# August 2021

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## State Fair

The Wisconsin State Fair is back this year after having to be cancelled last year due to Covid. It starts Thursday, August 5th and runs through Sunday, August 15th. There is always plenty to do at the fair. Whether you want to check out the animals, listen to live music, experience the rides, or just want to eat all the delicious food. There are nearly 70 new food items at the fair this year. Some of the new stand outs that are up for Sporkie awards are Polish sausage hush puppies, cinnamon roll bacon cheese curds, peanut butter squealer which is a breakfast sausage in a waffle with peanut butter and bacon, and lastly the deep fried Wisconsin fish fry. This is all the elements of a fish fry rolled up into one deep fried log. August 10th is Crazy Grazin' Day which has food items at a discount if you want to sample many items.

Some of the big bands preforming this year include Foreigner, The Beach Boys and Brothers Osborn. If you want more information visit the fairs website at <a href="https://wistatefair.com/fair/">https://wistatefair.com/fair/</a>

### **AUGUST FUN FACTS**

- The first Wisconsin State Fair was in 1851 in Janesville
- Abraham Lincoln spoke at the 1859 Wisconsin State Fair
- The State fair has been held in West Allis since 1892
- Cream Puffs were introduced to the State Fair in 1924.
- About 350,000 cream puffs are consumed at the State Fair every year.
- On Aug. 1, 1981 MTV network debuted on cable television, actually playing music videos 24 hours a day.
- On Aug. 21, 1911, the Mona Lisa was stolen from the Louvre Gallery

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Would you like to schedule a progress appointment with Jay? Call Ashleigh at 262-408-5820 to set up an appointment.



Wishing all our clients born in August splendid birthday.
Cheers to another! great year!

The celebs celebrating ...
8/3 Martha Stewart turns 80
8/4 Megan Markle turns 40
8/11 Chris Hemsworth turns 37
8/14 Halle Berry turns 54
8/15 Jennifer Lawrence turns 30
8/16 Steve Carell turns 58
8/17 Robert De Niro turns 77
8/25 Blake Lively turns 33

## Asian Coleslaw

- 6 tablespoons rice wine vinegar
- 6 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 5 tablespoons creamy peanut butter
- 3 tablespoons soy sauce
- 3 tablespoons brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons minced fresh ginger root
- 1 ½ tablespoons minced garlic
- 5 cups thinly sliced green

#### cabbage

- 2 cups thinly sliced red cabbage
- 2 cups shredded napa cabbage
- 2 red bell peppers, thinly sliced
- 2 carrots, julienned
- 6 green onions, chopped
- ½ cup chopped fresh cilantro

### **Directions**

1. In a medium bowl, whisk together the rice vinegar, oil, peanut butter, soy sauce, brown sugar, ginger, and garlic. In a large bowl, mix the green cabbage, red cabbage, napa cabbage, red bell peppers, carrots, green onions, and cilantro. Toss with the peanut butter mixture just before serving.



### A Message From Jay

Welcome to August!

This summer seems to by flying by. We have had a lot of hot, humid weather recently, but it seems to have cooled down a little bit for the beginning of August. Sports are in full swing too. The Milwaukee Bucks won their first NBA Championship in 50 years in a thrilling playoff run led by their best player, Giannis Antetokounmpo. I didn't attend any of the playoff games, but was down in the Deer District for one of the games. I also got to their victory parade with my son Zach and his friends. It was an awe-some atmosphere!

The Brewers continue to play well and their hitting is starting to catch up to their outstanding pitching staff. They have remained in  $1^{\rm st}$  place in the NL Central and hope to build on that lead this month. The Packers have started training camp and Aaron Rodgers is ready to start another exciting season with the team.

My daughter Becky was home from Washington D. C, for about 9 days and it was great to have her home for a long visit. She got to see a lot of friends and relatives. Her and I went to a Brewer game including some good old-fashioned tailgating! We celebrated Christmas in July with my wife Sara's side of the family and everyone was there except one niece who was in Europe. We also got to celebrate my in-laws 60th wedding anniversary. Very special! It was great to spend the weekend with the whole family as it gets harder to do with people living in different parts of the country.

Please let us know if you'd like a Packer/Badger magnet schedule.

Be well, Jay



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