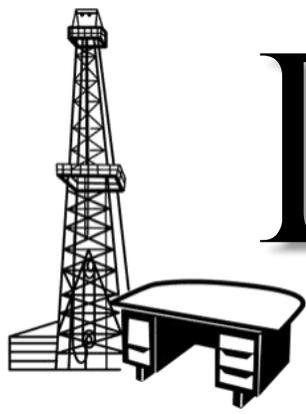


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OUR PURPOSE

The purpose of the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs is to promote the education and professional development of individuals employed in or affiliated with the petroleum, energy and allied industries and to educate the general public about these industries.

OUR MISSION:

Our mission is to enhance and foster a positive image to the global community by promoting the contribution of the petroleum, energy and allied industries through education by using all resources available.

Online Resources

Club Website:

www.ddlafayette.org

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/deskandderrickcluboflafayette

ADDC Website:

www.addc.org

DESK AND DERRICK CLUB OF LAFAYETTE

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Due to the current health situation concerning COVID-19, and in the best interest of our members and families, our Desk and Derrick Club meeting scheduled for April 2020, is CANCELLED.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 20, 2020. We will continue to monitor the situation as to if we are able to meet.

Where: Petroleum Club of Lafayette

Cost: \$20 cash/check or \$23 if paying with credit card.

All members have a standing reservation for dinner. If you are unable to attend, CANCEL your reservation by emailing House at

ddlafayettehouse@gmail.com

You will be charged for dinner if you FAIL TO CANCEL by the deadline of 10:00 A.M. on the day of the meeting.

“Believe in yourself and all that you are. Know that there is something inside of you that is greater than any obstacle.” - Christian D. Larson



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And just like that, life as we knew it, was changed forever.

I read through my March letter and thought to myself, I am now in the Twilight Zone. What a difference 30 days have made! In my gavel acceptance speech in Kansas City, I said I wanted 2020 to be remembered for more than just ADDC having its first male president. I wasn't thinking anything nearly this extreme.

To catch up on what has happened in the past month, for the safety of our members, decisions were made to cancel all four of our physical region meetings. The regions will handle 2020 business such as Region Director election, by teleconference or other electronic means. These were tough decisions...none of us wanted to miss a region meeting. We had concerns about host clubs and the region funds losing money from deposits made for hotels and events, not to mention the many hours of planning and legwork done by members of the clubs. But fortunately, there was very little financial impact, and we'll all be able to stay healthier as a result.

For now, we still don't have any current plans to cancel the 2020 Convention in Pittsburgh, PA in September. But we will be monitoring the situation over the next few months to ensure we take whatever steps are necessary to make the best decision for the Association and its members.

The Board is very concerned about our members and wants to stress that under the current crisis, we encourage you to do everything you can to practice social distancing, as it is crucial to reducing the spread of COVID-19 and ensuring your safety. For 2020, our clubs WILL NOT be penalized for failing to meet the normal required number of programs. We encourage clubs to postpone physical meetings until this crisis is over. If your club can find a way to hold meetings by video chat or other electronic means, it will be a great way to keep members engaged, but since many of our members may be unable to use this technology, it certainly is just optional.

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March was Desk and Derrick Awareness Month, the time we usually are working hard to bring in new members. Obviously, without having meetings to bring guests to, we haven't been able to do our usual membership drive activities. But let's not forget once things get back to normal and we begin having physical meetings again, it will be very important to try and get some new members in. I've already heard about some members being laid off, and our membership numbers are already fragile, so we need to do whatever we can to try and offset membership losses with some new members if possible. With all this social distancing, we should have plenty of spare time to brainstorm on ways to promote our organization and our clubs. <wink>

Until next month, please take care of yourself. Don't put yourself in any unnecessary risk. You are all very important to me. I want to see you all again...hopefully in Pittsburgh!

"Well done is better than well said." Benjamin Franklin



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Dear Members,

As you all are aware, we are now living in a very volatile environment regarding the COVID-19 virus. Events in the future are unknown and will remain in flux as we move further into this pandemic.

All four of the Region Meetings have been cancelled. The Sea Cruise Southeast Region in April was to be rescheduled to May 29-30, but it has officially been cancelled. This was a very difficult decision but the health and safety of our members is our top priority.

Our Desk and Derrick family is a strong and caring group of individuals. We should all keep in contact with fellow members. There are many ways to stay informed and in touch to be sure our D&D friends are okay: ADDC website, Facebook, Facetime, each club's Facebook page, and other forms of social media. Stay home, keep safe social distance, and provide or get needed moral and emotional support.

I will continue to check on the Region Presidents regularly. Soon, your presidents will receive an e-mail with the Region Reports, Regional Awards of Merit results, and pertinent information requiring voting by club delegates.

The Association Board is continuing their monthly conference call meetings; I will bring up any concerns or business raised by the region clubs and keep our members informed of what is going on in the Association.

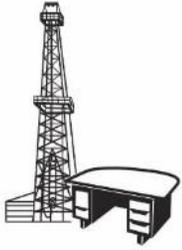
Remember, we have time now to write cards and letters, surf the internet, visit the ADDC Website and browse around to familiarize yourself with the new format, find forms, read reports, and read about the ADDC's interesting history. You can also visit other clubs' websites and Facebook pages; keep up on what's happening in the clubs throughout the Association; find educational online resources for virtual meetings; and stay connected.

I send wishes that all of our members stay safe, pay attention to medical and scientific advice, and stay well-informed about this ever-changing situation.

Virtual hugs to everyone,

Susan

P.S. Some members are planning on re-booking their cruise using Carnival's future cruise credits sometime in late January 2021. We will keep you informed of details and options, if you are interested in re-booking your cruise and joining the other members



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As I write this letter, I am sitting at the computer at home instead of my office and wondering when we will return to our regular activities. We have added some new words and phrases to our vocabularies Coronavirus, COVID-19, Social Distancing, Stay-At-Home Order, and Working Remotely. We are continuously monitoring the health and wellness of ourselves, our families, our friends, and essentially everyone in our city, state, country, and world. We are taking the precautions necessary to protect ourselves from illness. I would never have expected to be in this situation.

It is encouraging to know that we can adapt our lifestyles so effectively. We have become capable of working remotely as needed. We appreciate those with essential jobs who must continue to work outside the home in some cases putting their own health at risk. My hope is that we will persevere through these challenging times and keep a positive attitude for the future.

I missed seeing everyone last month as our March meeting had to be cancelled. And, unfortunately, our April meeting has also been cancelled. We will remain in touch with you to share news updates and business that comes up while we are apart and look forward to gathering together again when we are past this crisis. Please know that we will not plan to meet together physically until we are certain that it will not put anyone at risk. Your health is of the utmost importance.

Our hearts are sad due to the loss of our friend and fellow club member Linda Wilson. Please keep her daughter Tifani Leal and her family in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

The Southeast Region Meeting and all other region meetings have been cancelled. All region business including Region Reports and Awards will be shared via email. It is always exciting to learn the winners of the AIMEE awards! I will share the news with all of you as soon as it is received.

Stay home and stay safe.
We will see each other again soon!

Love you!

Angela Cutrera

APRIL

We welcome guests to attend one monthly meeting per calendar year with the option of becoming a member.

Please email guest information to ddlafayettehouse@gmail.com if you would like to have a guest attend.

**House Chair
JoAnn Aldridge**

April Birthdays

Lori Landry 4/24
Vickie Chauvin 4/26

April Birthdays

Tifani Leal 5/2
Kristian BreauX 5/11
Jennifer Accardo 5/14
Kylie Sellers 5/16
Delvie Hemphill 5/30

Reminder:

Birthday and guests pictures will be taken at the end of the meeting. Please see Brittney Clark.



MARCH BIRTHDAYS



Due to Covid-19 we do not have a 2020 picture. This picture was taken in 2019

Pictured: Nicoleta Paval, Sarah Hulin, and Ada Weeks

Not Pictured: Joyce Maxwell and Barbra Dronet



In Loving Memory Of

Linda Wilson

December 10, 1949 - April 13, 2020



*Your wings were ready,
but our hearts were not.*



QUARANTINE & SOCIAL DISTANCING



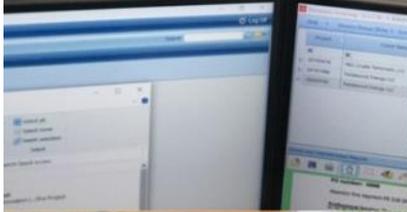
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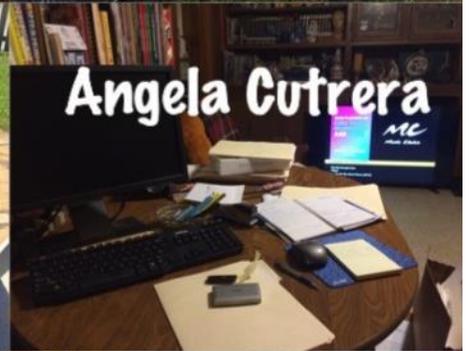
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HELLO APRIL

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			BOD Meeting CANCELLED			Seminar- Postponed
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
					Good Friday	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Happy Easter! 						
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
			D & D Meeting CANCELLED		Lori Landry 	
26	27	28	29	30		
Vicki Chauvin 						



Record low oil and gas prices a concern for the 15k industry workers in Acadiana

by: Renee Allen Posted: Apr 21, 2020 / 07:35 PM CDT / Updated: Apr 21, 2020 / 07:35 PM CDT

LAFAYETTE, La. (KLFY) Low prices at the gas pump can equal troubling times for oil and gas industry workers. Sheltering at home has led to a lack of demand for gas.

Mike Moncla, owner of Moncla Energy Services of Lafayette says Lafayette is the service side of the oil and gas industry.

If prices are too low to produce oil, then there's less of need of to have as many workers.

That's the fear.

"Not having a paycheck obviously and not being able to support their family. A lot of people especially people who are my age figure if there are no oilfield jobs what am I going to do? A lot of people have been doing this for so long and it's all they know," Moncla explained.

Moncla says once the pandemic passes a lingering effect could remain.

According to the Louisiana Oil & Gas Association, Acadiana has roughly 15,000 workers directly tied to oil and gas.

That's an estimated \$1.3 billion dollars in wages that could be in jeopardy.

"We weren't making our money at forty dollar oil and much less minus 37 from yesterday. It's going to be a long road for the service side for sure," Moncla noted.

Mark Miller, Owner of Merlin Oil & Gas based in Lafayette started out in the business nearly 40 years ago.

"For those of us who have made our entire careers in the oil and gas business and looking toward that day when we no longer do it; that day has moved just further down the field," Miller said.

However, for Miller there's an optimistic outlook but sobering reality.

He says the industry fluctuates and companies have overcome but it's going to take work to get there.

"I'm no expert but I have been in the business for a longtime. Now we're looking at third and fourth quarter to see world prices began to rebound perhaps in the next year; but what do we do between now and then. That's going to be the tough part. That's where we are going to have to put our heads together," Miller added.

LOGA President Gifford Briggs says decisive action is needed.

LOGA is calling for severance tax relief, legal relief from the coastal lawsuits and offshore royalty reliefs.

Source: KLFY

https://oilandgas.einnews.com/article/515171955?lcf=NNvhReVCtm8lOQV6Do_KXhENcJ2Q7-oORUXR4xwCrSo%3D



2020 RIG COUNT



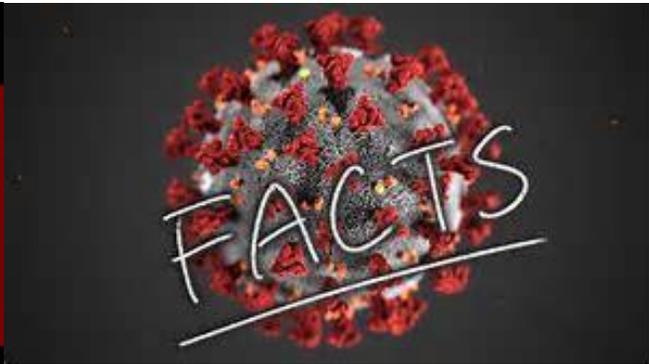
Latest Week : 4/17/2020

Alaska	3
California	8
Colorado	16
Kansas	0
Louisiana	41 (down by 6 from last month)
New Mexico	84
North Dakota	34
Ohio	9
Oklahoma	24
Pennsylvania	25
Texas	262
Utah	5
West Virginia	10
Wyoming	6

**Total US Rig Count: 527
787 (Down by 260 from last month)**

Source: bakerhughes.com

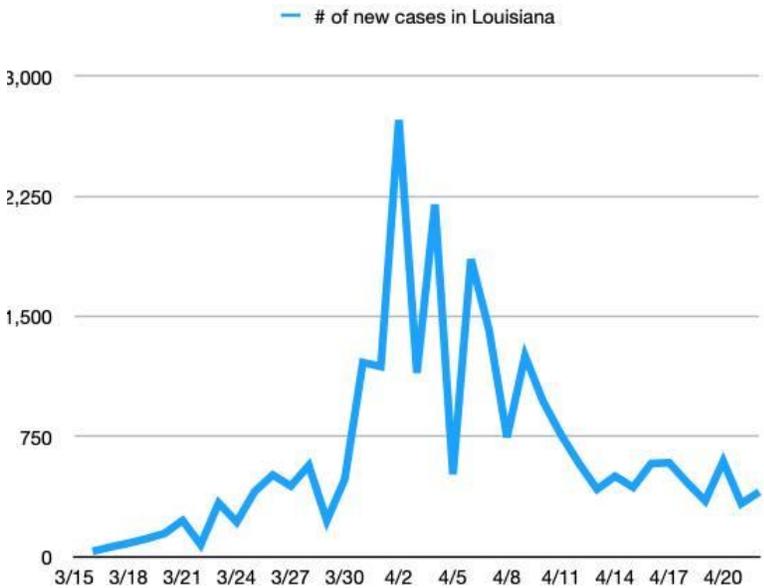
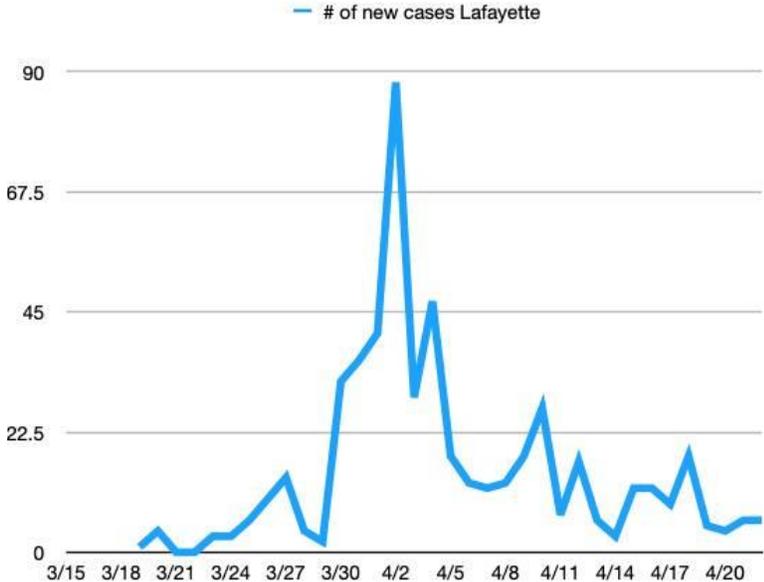
COVID-19 UPDATE



Louisiana Coronavirus Data as of 4/22/2020

CoVID 19 Louisiana and Lafayette Parish Cases

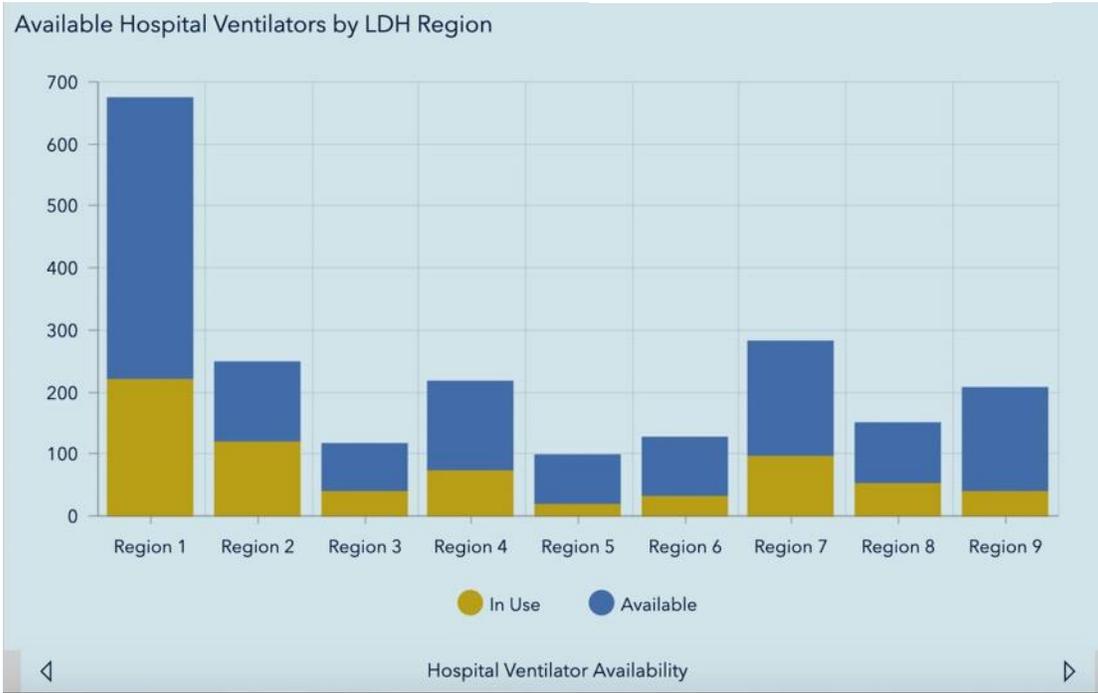
Date	Louisiana Cases	# of new cases	# of Hospitalizations	# on ventilators	Deaths	Tests Completed	Negative tests	Lafayette Parish Cases	# of new cases
3/15	103								
3/16	136	33							
3/17	196	60							
3/18	280	84						2	
3/19	392	112						3	1
3/20	537	145						7	4
3/21	763	226						6	0
3/22	837	74						6	0
3/23	1172	335						9	3
3/24	1388	216						12	3
3/25	1795	407						20	6
3/26	2305	510						30	10
3/27	2746	441						44	14
3/28	3315	569						48	4
3/29	3540	225						50	2
3/30	4025	485	1158	385	185	34033	30008	82	32
3/31	5237	1212	1355	438	239	38967	33730	118	36
4/1	6424	1187	1498	490	273	45776	39352	159	41
4/2	9150	2726	1639	507	310	51086	41936	247	88
4/3	10,297	1147	1707	535	370	53645	43348	276	29
4/4	12496	2199	1726	571	409	58498	46002	229	47
4/5	13010	514	1803	561	477	60325	47315	247	18
4/6	14867	1857	1809	563	512	69155	54288	260	13
4/7	16284	1417	1996	519	582	74655	58371	272	12
4/8	17030	746	1983	490	652	81406	64376	285	13
4/9	18283	1253	2014	473	702	86919	58636	303	18
4/10	19253	970	2054	479	755	92280	73027	330	27
4/11	20014	761	2067	470	806	96915	76901	337	7
4/12	20595	581	2084	458	840	104045	83450	354	17
4/13	21016	421	2134	461	884	108091	87075	360	6
4/14	21518	502	1977	436	1013	118422	96904	363	3
4/15	21951	433	1943	425	1103	121928	99977	375	12
4/16	22532	581	1914	396	1156	126596	104054	387	12
4/17	23118	586	1868	363	1213	131987	108869	396	9
4/18	23580	462	1761	347	1267	137999	114419	414	18
4/19	23928	348	1748	349	1296	141504	117576	419	5
4/20	24523	595	1794	332	1328	141561	117038	423	4
4/21	24854	331	1798	297	1405	150837	125983	429	6
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CORONAVIRUS PREVENTION

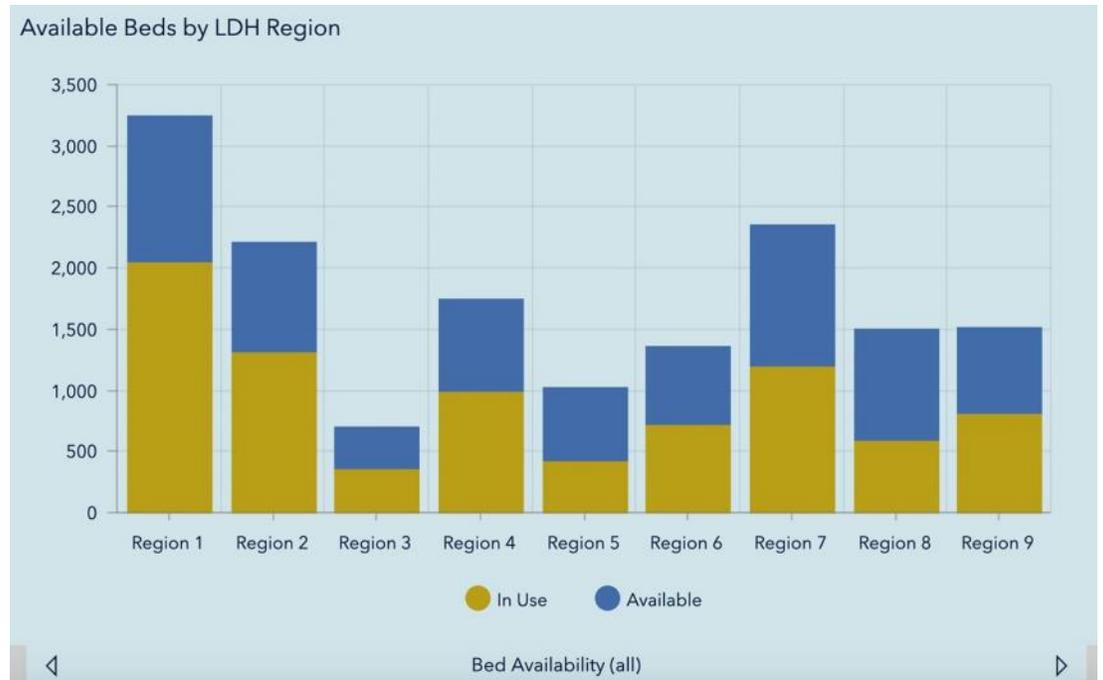


Available Hospital Ventilators by LDH Region



Information provided
by LDH as of
4/20/2020

Available Beds by LDH Region



Source:

Louisiana Department of Health

<http://www.ldh.la.gov/>



How to Protect Yourself from COVID-19

Know How it Spreads



- There is currently no vaccine to prevent coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19).
- The best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to this virus.
- The virus is thought to spread mainly from person-to-person.
 - Between people who are in close contact with one another (within about 6 feet).
 - Through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes.
- These droplets can land in the mouths or noses of people who are nearby or possibly be inhaled into the lungs.



Clean your hands often

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds especially after you have been in a public place, or after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
- If soap and water are not readily available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.



Avoid close contact

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- Put distance between yourself and other people if COVID-19 is spreading in your community. This is especially important for people who are at higher risk of getting very sick.
- Stay home if you are sick, except to get medical care.



- Cover coughs and sneezes
- Wear a facemask if you are sick. If you are not sick, you DO NOT need to wear a facemask unless you are caring for someone who is sick.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces daily. This includes tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, desk, phones, keyboards, toilets, faucets, and sinks.

Balsamic Steak Roll-Ups

INGREDIENTS

2 lb. skirt steak, cut into thin strips
1/2 c. balsamic vinegar
2 tbsp. honey
1 1/2 tbsp. whole-grain mustard
3 cloves garlic, minced
1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1 tsp. minced fresh rosemary
1/2 tsp. dried oregano
Kosher salt
Freshly ground black pepper
2 tbsp. extra-virgin olive oil, divided
2 bell peppers, cut into thin strips
1/2 lb. asparagus, woody ends removed
2 small zucchini, cut into thin strips



DIRECTIONS

1. Make marinade: In a small sauce pan over medium heat, combine vinegar, honey, mustard, garlic, Worcestershire sauce, rosemary, and oregano. Season with salt and pepper. Bring mixture to a boil then reduce to a simmer and cook, stirring occasionally, until it has reduced by about a third and is syrupy in consistency, 10 to 12 minutes.
2. Meanwhile, prepare vegetables: In a medium skillet over medium heat, heat 1 tablespoon oil. Add peppers and cook 2 minutes, then add asparagus and zucchini and season with salt and pepper. Cook until vegetables are tender but still hold their shape, 4 to 6 minutes more.
3. Assemble roll-ups: Lay steak strips flat on cutting board, and brush both sides with marinade. Place a small handful of vegetables in the center of each piece of steak. Wrap steak around vegetables and secure with a toothpick.
4. In a large skillet over medium heat, heat remaining 1 tablespoon oil. Place steak roll-ups in skillet seam side-down and cook 2 minutes until nice and seared. Use tongs to turn roll-ups to cook on all sides, about 2 minutes per side. Brush with remaining marinade as steak cooks.
5. Remove from heat and serve immediately.

Source: <https://www.delish.com/cooking/recipe-ideas/a20530047/balsamic-steak-roll-ups-recipe/>

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