# Blue Apron Add-ons



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2 Pocketless Pitas



1 bunch Chives



1 Shallot



1/2 cup Sour Cream



2 oz Balsamic-Marinated Cipolline Onions



1/4 cup Grated Parmesan Cheese



1 Tbsp Weeknight Hero Spice Blend<sup>1</sup>

#### 1 Make the pita chips

- Place an oven rack in the center of the oven, then preheat to 450°F.
- Cut each pita into 6 equal-sized wedges.
- Place on a sheet pan. Drizzle with olive oil and season with salt, pepper, and half the spice blend. Toss to coat and arrange in an even layer.
- Toast in the oven 7 to 9 minutes, or until lightly browned. Remove from the oven.

#### 2 Make the dip & serve your dish

- Meanwhile, wash, dry, and thinly slice the chives.
- Peel the **shallot**; finely chop to get 2 tablespoons (you may have extra).
- Roughly chop the **onions**.
- In a bowl, combine the sour cream, sliced chives, chopped shallot, chopped onions, cheese, and remaining spice blend. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.
- Serve the dip with the pita chips. Garnish the dip with a drizzle of olive oil. Enjoy!



White Bean &

Spinach Salad with Feta & Lemon



1 15.5-oz can Cannellini Beans





3 oz Baby Spinach



1 Red Onion



2 cloves Garlic

1 Lemon







1 ½ oz Feta Cheese



1/4 tsp Crushed Red Pepper Flakes

1 bunch Oregano

# Prepare the ingredients

• Wash and dry the fresh produce. Halve, peel, and small dice the onion. Peel and roughly chop 2 cloves of garlic. Pick the oregano leaves off the stems. Drain and rinse the beans. Roughly chop the peppers. Halve the lemon crosswise; squeeze the juice into a bowl, straining out the seeds.

### 2 Make the salad & serve your dish

- In a large pan (nonstick, if you have one), heat 2 teaspoons of olive oil on medium-high until hot.
- Add the diced onion; season with salt and pepper. Cook, stirring occasionally, 2 to 3 minutes, or until softened. Add the chopped garlic, oregano leaves, and as much of the red pepper flakes as you'd like, depending on how spicy you'd like the dish to be. Cook, stirring constantly, 30 seconds to 1 minute, or until combined. Add the drained beans and spinach; season with salt and pepper. Cook, stirring frequently, 1 to 2 minutes, or until the spinach is slightly wilted.
- Transfer to a large bowl. Add the cheese (crumbling before adding), chopped peppers, lemon juice, and 2 tablespoons of olive oil; stir to combine.
- Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired. Enjoy!

<sup>1.</sup> Onion Powder, Garlic Powder, Smoked Paprika & Whole Dried Parsley





6 COOKIES





2 oz Semi-Sweet Chocolate Chips



1 cup All-Purpose Flour



1 tsp Baking Powder



5 Tbsps Light Brown Sugar



1 cup Powdered Sugar



2 oz Butter



1/4 cup Cream



½ cup Sour Cream



1 Lemon

# 1 Make the dough

- Preheat the oven to 350°F. Wash and dry the **lemon**. Using a zester or the small side of a box grater, zest the lemon to get 2 teaspoons.
- In a large bowl, whisk together the flour, 1/2 teaspoon of the baking powder (you will have extra), and a pinch of salt.
- Meanwhile, place the butter in a medium bowl. Microwave on high 1 to 2 minutes, or until melted (or melt in a small pot on the stove).
  Add the brown sugar, sour cream, lemon zest, and ½ cup of the powdered sugar. Whisk to combine.
- Transfer to the bowl of flour mixture; stir to thoroughly combine.

## 2 Form & bake the cookies

- Line a sheet pan with parchment paper (or foil). Spoon the **dough** into six equal-sized portions onto the sheet pan, spacing them out evenly. Wet your fingers with water, then gently press the top of the dough to form a 3-inch-wide disk.
- Bake 20 to 24 minutes, or until lightly browned and cooked through. Remove from the oven. Let cool about 1 hour, or until room temperature. (For quicker results, carefully transfer the cookies to a wire cooling rack.)

#### Frost the cookies & serve your dish

- In a small bowl, combine the remaining powdered sugar, half the cream, and a pinch of salt. Whisk to thoroughly combine.
- In a separate bowl, combine the chocolate chips, remaining cream, and a pinch of salt. Working in 30 second increments, microwave on high, stirring in between, until melted and smooth.
- Place the **cooled cookies** on a work surface and flip them over so the flat side is facing up. Using a small spoon, coat one half of each cookie with the **white frosting**; spread into an even layer. Repeat with the **chocolate frosting** on the other half of each cookie.
- Let set about 10 minutes, or until firm. Enjoy!







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