## Game Day Spinach Pull Apart

## Description

A perfect recipe for game day or gathering of family or friends. Very easy to prepare.

## Ingredients

- 3 tbsps butter, melted
- 1 1/2 tsps garlic powder
- 8 ozs cream cheese (8 oz packages), softened
- 1 cup mayonaise
- 1/4 cup grated parmesan cheese
- 1/2 cup mozzarella cheese, shredded
- 12 ozs Frozen Spinach thawed ( well drained), chopped
- 3 large fresh basil leaves chopped or 2 tsp. dried
- 1 tsp black pepper
- 1 tsp kosher salt
- 2 cans 8 oz. of Pillsbury crescent rolls, garlic butter if you can find it
- 1 cup marinara sauce heated

## Instructions

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°
- 2. Spray a 12 cup fluted tube cake pan with crisco cooking spray.
- 3. In a small bowl, mix butter and 1/2 tsp. garlic powder.

4. In a large bowl, mix cream cheese, mayonnaise, parmesan, mozzarella, spinach, basil, pepper and remaining 1 tsp. garlic powder. Blend well.

- 5. Unroll crescent dough and separate into 16 triangles.
- 6. Cut each triangle in half lengthwise to make a total of 32 small triangles.
- 7. Stretch or press each triangle slightly, being careful not to tear it.
- 8. Spoon 1 TBsp. of the spinach mixture onto the center of each triangle.
- 9. Pull the dough around mixture and form a ball.
- 10. Press edges to seal, you should have 32 balls.
- 11. Roll each ball in butter mixture and layer in pan.
- 12. Bake 35-40 minutes or until golden brown.
- 13. Cool for 5 minutes.

14. Place a heat proof serving plate upside down over the pan and turn plate and pan over. Remove pan and cool 10 minutes.

15. Serve warm with marinara sauce.