

Cooking Lady's

Chicken Tortellini Salad

Ingredients

3 cups cooked chicken breasts

2 Granny Smith apples, skin on

4-6 green onions

½ cup sliced black olives

½ cup good mayonnaise

19 oz. package cheese tortellini

½ 10 oz. bag fresh spinach, torn

½ cup sunflower seeds, dry roasted

What To Do:

For Vinaigrette

½ cup olive oil

¼ cup red wine vinegar

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon cracked black pepper

Squeeze of Dijon mustard

Scant teaspoon of sugar

Chop the chicken, cube the apples and mince the onions. In a large bowl, mix chicken, apples, green onions, and olives with mayo and let stand covered over night in fridge. In a small bowl whisk together ingredients for vinaigrette and set aside until ready to serve.

Before serving, fill a medium-sized pot with water, bring to a boil and cook tortellini until al dente then drain well. Combine tortellini with chicken mixture, add spinach and sunflower seeds, and toss with about 6-ounces of salad dressing.