

JUDY'S TORTELLINI SALAD

Carolyn Baird made this tortellini salad and her family loved it. Shared by Robyn Falls.

PREP: 26 minutes

COOK: 15 minutes

SERVINGS: 4

INGREDIENTS:

Pasta:

- 1 lb. bag frozen tortellini, stuffed with meat or cheese
- 1 clove of garlic, sliced thin
- $\frac{1}{3}$ C. olive oil
- 1 tsp. black pepper

Salad:

- 4 oz. of bottled Italian salad dressing (not creamy), or make your own
- $\frac{1}{4}$ C. grated Romano cheese
- $\frac{1}{4}$ C. chopped parsley
- 25 pieces of pepperoni, thinly sliced
- 14 oz. can of quartered artichoke hearts, drained
- 1 green onion, thinly sliced

DIRECTIONS:

Cook tortellini according to package directions and drain. Immediately place in a bowl while still hot. Add olive oil to coat the Tortellini, and add the pepper and garlic. Mix well, cover, and let sit overnight in refrigerator.

Add Italian dressing, Romano cheese, parsley, pepperoni, artichokes, green onion, and salt and pepper to taste. Stir to mix ingredients. Add more dressing, cheese and seasoning to your taste.

