

## Zucchini Noodles with Pesto & Pine Nuts

## **INGREDIENTS:**

3 (about 2-2 ½ lbs) Large zucchini (larger zucchini make for nicer, wider noodles)

2 Tablespoons homemade or store bought pesto

2 tablespoons freshly grated Parmigiano-Reggiano

2 tablespoons pine nuts of chopped walnuts, toasted until golden\*

Salt and pepper to taste

2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Using a vegetable peeler, press firmly and peel zucchini into long, wide ribbons. Work your way around the zucchini and stop when you get to the seeds.
- Lightly coat pan with olive oil and heat to medium-high heat, Add zucchini noodles to pan and gently stir for about 1-2 minutes, until just al dente.
- In bowl, combine cooked zucchini, pesto sauce, parmesan cheese and toasted nuts. Season with salt and pepper to taste, then serve.
- \*To toast nuts, preheat oven to 350°. Toast until golden, watching carefully, for about 5 minutes.

Recipe serves 4

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