half of the remaining marinara sauce on top of the mozzarella and repeat these layers one more time ending with a sprinkling of pecorino cheese on top.
- 7. Cover dish with foil and bake for about 30 minutes. Uncover and bake for another 10-15 minutes until cheese is melted. Finish under the broiler on high for an additional 3 minutes.

- 8. Garnish with a couple sprigs of Millcreek Oregano and a couple basil leafs.
- 9. Serve with a side of veggies and salad.

For the Kale Salad

- 1. Add all the ingredients for the lemon vinaigrette to a large mixing bowl. Whisk the ingredients together until well blended.
- 2. Add the shredded kale to the bowl and toss with vinaigrette to coat.
- 3. Sprinkle with pecorino cheese and sliced almonds.