Cooking Risotto

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Date/Time: Wednesdays; Jan 24, 31 and Feb 7; 9:30 – 10:30am

First class: Wednesday, Jan 24 (3 Session/s)

Location: Trinity St Stephen's United Church – Amherst (1 Ratchford Street)

Heartz Hall Kitchen

Participants: Min: 10; Max: 15

Course Outline: Session #1 – The history of risotto, required kitchen equipment, shopping for ingredients and actual preparation of a basic stovetop classic risotto suitable for an accompaniment with braised meat or similar.

Session #2 – Building on the first week this session will discuss making a traditional stove top risotto as a foundation for a one pot meal incorporating chicken, mushrooms, leeks, and herbs

Session #3 – Keeping with the idea of risotto as the foundation for an entire meal this session will involve making a risotto cooked on the stovetop as well the oven with ingredients including: smoked fish, baby spinach, and leeks

(To fully benefit from these sessions participants should be able to stand for at least 30 minutes)

Instructor Bio: Graeme is an amateur home chef with a passion for Italian cuisine broadly with a particular interest in risotto. Apart from an occasional cooking course at home and abroad Graeme is largely self-taught.

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