

Potato - Vegetable Chowder

1 cup chopped carrots
1 medium onion, chopped
2 Tbsp oil
3 Tbsp flour
2 cups whole milk
1 (10 3/4 oz) can chicken broth
1 (10 oz) package frozen broccoli, thawed
4 cups frozen Southern style hash browns
1 cup shredded sharp cheddar cheese
3/4 tsp salt
1/2 tsp pepper

Sauté carrots and onions in oil over medium-high heat. Add flour and cook, whisking constantly, 1 minute. Whisk in 1 cup of milk and the 1 can of broth until blended. Stir in remaining milk, broccoli, potatoes; cook over medium heat 7 minutes.

Stir in cheese, salt, pepper; cook 5 minutes. Serve sprinkled with more cheese and bacon bits, if desired.

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