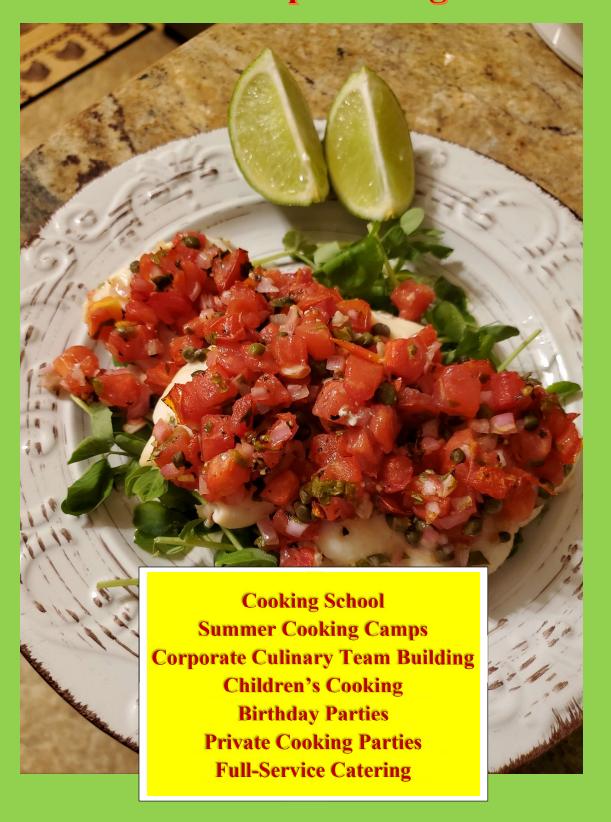
Classic Thyme Cooking School Class Schedule Sept. through December 2021



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THRU DEC. 2021





Combined Kids & Youth Baking Series Basic Baking Skills with Miss Sue

Four Wednesdays, Oct. 6, 13, 20, & 27, 4-6 PM, <u>Ages 4 thru 9 years old</u> \$199 per student - Drop-Off No Adults

To help children develop basic baking skills giving them the ability to be successful in the kitchen, they need to be comfortable with measuring, mixing, using the utensils and ingredients at hand. Mathematics, precision, and timing become a focus as much baking shifts more to science and accuracy as well as artistic ability. This four-session program will teach them patience and humility in the kitchen. We will inspire an added respect for safety, knife skills, precise measuring, along with the use of kitchen tools and small appliances.

As we work from basic preparation ('mis en place') to clean up, the students will practice these skills each week baking and sampling what they prepare.

Class One – precision measuring, mathematics of recipe conversion, accuracy and timing, reinforcement of safety and utilization of kitchen tools and general dexterity. Prepare and sample several types of cookies.

Class Two – repeat and continue to hone skills learned in class one, learn about the food groups and basic tastes, prepare, bake, and taste cupcakes, cake, and frosting.

Class Three – reinforcement of general skills and prep. The focus of this session will be on creating pies and bread.

Class Four – The Grand Finale – Students will prepare a sampling of baked goods they learned in this series that we will all enjoy before going home on the last day of class.













Combined Kids & Youth Cooking Series <u>Basic Kitchen Skills</u> with Miss Sue

Four Wednesdays, Nov. 3, 10, 17, & 24, 4-6 PM, Ages 4 thru 9 years old, \$199 per student - Drop-Off No Adults

To help children develop basic cooking skills giving them the ability to be successful in the kitchen, they need to be comfortable with measuring, mixing, using the utensils and ingredients at hand. This four-session program will teach them safety in the kitchen, knife skills, food groups, proper measuring, kitchen lingo and the use of kitchen tools and small appliances.

As we work from basic preparation ('Mis en Place') to clean up, the students will practice these skills each week cooking and eating what they prepare.

Menus Kid's Favorite Foods

Class One – safety, tools, knife skills, prep, cook and eat Sautéed Lemon Chicken, Baked Orzo with Eggplant and Mozzarella, plus Ricotta Bread.

Class Two – continue skills, learn about the food groups and basic tastes, prep, cook and eat Breakfast Enchiladas, Baked Egg Cups, Breakfast Cookies Energy Bites.

Class Three – continue skills, prep, cook and eat Old Fashioned Pot Roast, Mashed Potatoes, Cheese Puffs, and Apple Coleslaw.

Class Four – The Grand Finale – Students will prepare for the last feast, Cheeseburger Meatloaf, Corn Chowder, Broccoli Patties, and Chocolate Chip Cookies.





Don't forget to book your child's

'Chef for A Day'

Cooking Birthday Party

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult Cooking & Baking Club Class Prices are Per Person

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult
Pasta Party with Suzanne Lowery
Wednesday, September 29, 4-7 PM
Full Participation \$59.00 per Person

Students Ages 10-18 may register for 1 space and attend alone or register for 2 spaces and attend with a parent or adult.

Homemade Cavatelli
Homemade Gnocchi
Fresh Pesto Sauce
Marinara Sauce
Citrus Cream Sauce
Chocolate Ravioli with Ice Cream

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult Cooking & Baking Club Class Prices are Per Person

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult
Harvest Baking with Suzanne Lowery
Thursday, October 28, 4-7 PM
Full Participation \$59.00 per Person

Students Ages 10-18 may register for 1 space and attend alone or register for 2 spaces and attend with a parent or adult.

Cinnamon Streusel Coffee Cakes Pumpkin White chocolate Cookies Cranberry-Pear Turnovers Dulce de Leche Cream Puffs Apple Spice Muffins

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult Cooking & Baking Club Class Prices are Per Person

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult
Thanksgiving Leftover Party
with Suzanne Lowery
Saturday, November 20, 11 AM-2 PM
Full Participation \$59.00 per Person

Students Ages 10-18 may register for 1 space and attend alone or register for 2 spaces and attend with a parent or adult.

Turkey Pot Pie
Turkey Vegetable Soup
with Stuffing Dumplings
Mashed Potato Tater-Tots
Cranberry Sauce Hand Pies
Glazed Sweet Potato Pound Cake

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult Cooking & Baking Club Class Prices are Per Person

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult
Holiday Cookie Decorating
with Suzanne Lowery
Tuesday, December 14, 4-7 PM
Full Participation \$59.00 per Person

Students Ages 10-18 may register for 1 space and attend alone or register for 2 spaces and attend with a parent or adult.

Shape, Ice and Decorate Festive Vanilla and Spice Cut-Out Cookies

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult Cooking & Baking Club Class Prices are Per Person

Pre-Teen/Teen/Adult
Holiday Baking with Suzanne Lowery
Saturday, December 18, 11 AM-2 PM
Full Participation \$59.00 per Person

Students Ages 10-18 may register for 1 space and attend alone or register for 2 spaces and attend with a parent or adult.

Mini Chocolate Cherry Cheesecakes Gingerbread Creme Brulé Iced Shortbread Wreaths Snowman Cupcakes

Adult Classes

The Artful Sauté with Diana Albanese
Thursday, September 23, 6:30 -9:30 PM,
Full Participation \$70.00 per person
Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent
Want to get dinner on the table fast? Make a great
sauté with a pan sauce and you'll be done in 30
minutes. Learn the techniques and secrets of pan
sautéing that produce quick flavorful meals.

Sautéed Chicken with Artichokes and Mushrooms
Steak au Poivre with Crispy Garlicky Potatoes
Pork Milanese over Mixed Greens, Multi-Colored
Grape Tomatoes and Pecorino Cheese
Sautéed Salmon with Asian Sauce, Rice Pilaf
and Bok Choy
Bananas Foster with Ice Cream

Couples Cook Together with Kathleen Sanderson Friday, September 24, 7:00-10:00 P.M. Full Participation \$79.00 per person Adults 18 & older, No Children Permitted Couples must register for 2 spaces.

Parmesan Frico, Gorgonzola & Walnut Toasts
Grilled Lemon Herb Chicken and Steak Paillards
Orecchiette Pasta Provencal
Grilled Asparagus with Roasted Red Pepper
Herbed Butter with Bread
Cornmeal Cakes with Grape Compote
and Creme Fraiche

Knife Skills I Workshop with Steven Capodicasa

Full Participation \$75.00 per person Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent Saturday, September 25, 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

Full Participation/ Limited Seating/ Book Early!
This is a sellout class!

This full hands-on technique class is one you cannot miss. Even the best of cooks can benefit from a class where you learn the proper way to use your knives. Selecting the proper knife is essential in staying safe and getting the job done effectively. Chef Steven will teach you the basics while helping to reduce your prep time. Learn all the basics of cutting, slicing, shredding, and mincing. Also learn the proper way to keep your knives well maintained and sharp.

Knife Sharpening only \$3 per knife.

Oktoberfest with Suzanne Lowery Thursday, September 30, 6:30-9:30 PM Full Participation \$70.00 per person Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent

Roasted Potato Leek Soup Pork Schnitzel with Creamy Dill Sauce Spaetzle Noodles, Smoked Bacon Brussels Sprouts Apple-Raspberry Linzer Tarts

Couples Seafood Dinner for a Group with Steven Capodicasa

Friday, October 1, 7:00-10:00 PM Full Participation \$79.00 per person Adults 18 & older, No Children Permitted Couples must register for 2 spaces.

Classic New England Clam Chowder
with Homemade Crackers
Crab Stuffed Shrimp with Creamy Beurre Blanc Sauce
Herb Seared Cod Wrapped in Paper
and served with Citrus Slaw
Creamy Artichoke Risotto
Sautéed Asparagus with Roasted Peppers
Chocolate Crater Cakes
with Raspberry Whipped Cream

New Class Offering
Fun for the Whole Family
Bring the Kids, 8 & older!

'Sundays in the Kitchen'
Fresh Pasta & Homemade Sausage
with Diana Albanese
Sunday, October 3, 3:00-6:00 PM
Full Participation \$70.00 per person
Students 8yrs old & older may enroll with a Parent

You must register each person attending

Learn how to make fresh pasta with different dough's, egg pasta, spinach egg pasta and semolina pasta dough. We will also make fresh homemade sausage from scratch to enjoy in our pasta sauces.

Straw and Hay (paglia e fieno) Mafada Pasta with Sausage and Roasted Sweet Peppers Hand Shaped Orecchiette with Tiny Meatballs and Shaved Pecorino

Handmade Garganelli Pasta with Brown Butter and Parmesan Sauce

Chicken Thighs and Sausage Stew with Cannellini Beans and Escarole One Bowl Chocolate Olive Oil Cake with Whipped Cocoa Cream

Couples Cook - A Taste of Portugal with Daniel C. Rosati Friday, October 8, 7:00-10:00 PM Full Participation \$79.00 per person Adults 18 & older, No Children Permitted Couples must register for 2 spaces.

'Assador de Chouriço ' Grilled Portuguese Chorizo with Brandy 'Berbigão à Bulhão Pato'

Cockles in Green Sauce

'Cataplana' – Zesty Mussels Algarve Style 'Cozido'

Hearty Pork & Vegetable Stew with Chickpeas 'Salada Portuguesa'

Bibb Lettuce, Watercress, Sweet Onion and Tomato Salad

'Tarte de Amêndoa'

Almond Cake with Ruby Port Marinated Berries

Family Comfort Food with Suzanne Lowery Thursday, October 14, 6:30-9:30 PM Full Participation \$70.00 per person Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent

Tomato Soup with Bacon Creamy Macaroni and Four Cheeses Shredded Beef Taco Salad Baked Chicken Parmigiana Gingered Apple Crisp with whipped Cream

Harvest Brunch with Kathleen Sanderson Thursday, November 21, 6:30-9:30 P.M. Full Participation \$70.00 per person Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent

Frittata Loraine (onion, bacon & Gruyere) Kale & Cheddar Scones Sweet & Spicy Bacon Strips Citrus Fruit Salad w/ Pomegranate seeds Oven French Toast w/ Cranberries & Pecan Cinnamon Syrup Flaky Pastry Wrapped Salmon with Herbs & Goat's cheese

Giant Rib-Eye Steak Celebration with Chef Steven Capodicasa Friday, October 22, 7:00-10:00 PM Full Participation \$85.00 per person

Crab-meat cocktail served with lemon aioli Baby greens with chorizo bits and homemade goat cheese croutons Giant Rib Eye Steaks with Steakhouse Bacon Roasted Mediterranean Yukon Gold potatoes Roasted cauliflower with Crispy Herb Breadcrumbs Espresso Raspberry Brownie Torte

> **Couples Autumn Oktoberfest** with Daniel C. Rosati

Saturday, October 30, 6:00-9:00 PM Full Participation \$79.00 per person Adults 18 & older, No Children Permitted Couples must register for 2 spaces.

Buttery Handmade Pretzel Nuggets with Beer Cheese Dip Brandied Butternut Squash Soup with Garlic Sage Croutons Maple & Mustard Crusted Pork Tenderloin with Apple-Cabbage Slaw Bacon Braised Rainbow Swiss Chard Caramel Apple Crisp

A Taste of Thai with Daniel C. Rosati Tuesday, November 2, 6:30-9:30 PM Full Participation \$70.00 per person Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent

> Shrimp & Chicken Lettuce Wraps Pad Thai Beef Satay with Peanut Dipping Sauce

Thai Vegetable Spring Rolls Crispy Pork Wontons with Sweet Chili Dipping Sauce Creamy Coconut Mousse

> **Chef Steven Capodicasa's** Famous Southwest Dinner Saturday, November 6, 6:00-9:00 PM Full Participation \$85.00 per person

Grilled avocados stuffed with Sweet and Spicy Garlic Chipotle grilled chicken Lobster tacos Skirt steak tacos Crispy Cole Slaw Crispy Bacon Mac & Cheese Giant Chocolate Chip Cookies topped with Caramel glaze and Sea salt

Harvest Grilling with Suzanne Lowery Thursday, November 11, 6:30-9:30 PM Full Participation \$70.00 per person Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent

Grilled Herb White Pizzas
Pork Tenderloin with Grilled Plums
Grilled Balsamic Vegetable Salad with Capers and
Goat cheese, Grilled Eggplant Stacks
Grilled Almond Pound Cake with Brown Sugar Cream

Celebrating Julia with Kathleen Sanderson Saturday, November 13, 6:00-9:00 P.M. Full Participation \$79.00 per person Adults 18 & older, No Children Permitted Couples must register for 2 spaces.

Petits Choux Au Fromage (Gougere)
Salad with Roasted Beets & Goat Cheese Vinaigrette
Classic Beef Bourguignon
Roasted Brussels Sprouts
Buttered Noodles
French Bread
Classical Chocolate Soufflé w/ Crème Anglaise

Pot Pie Workshop with Diana Albanese
Thursday, November 18, 6:30 -9:30 PM,
Full Participation \$70.00 per person
Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent
It's impossible not to fantasize about a comforting pot

It's impossible not to fantasize about a comforting pot pie, juicy and flavorful and topped with the best crust. Serve it tonight or freeze it for later, there is nothing like a touch of comfort in American cooking.

Classic Chicken Pot Pie
Individual Shrimp and Crabmeat Pot Pies
Quick Turkey Pot Pie with Cheddar Cheese Crust
Beef Pot Pie with Mashed Potato Crust
Apple Brown Betty with Vanilla Ice Cream

Couples Cook Italian Classics with Daniel C. Rosati Saturday, November 20, 6:00-9:00 PM Full Participation \$79.00 per person

Adults 18 & older, No Children Permitted Couples must register for 2 spaces.

Warm Crostini with Spinach Pesto and Creamy Fontina Bucatini all'Amatriciana Chicken Scapariello Crispy Rosemary Red Potatoes Braised Baby Broccoli with Garlic

& Zesty Red Pepper Chocolate Hazelnut Torta

Couples Cook French Country Kitchen with Daniel C. Rosati

Saturday, November 27, 6:00-9:00 PM Full Participation \$79.00 per person Adults 18 & older, No Children Permitted Couples must register for 2 spaces.

Savory Bacon & Onion Tart
Haricot Vert, Beet & Arugula Salad
with Walnuts & Creamy Chèvre
Chopped Sirloin "Steaks Hache"
with Wild Mushroom Sauce
Pan Roasted Potatoes Fondant
Provencal Stuffed Tomatoes
Rustic Apple Cake

New Class Offering
Fun for the Whole Family
Bring the Kids, 8 & older!
'Sundays in the Kitchen'
Italian American Family Cooking
with Diana Albanese
Sunday, November 28, 3:00-6:00 PM
Full Participation \$70.00 per person
Students 8yrs old & older may enroll with a Parent
You must register each person attending

Here is a menu that exemplifies Italian American home cooking at its best. This class is about the food we all crave all year round. Learn techniques for making braciole, stuffing artichokes and frying rice balls. We will end our meal with a cannoli that will taste better than any you can buy from a bakery.

Antipasto Bruschetta
Arancini (Fried Rice Balls)
Sunday Gravy with Braciole, Meatballs
and Homemade Cavatelli
Fresh and Slow Roasted Fennel Salad
Stuffed Artichokes
Cannoli

Crown Roast Entertainment Dinner with Chef Steven Capodicasa Friday, December 3, 7:00-10:00 PM Full Participation \$85.00 per person

Lobster Bisque with Gruyere stuffed pastry pillows
Baby greens with roasted shallot vinaigrette
and goat cheese croutons
Crown roast of Pork
with cornbread and pancetta stuffing
Oven roasted Brussels sprouts with bacon croutons
Chocolate Peppermint Crème Brule

International Feast of the Seven Fishes with Daniel C. Rosati

Wednesday, December 8, 6:30-9:30 PM Full Participation \$70.00 per person Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent

Miniature Cod Cakes with Remoulade Sauce
Classic Linguine with "Manhattan" Red Clam Sauce
Oyster Gratin Rockefeller
Baked Stuffed Mussels
Calamari & White Bean Salad
Baked Salmon with Spicy Jalapeño Tomato Sauce
Sautéed Shrimp in Montpellier Butter Sauce

Do-Ahead Cookie Baking with Kathleen Sanderson Thursday, December 9, 6:30-9:30 P.M. Full Participation \$70.00 per person Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent

Pecan Sandwich Cookies
Raspberry or Apricot
Cream Cheese Dough with Variations:
Pecan Tassies & Rugalach
Biscotti with Variations:
Hazelnut Orange, Cranberry Pecan,
Almond Anise, Lemon Pistachio

Do-Ahead Holiday Dinner
with Suzanne Lowery
Friday, December 10, 7-10 PM
Full Participation \$85.00 per person
Adults 18 & older, No Children Permitted
Couples must register for 2 spaces.

Crab Cakes with Lemon Remoulade
Spinach and Bacon Potatoes Au Gratin
Pan Seared Horseradish Stuffed Beef Filets
with Cabernet Sauce
White chocolate Mousse with
Almond Lace Cookies and Raspberry Sauce

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Holiday Cookie Workshop with Daniel C. Rosati

Sunday, December 12, 9:00 AM-1:00 PM
Full Participation
Limited Enrollment \$85.00 per person
High School Students may enroll with a Parent

Come and join Daniel as he guides the class in preparing the various types of dough and baking a luscious assortment of wonderful holiday cookies that we will then divide up so you can take them home just in time for your holiday celebration.

Carmelitas - Caramel, Oatmeal, Chocolate, and Pecan Bars Orange Scented Soft Biscotti Coconut Cream Cheese Cookies Peanut Butter White Chocolate Chip Cookies Funfetti Crinkle Cookies Gingerdoodles Biscoff Cookies

*We will be providing containers or cookie tins that we will pack up the cookies baked in class for students to enjoy at home. *

Hors d'oeuvres for the Holidays with Diana Albanese

Thursday, December 16, 6:30 -9:30 PM, Full Participation \$75.00 per person Children ages 10 & up may enroll with a Parent

Learn techniques and do ahead features that will surely put you at ease for your next cocktail party, open house or serve these as an appetizer course during the holidays.

Brie Wrapped in Puff Pastry
with Caramel and Nuts
Mini Shrimp and Scallops Cakes
with Romesco Sauce
Asian Pork Meatballs in Wonton Cups
Seared Beef Tenderloin
and Caramelized Onion Bruschetta
Roasted Carrot Hummus with Pomegranates and
Spicy Homemade Pita Chips
Semolina Polenta Tartlets with Blue Cheese
Lemon and Raspberry Tartlets

Holiday Seafood Dinner with Chef Steven Capodicasa Friday, December 17, 7:00-10:00 PM Full Participation \$85.00 per person

Cioppino (Italian Fish stew served with grilled sourdough bread & roasted garlic aioli) Grilled jumbo shrimp wrapped in smoky bacon served with chilled Yukon gold potato salad Grilled black & white sesame coated Ahi tuna with chilled bowtie pasta salad and pickled ginger dressing Grilled clams with bacon butter Classic Sponge Cake with Ganache frosting

New Saturday Class Offering Fun for the Whole Family Bring the Kids, 8 & older! 'Family's Cook Together in the Kitchen' Fresh Pasta & Pizza with Diana Albanese Saturday, December 18, 3:00-6:00 PM Full Participation \$70.00 per person Students 8yrs old & older may enroll with a Parent *You must register each person attending* Everyone loves to eat tender fresh pasta and freshly made pizza with a chewy and crisp crust. Diana Albanese will show you how to make fresh pasta and pizza just like her Nonna showed her. This class encourages curiosity and adventures in cooking. Herb Ricotta with Roasted Tomato Bruschetta Pizza Margherita Pizza with Caramelized Onions, Cheese and Arugula **Farfalle with Spinach Pesto**

Gift Certificates Make Great Gifts! Order on-line at www.classicthyme.com

Fettuccine with Bolognese Sauce

Bombolini (Italian Donuts) with Chocolate Sauce



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Private Group Cooking Classes



Select a Chef Select a Menu

COOKING CHALLENGE PARTY



Chilaquiles Verdes Chicken Enchiladas Black Bean Salsa with Lime Chili Chips Baked Churros

TEAM 2

Spicy Chips with Tomato and Avocado Salsa Chicken Tacos Homemade Ground Beef Tacos Bananas Flambe





Grab an apron and roll up your sleeves. Nothin' like a little competition to heat up the kitchen. Challenge your friends and family members to an outright COOK-OFF.



TEAM 1

Homemade Pasta dough for Noodles Alfredo Sauce Cannoli

TEAM 2

Easy Ricotta Gnocchi with Basilico Sauce Grandma Rafici's Classic Cheese Cake Singles



Corporate Team Building & Private Cooking **Class Parties**



Corporate & Private Cooking Class Parties

Hosting a party at Classic Thyme is a unique way to entertain your guests.

We work with you to design a menu, select a format and customize the activities to suit your needs. Your guests can be prepping and sautéing away or simply enjoying a glass of wine as they watch a culinary demonstration. At Classic Thyme we have hosted events for all occasions:

- Birthdays
- Anniversary
- Wedding Showers
- Rehearsal Dinners
- Baby Showers
- Gourmet Groups
- Civic Groups
- Family Reunions
- School Outings
- A Night Out with Friends



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