

PENNE WITH PORK MEATBALLS

in a Creamy Mushroom Sauce



PREP: 5 MIN COOK: 35 MIN CALORIES: 1030

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FOND OF YOU

When stirring in step 5, scrape up the browned bits (aka fond) from the bottom of the pan. It's an easy way to enhance flavor!

BUST OUT

Medium bowl

- Large pot
- Strainer
 Large pan
- Kosher salt
- Black pepper
- Cooking oil (1 TBSP | 1 TBSP)
- Butter (2 TBSP | 3 TBSP)
 Contains: Milk

1 PREP

- Bring a large pot of **salted water** to a boil. **Wash and dry produce.**
- Trim and thinly slice **mushrooms** (skip if your mushrooms are presliced!). Trim and thinly slice scallions, separating whites from greens. Peel and mince or grate garlic.



2 COOK PASTA

- Once water is boiling, add **penne** to pot. Cook, stirring occasionally, until al dente, 9-11 minutes.
- Reserve 1/2 cup pasta cooking water, then drain.



3 FORM MEATBALLS

- While pasta cooks, in a medium bowl, combine pork*, panko, 1 tsp Italian Seasoning (2 tsp for 4 servings), 1 TBSP plain water (2 TBSP for 4), salt (we used ½ tsp; 1 tsp for 4), and pepper. (Be sure to measure the Italian Seasoning; we sent more.)
- Form mixture into 1-inch meatballs.



4 COOK MEATBALLS

- Heat a large drizzle of oil in a large pan over medium-high heat.
 Add meatballs and cook, turning occasionally, until browned all over and cooked through, 12-14 minutes.
 TIP: Lower heat if meatballs begin to brown too guickly.
- Turn off heat; remove from pan and set aside. Wipe out pan.



5 MAKE SAUCE

- Heat a drizzle of oil in same pan over medium heat. Add mushrooms, scallion whites, and garlic; season with salt and pepper. Cook, stirring, until softened, 2-4 minutes.
- Stir in sour cream, cream cheese, stock concentrate, ¼ cup reserved pasta cooking water (½ cup for 4 servings), and 2 TBSP butter (3 TBSP for 4). Bring to a simmer and cook until slightly thickened, 2-3 minutes. Turn off heat. Season with salt and pepper.



6 FINISH & SERVE

- Add drained penne and meatballs to pan with sauce; toss to coat. (TIP: If your pan isn't large enough, carefully pour everything back into empty pasta pot.) If needed, stir in more reserved pasta cooking water a splash at a time until penne is coated in a creamy sauce.
- Divide pasta between bowls; top with Parmesan and scallion greens.
 Sprinkle with chili flakes to taste and serve.

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*Ground Pork is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 160°.