

NATALIE'S NUTRITION KITCHEN



Hello Leslie,

With <u>farmer's markets</u> in full swing, I'm delighted to share some creative uses of the season's bountiful vegetables...and more to come as we plan to enjoy a summer of sunshine and healthy eating.

From my kitchen to yours, Natalie Tyre, PA-C



VEGETABLE STOCK

This is a quick and delicious way to use your leftover vegetables. Simply pile vegetables in a large pot, add enough water to cover them, bring to a boil, put the lid on, and simmer for about 20 minutes. Drain the vegetables and save the liquid to use as a tasty vegetable stock. Pictured in the mason jars is my stock, made from red peppers, celery, carrots, mushrooms, garlic and a pinch of salt and pepper. Easy and so useful!



SAVORY OATMEAL

While we usually think of adding sweetness such as fruits or honey to steel-cut oatmeal, try savory greens instead. The unexpected combination is incredibly tasty, and offers another way to introduce fresh vegetables into your meals. I used carrots, onions, mushrooms, and a variety of greens, as shown here. Feel free to experiment with your green favorites, such as spinach, kale, arugula or Swiss chard.

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