Poached Mississippi Gulf Shrimp and sautéed Mississippi Gulf Blue Crab layered with slices of sharp cheddar and lasagna noodles.

TIME

75 minutes

SERVES

4

SEASON

spring, fall, winter

METHOD

bake

INGREDIENTS

- 8 oz medium Mississippi Gulf shrimp
- 8 oz Mississippi Gulf Blue crabmeat, picked for shells
- 16 oz lasagna noodles
- 2 cups white wine
- 2 cups chicken broth
- 6 Tbsp butter
- 1/2 cup flour
- 1/2 tsp paprika
- 2 Tbsp sherry
- 16 oz sharp cheddar cheese, sliced
- salt, to taste
- pepper, to taste

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees.
- 2. Cook lasagna according to package instructions.
- 3. In a deep skillet, bring broth and wine to a boil, reduce heat and poach shrimp for 3 5 minutes.
- 4. Remove shrimp from pan, reserving broth, and chop coarsely.
- 5. In a saucepan, melt butter, add flour and seasonings, and cook, stirring for a few minutes.
- 6. Stir in 2 cups of reserved stock, paprika and sherry, and cook until thickened, 3-5 minutes.
- 7. Stir in shrimp and crab, and set aside.
- 8. Oil a lasagna pan.
- 9. Layer noodles, seafood mixture and sliced cheese, and repeat twice, finishing with a layer of cheese.
- 10. Bake for 45 minutes, remove form oven and let stand 10 minutes before serving.

Serving Suggestion: Just add a nice salad and cheesy garlic bread.