



# Pasta Arrabiata with Fried Goat Cheese

with red pepper marinara sauce

## (i) You will need

Olive Oil, Salt

Colander, Medium Pot, Mixing Bowl, Small Non-Stick Pan, Large Non-Stick Pan

# Before you cook

Take a minute to read through the recipe before you startwe promise it will be time well spent!

- ☐ Bring 8 cups water and 2 tsp. salt to a boil in a medium pot
- ☐ Thoroughly rinse produce and pat dry
- ☐ Refrigerate **goat cheese** until ready to use
- ☐ Ingredient(s) used more than once: **oregano**



## Cook the Pasta

- Once water is boiling, add pasta and cook until al dente, 8-10
- Reserve ¼ cup pasta cooking water. Drain pasta in a colander. Set aside.
- While pasta cooks, prepare ingredients.



## Prepare the Ingredients

- Stem and mince oregano.
- Halve and peel **onion**. Cut halves into ¼" dice.
- Stem, seed, remove ribs, and cut red bell pepper into 1/4" dice.



#### Make the Medallions

- In a mixing bowl, combine half the **oregano** (reserve remaining for garnish) and panko.
- Remove goat cheese medallions from refrigerator. Brush or spoon ½ tsp. olive oil on each side of medallions, letting excess oil drip off. Then place medallions in panko mixture and gently press cheese into panko, completely coating.
- Place a small non-stick pan with 2 Tbsp. olive oil over medium heat. Add goat cheese medallions to hot pan. Cook undisturbed until browned, 30 seconds per side.
- Remove goat cheese to a plate and set aside.



### Make the Sauce

- Place a large non-stick pan over medium-high heat and add 1 tsp. olive oil.
- Add onion, red bell pepper, and 1/4 tsp. salt to hot pan. Stir occasionally until vegetables are tender, 6-8 minutes.
- Stir in marinara sauce, pasta cooking water, and red pepper flakes (to taste) until combined.
- Remove from burner



#### Finish the Dish

- Stir pasta into sauce.
- Plate dish as pictured on front of card, garnishing with **goat** cheese medallions and remaining oregano. Bon appètit!