



Grilled Pork Belly Macaroni and Cheese

Yield: 10 each 9 oz entrée

Ingredients:

- 5 lbs carton Reser's® Special Request™ Deluxe Macaroni & Cheese (71117.14905)
- 2 cups Smoked Cheddar, shredded
- 3 lbs Pork belly, sliced ½-inch thick

Pork Belly Dry Cure

- ½ cup Brown sugar, packed
- 1 Tbsp Smoked paprika
- 1 tsp Garlic, granulated
- 1/4 cup Kosher salt
- 1 tsp Black pepper, 28 mesh

Directions:

- 1. In a medium bowl, mix the dry cure together.
- 2. Mix the cure with the $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch slabs of pork belly and refrigerate for 12-16 hours.
- 3. After curing, rinse the pork belly and pat dry.
- 4. Place pork belly slices onto parchment-lined sheet pan and cook at 350°F for 12-14 minutes, flip slices over and cook for another 12-14 minutes or until browned.
- 5. Heat the Reser's Special Request Deluxe Macaroni & Cheese in a steamer until warmed through, 18-20 minutes.
- 6. Empty the mac into a steam table pan and add the smoked Cheddar and mix to combine.
- 7. To serve, grill a 3 oz piece of the cooked belly to warm through, slice, and place atop 9 oz of macaroni and cheese in a large, warmed bowl.