

ChicaGourmets!



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Abbondanza Luncheon with Nancy and John

**Book Signing Featuring
Chef John Coletta's New**

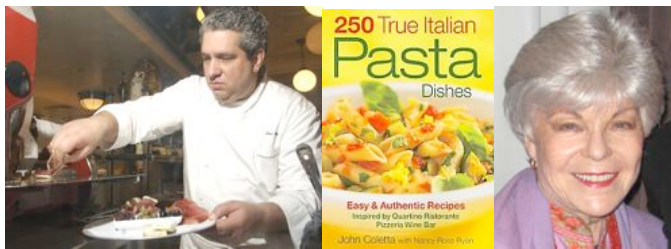
250 True Italian Pasta Dishes

with Nancy Ross Ryan

(Book available for purchase at the event)

Saturday, June 26, 2010 at Noon

Beginning with Wine Reception & Book Signing



For hundreds of years, pasta dishes have been the family favorites that home cooks rely on. **250 TRUE ITALIAN PASTA DISHES** provides key instructions, skills and great recipes for authentic Italian pasta dishes. These easy-to-prepare recipes range from old favorites to personal innovations, each carefully tested by the renowned chef John Coletta.

Nancy Ross Ryan has coauthored **The Berghoff Family Cookbook**, **The Berghoff Café Cookbook**, **All New Joy of Cooking** bread chapter, and **Great Chefs: The Louisiana New Garde**. In 1996 she opened Fresh Food Writing, based in Chicago, and specializes in food writing, consulting, recipe testing and development for a variety of clients.



CHEF JOHN COLETTA'S MENU

RECEPTION

Aperol Spritz

Harry's American Bar Classic Bellini

Sea Scallop "Crudo" with Fennel Salad,
Blood Orange and Arugula Pesto

Fava Bean "in Carrozza"

Grilled Zucchini and Sun-Dried Tomatoes

Crostini of Shrimp and Cannellini Beans

Chilled Asparagus Soup with Parmigiano Reggiano Frico

LUNCH MENU

Bianco & Rosso Antica Osteria

Bagna Caoda

Assortment of Olives

Fava e Chicori

Polenta Fries with Red Bell Pepper Salsa

Roasted Beet Salad with Ricotta Salata & Walnuts

Fettuccine with Radicchio

Bigoli with Speck and Broccoli

Orecchiette with Pork Sausage Ragù

Baked Crespelle with Cod Ragù

Strawberry Zabaglione

Cannoli Siciliani

Tripolini with Dried Fruits and Pistachios

Biscotti

Quartino is an urban Italian neighborhood restaurant and wine bar offering authentic regional Italian food and wine in a lively, welcoming atmosphere with attentive and personable service.

ChicaGourmets Hosts Don Newcomb & Jim Price

Join *ChicaGourmets!* Membership is \$45 per year per household.

Please reserve online at www.ChicaGourmets.org Discover, MasterCard and Visa Accepted

Prepaid reservations must be received by 6/23/10; no refunds after that date.

Reservations are secured with receipt of payment on a first-come basis. Events often sell out early!

NEW E-mail: donaldnewcomb@att.net **Web Site:** www.chicagourmets.org **Tel:** 708-383-7543

For non-internet reservations, mail to: ChicaGourmets! Premier Bank, 1210 Central Ave, Wilmette, IL 60091

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06/26/10**

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