

ITEM Salmon Chowder

YIELDS: 10 portions

INGREDIENTS

- 2 Tbsp olive oil
 1/2 pound sliced bacon
 2 cups diced onions
 1 Tbsp garlic
 1 cup celery
 1 cup diced green pepper
 2 Tbsp flour
 1 litre fish stock (or vegetable stock)
 2 dried bay leaves
 1 tsp salt
 1/2 tsp black pepper
 1 sprig fresh dill
 1 cup canned or fresh corn kernels
 1 lb skinless, boneless finely diced salmon
 1 cup 35% cream
- 2 Tbsp finely chopped green onion

METHOD:

In a large stockpot, add the oil and heat. Add the bacon and cook for 3 minutes.

Add the onions and cook for 2 more minutes.

Add the garlic, celery and green pepper, cook for 3 minutes, add the flour and mix well creating a roux. Cook the roux for 2 minutes over low heat. Remove from the stove.

Slowly add the stock and bay leaves and bring back to a simmer, while whisking.

Add the salt, pepper, dill, corn and the salmon bring to a slow simmer. Cook for 10 – 15 minutes stirring constantly.



In a separate small pot, heat the cream slowly, add the cream to the chowder and mix.

Taste to see if you need more salt. Serve with a small amount of green onion on each bowl.