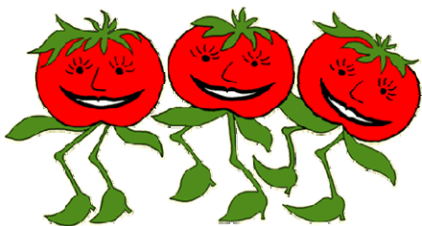


Days of Summer Tomato Festival



B. Y. O. T. (Bring Your Own Tomato)
Bring in your own garden fresh tomato(es) and our chef will prepare a special appetizer using your tomato....free. We do all the work and you get to enjoy your tomato(es) as well as show off your gardening skills.

Royalty members get double points for participating!!!

We'll have special appetizers, entrees and sauces made with a variety of the summers best tomatoes. Beefsteak, heirloom, etc...

The First Week Tomato Fest Menu

Heirloom Tomato Caprese with fresh mozzarella, fresh micro greens, extra virgin olive oil and aged balsamic vinegar

Pan Seared Tilapia over a yellow and red teardrop tomato panzanella and smoked tomato shallot sauce

Char Grilled 18oz New York Strip Steak with garden fresh tomato, caper, olive and gorgonzola insalata

The following weeks menus will be posted in your Joke of the week e-mail

Tomato Recipe Contest.

During August bring us your favorite recipe featuring the tomato and our staff will pick their favorites. If your recipe gets selected we'll send you a \$25.00 gift certificate and put your recipe in our newsletter.

Congratulations to:
Frank Beiriger of Burbank, IL
Winner of the
"Fathers Day Grill Give-Away"

We're Doing It Again!!! ROYALTY MEMBERS Mama Luigi's 500 Gallon Gas Giveaway!



With rising gas prices and Americans having to choose between what activities to enjoy based on how much gasoline they can afford, I thought I might make your decision on where to eat a little easier by providing the gasoline to get here.

I'm going to start with 500 gallons and at about \$3.50 a gallon, that comes to over **\$1700.00 in gasoline I'll be giving away!**

I ordered 500 one gallon gasoline cans like the one in the picture above and was ready to start filling them up with gas when my wife Victoria

said "Are you insane !!! You can't have 500 gallons of gasoline lying around a restaurant. Do you want to blow us all up to kingdom come!" She may have a point there.



So on with plan B.

1. You come in for dinner.
(feel free to bring your friends and family)
2. I give you a shiny new "empty" gasoline can and \$3.50 off your bill
(it's probably safer this way)
3. You enter our "Tank Full" drawing for a \$100.00 gas card and I'll be "tankfull" you came in for dinner and I didn't burn the place down!
(for current royalty members only, one offer per visit).

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7 Rules for Friendly Email

According David Shipley and Will Schwalbe, authors of Send: The Essential Guide to E-Mail for Office and Home (The New Yorker, "Elements of E-style," by Nick Paumgarten), you really should be using exclamation points to be polite and friendly in your e-mails. Here are a few of their recommendations:

1. Assume everything you write will be forwarded.
2. Never forward anything without permission.
3. Thanks!!!! is friendlier than Thanks.
4. Abbreviations like LOL are fine.
5. Emoticons are fine.
6. Don't apologize for something via e-mail. If possible do it in person, or at least over the phone.
7. Don't reprimand someone via e-mail. This should always be done in person if at all possible.

6 Ways to Ease Sunburn

Even though they take precautions, many people will suffer at least one sunburn each summer, says Dr. Dee Anna Glaser, associate professor of dermatology at the St. Louis University School of Medicine. "They forget to reapply sun-block after swimming or they miss spots or they stayed outside longer than expected. A sunburn can be a painful reminder." To ease a burn, she recommends:

- Get out of the sun immediately and stay out of direct sunlight until your skin has recovered -- typically a few weeks.
- Take aspirin or ibuprofen to lessen the pain and inflammation.
- Drink extra water to re-hydrate and replace lost fluid.
- Take a cool bath or shower to unclog pores and let them breathe as much as possible.
- Don't use bubble bath or heavy perfumed cleaners and don't scrub your skin, which will only further irritate it.
- Don't pick off peeling skin because this could result in infections.

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Triple Points Stamp
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Use this stamp on your
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Be the Hero at Your Summer Picnic

There is no easier way to have a Summer BBQ than to have Your Restaurant Cater it!

Sport Team Wind-ups

Company Parties

Family Reunions

Anniversaries and Birthdays

Top 5 Reasons to Choose Us:

1. You won't have to set-up, cook or clean-up. Just enjoy the party.
2. We'll offer you an opportunity to taste the menu prior to booking the party
3. We guarantee that we won't run out of food, or you will not pay a dime for our services.
4. The cost can be as little as \$6.50 per meal.
5. We'll let you take all the credit and offer you a thank-you of a **FREE** dinner for two just as a token of our appreciation.

Just dial 708-496-0900 and ask to speak to Eddie or Rosia to have a menu faxed immediately or view it at our website, www.mamaluigis.com 24 hours a day.

A Steady Pace Wins the Race

You can get a lot of things accomplished with a slower, steady, balanced and consistent approach to **life**. You will find yourself doing a better job with the task at hand and having fun with it again. You will accomplish the right things with a relaxed, calm, steady pace. You might even find yourself being more effective and focused because you have slowed down enough to have the **time** to think, plan, and organize.

Don't Do This While You Drive

According to the most recent numbers from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, inattentive driving is the fourth highest contributing factor relating to fatal crashes.

What are we so distracted by? A Progressive Auto Insurance survey shows what we're doing while we drive:

- **69 percent** of us eat behind the wheel
- **44 percent** of us use a cell phone
- **12 percent** apply makeup (18.7 percent of women and 1.3 percent of men) or shave (5.5 percent men and 2.1 percent women)
- **7 percent** read a book or newspaper.

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It's Your Party

Sampling The Food Before The Event

You would be surprised how many people call up a caterer and book an event without tasting the food. This is critical. What happens if the food is not what you expect? You leave yourself open to looking bad in front of all your guests and their family. Believe it or not more people will remember the "cold, tasteless food", rather than the true meaning of this special event, a day of camaraderie and friendship.

You get to **"Try Before You Buy"** here at **Mama Luigi's**

Mama Luigi's guarantees our food to be just as you sampled when you booked your banquet or catered event or you don't pay for it!

Call 708-496-0900 for a "guaranteed" great party.

Girl Stuff









"Meet Me At Mama's"

Night Out

Call your girlfriends and get together to catch up with your relationships.

Every Friday Night in the lounge the girls take over with half price drinks and appetizers so you can have all the fun at **half price FRIDAY NIGHTS !!!!**

AUGUST CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Happy belated birthday to Cheryl Nutley	1 	2 \$2.00 Margaritas At the BAR	3 Girls "Meet Me At Mama's" Nite Out	4 Use Your Triple Points Stamp Tonight!
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