

INGREDIENTS

2 PERSON | 4 PERSON



1 | 2 Red Onion



3/4 Cup | 11/2 Cups Jasmine Rice



1 TBSP | 2 TBSP Southwest Spice Blend



1 | 2 Veggie Stock Concentrate



1 | 2 Roma Tomato



¼ oz | ½ oz Cilantro



1 | 2 Lime



4 TBSP | 8 TBSP Guacamole



4 TBSP | 8 TBSP Sour Cream Contains: Milk



½ Cup | 1 Cup
Pepper Jack
Cheese
Contains: Milk



1 tsp | 2 tsp Hot Sauce

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ZUCCHINI BOATS

Delicious edible vessels stuffed with seasoned rice and topped with ooey gooey pepper jack

SOUTHWEST STUFFED ZUCCHINI BOATS

with Pico de Gallo, Avocado Crema & Cilantro



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HOT TAKE

Take care when working with your straight-outta-the-oven zucchini in step 5. We recommend using tongs to flip and hold the veggie boats in place as you stuff them with filling.

BUST OUT

- Medium pot
- · Baking sheet
- Zester
- 2 Small bowls
- Kosher salt
- Black pepper
- Olive oil (2 tsp | 2 tsp)
- Butter (1 TBSP | 2 TBSP) Contains Milk

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1 PREP

- Adjust rack to top position and preheat oven to 450 degrees. Wash and dry all produce.
- Halve, peel, and finely dice onion. Trim and halve **zucchini** lengthwise; scoop out seeds with a spoon and discard.



2 COOK RICE

- Heat 1 TBSP butter (2 TBSP for 4 servings) and a drizzle of olive oil in a medium pot over medium-high heat. Add 3/4 of the onion; season with salt and pepper. Cook, stirring, until softened. 4-5 minutes.
- Add rice and Southwest Spice; stir to coat.
- Stir in stock concentrate, 11/4 cups water (21/4 cups for 4), and a big pinch of salt. Bring to a boil; cover and reduce to a low simmer. Cook until tender. 15-18 minutes.
- Keep covered off heat until ready to use in step 5.



3 ROAST ZUCCHINI

- While rice cooks, place **zucchini** on a baking sheet. Rub all over with a drizzle of olive oil. Season with salt and pepper, then arrange cut sides down.
- Roast on top rack until browned and tender. 15-20 minutes.



4 MAKE PICO & CREMA

- Meanwhile, dice tomato. Roughly chop cilantro. Zest and halve lime.
- In a small bowl, combine tomato, half the cilantro, a **squeeze of lime juice** to taste, and as much remaining onion as you like. Season with salt and pepper.
- In a separate small bowl, combine guacamole, lime zest, and half the sour cream (save the rest for serving). Squeeze in lime juice to taste. Season with salt and pepper. Add water 1 tsp at a time until mixture reaches a drizzling consistency.



5 STUFF & BROIL ZUCCHINI

- Once **zucchini** is tender, remove baking sheet from oven. Heat broiler to high.
- Fluff rice with a fork and season with salt and pepper.
- Flip over zucchini and stuff with as much rice as will fit (there will be plenty left over). Evenly top with pepper jack.
- · Broil until cheese is melted and lightly browned, 2-3 minutes, TIP: Watch carefully to avoid burning.



6 SERVE

• Divide **remaining rice** between plates and top with stuffed zucchini. Top with avocado crema, pico de gallo, remaining cilantro, and a dollop of remaining sour cream. Drizzle with hot sauce if desired and serve.