

# Summer Corn, Tomato, and Salmon Salad with Za'atar Dressing Recipe

When we think of summer foods, it can be easy for our minds to go straight to the smell of burgers and bratwursts being prepared on the grill. For those looking for something different, however, this summer corn, tomato, and salmon salad recipe is sure to hit the spot!

#### Ingredients

- Kosher salt
- 2 lemons
- 3 garlic cloves, crushed
- 3 sprigs thyme
- 3 bay leaves, preferably fresh
- 1/2 cup extra-virgin olive oil
- 4 teaspoons za'atar, plus more for serving
- 5 ears corn on the cob, husked
- 4 (5–6-ounce) skinless salmon fillets
- 2 medium heirloom tomatoes, cut into wedges (about 1 1/2 pounds)
- 1/2 red onion, thinly sliced
- Baby arugula or other baby greens (for serving)

#### Directions

- Salt a large pot of water, slice half of one lemon, then add water along with garlic, thyme, and bay leaves. Bring to a boil. Let boil for at least 3 minutes and up to 10 to infuse water.
- Whisk oil, 3 Tbsp.
  lemon juice,
  4 tsp. za'atar, and
  1 tsp. salt in a small bowl.
- Add corn to boiling water. Cook until bright yellow and tender for about six minutes, then move to a plate.
- Set heat to low, add salmon, and poach until cooked through (about 5 minutes). Move to a cutting board and flake into chunks.



- Slice corn off cob into a large bowl. Add tomatoes and onion, then toss with 1/2 cup dressing.
- Add flaked salmon to corn mixture and gently toss to coat with dressing. Move to a serving platter or separate among plates. Top with arugula, then drizzle with dressing. Serve with additional za'atar.

Picture from Emma Fishman, food styling by Anna Stockwell. Recipe provided by epicurious.com.

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Welcome to August, everyone! It's hard to

believe that we're already more than halfway through the year, but with so many great things having taken place during this summer alone, I'll just chalk it up to the adage of "time flies when you're having fun."

Those who have been active on our campus know that we recently celebrated another incredible Theme Week - this time celebrating the sights, sounds, and smells of France. It was great reuniting with old friends, seeing new faces, and coming together to enjoy delicious meals such as the lemon curd crapes, blood

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orange chocolate tart, and of course, our signature Crème Brule. Thank you to everyone who came together to make this such a special event!

As we continue our journey through the summer and begin looking forward to the fall, we'll be letting you know about even more outings, cookouts, and community events that are sure to excite even the most adventurous members of the Trilogy family. Look forward to hearing about all of this and more in the coming days and weeks!

Have a great month,

Billie Jean Gerding

**Executive Director** 

## **ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS**

Cheers to everything great in life... Donuts, ice cream, wine! And, of course, cheers to all our friends that we celebrate with!! (and pets too!)



## More ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS













### Employee of the Month

If there is an Lakes of Monclova employee that you see go above and beyond, please nominate them to our Executive Director, Billie Gerding!

### Entertainment

Enjoy our live outside entertainment at Happy Hours!

### Out & About

Our bus will be making community trips yet again! Be on the look out for dates and outings- coming soon!

### Volunteer News

If you are interested in spending time with our residents and volunteering within our campus, please contact Candace Camp, our Life Enrichment Director and we can share our available opportunities! From watering our garden, to playing card games with friends, we always look forward to having extra smiles at our campus!





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### **Monthly Trivia & Activity Corner**

#### All trivia answers will be printed in our upcoming month's newsletter!

**Question 1:** What was the name of the United States' first national monument?

Question 2: What year did Disney Land open?

**Question 3:** *How many colors are there in a rainbow?* 

**Question 4:** What is the nickname of the state of California?

**Question 5:** *Which state is home to Area 51?* 

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