

# Hey Camp Chefs!

Monthly Newsletter

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## Greetings From Ponce Inlet, FL

As we continue to plan our year on the road to complete our upcoming adventure cookbook we're mingling in and around our hometown area. There's truly thousands of things to see and do on Florida's east coast that would make for a fun adventure for anyone. Whether you are here with us as a local, just moved to the area or you're thinking of a visit- stick with <https://:RVCampChefs.com> throughout this Spring season for amazing ideas and a glimpse of not only adventures through food but valuable insight about the area.

There are three iconic Lighthouses on the central east coast of FL within approx. 60 miles from each other. The Ponce de Leon Lighthouse is the tallest in the state at 175 ft. tall. Located in and around a pristine park with museum and gift shop you won't want to miss this adventure if you're in the area. The other two lights are St. Augustine Lighthouse to the north and Cape Canaveral Lighthouse to the south. Our current subscribers know we fancy lighthouses as adventurers and enjoy not only the history but the importance they bring to the world of maritime navigation. After visiting the lighthouse at Ponce Inlet you can venture out to the inlet itself and walk the jetty where fishermen have made world class catches for nearly a century. You can also comb the beach for miles, watch surfers ride the swell AND you can also drive on the beach! This is the southern end of "The World's Most Famous Beach" (Daytona Beach). "We have A LOT to share in 2024 as we hit the road from our hometown in Ormond Beach, FL. Please visit, subscribe and get ACTIVE however you see fit. Hopefully we'll see you out there to ask you "Hey Camp Chefs!- What's Cookin'?" ~Chef L.B. 3/2024



### Keep visiting for 1st takes!

Log on to our site to see "A friend's Farewell" 1st take by L.B.



### Adventure is best on a whim...

Beach combing in Ormond Beach, FL!



Inspiration from FlaglerBeach, FL May 2024!

## About the photos in this issue!

"We always display original content through experiences we've actually had."

[RVCampChefs.com](http://RVCampChefs.com) works hard to inspire our visitors. We always display original content through experiences we've actually had. Although the cover photo (pg. 1) is a retro photo from one of our many visits to the Ponce de Leon Lighthouse, it still remains almost identical today. We LOVE our original shot and enjoy sharing it. There's a farmer's market held on Saturdays here. Watch our website for fresh finds and inspiration of preparing fresh whole foods after gathering on an adventure! You can visit [www.PonceInlet.org](http://www.PonceInlet.org) to learn more before your visit.

Ponce Inlet connects the Atlantic Ocean to the intra-coastal waterway. The Halifax River is part of the intra-coastal waterway and leads south all the way to the FL Keys and north to New York. While the river names change as you follow by map or navigate from a vessel- its all connected! Our shot of the river (pg.2 ) is from a friend's condominium dock in Daytona Beach. Below you'll see two photos of chef L.B.'s homemade manicotti. A traditional dish that gives accolades to his Italian/American heritage but there's a slight spin on the ingredients. Read about it below! You'll see a FULL adventure story coming soon on [https://:RVCampChefs.com](https://RVCampChefs.com) about gathering some of the ingredients for this amazing meal.



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Thank you all for your continued support. At [RVCampChefs.com](http://RVCampChefs.com) we continue to make it our goal to share experiences that inspire others. With inspiration comes memories, knowledge and traditions that will last a lifetime.

While gaining these experiences for yourself you can shine positive light on hardworking people. Supporting them in a way that takes the whole adventure to an elevated level. This type of support only happens through a grassroots approach (the human connection). Each journey is different for everyone... but all the same its a journey, make it count. See you soon! ~Chef L.B.

## HOMEMADE MANICOTTI

Fresh organic tomatoes and parsley were gathered at a local farmer's market to prepare this dish. The manicotti shells were created homemade from Bob's Redmill semolina flour and farm raised eggs! You won't want to miss this traditional favorite in our upcoming cookbook. There's a spin on traditional manicotti filling (spinach and mushrooms) that is out of this world!

The full recipe along with an adventure story of gathering ingredients will be included in our "RV Camp Chefs' Adventures Through Food" cookbook available late fall 2024. For now we'll see you on <https://:RVCampChefs.com>

