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for Taste

for Health

for Convenience



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International Pasta Organisation: Mission & Activities

The International Pasta Organization was founded in Barcelona on World Pasta Day 2005 – October 25, 2005 – and was formally organized in Rome on World Pasta Day 2006 – October 25, 2006.

Mission:

The International Pasta Organization (IPO) is a nonprofit association dedicated to:

1. Educating consumers, health professionals, journalists, government officials and others about pasta (health, taste and convenience).
2. Increasing consumption of traditional pasta around the world.

Activities:

In order to carry out this mission, the IPO:

1. Organizes research, promotional and educational programs (such as World Pasta Day) about pasta.
2. Collects and distributes information about pasta (nutritional, statistical and other information) in different countries.
3. Organizes a Scientific Advisory Board (a panel of experts in nutrition, healthcare and physical activity) who educate consumers and others through the media, conferences, research, publications, workshops, and other related activities.

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World Pasta Day – October 25th



Add this delicious holiday to your calendar!

WORLD PASTA DAY – PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE!

At the World Congress on Pasta, held in Rome on the 25th day of October in 1995, pasta makers from around the world enthusiastically agreed that pasta – a healthy, delicious, popular, familiar and convenient food – deserved annual worldwide recognition.

Every year since, in countries around the globe, World Pasta Day has been celebrated on October 25th. This celebration of World Pasta Day draws increasing attention to the merits and benefits of pasta – its great taste, its healthfulness and its simple convenience – for people everywhere.

Join families, chefs and restaurants around the world every year on October 25th and celebrate World Pasta Day by trying a new recipe or two, or an old family-favorite, with your friends and family. And don't forget that the magical merits of pasta – taste, health and convenience – are worthy of celebration all year long!

For more information on World Pasta Day, on pasta and pasta meals:

www.internationalpasta.org
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