Fiesta Cheese Fondue

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flour (for dredging)
8 ounces beer
1/4 teaspoon garlic, minced
1/2 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
1/4 teaspoon ground mustard
1/2 ounce jalapeno peppers, chopped
1/2 ounce onions, chopped
2 to 3 ounces Picante sauce
12 ounces sharp Cheddar cheese, grated
4 ounces Swiss Emmanthaler cheese, grated

Grate the cheese.

Combine the cheese in a plastic bag and toss with flour until lightly coated.

Heat the beer in a double boiler. Stir in the spices.

Add the cheese slowly, stirring constantly.

When all of the cheese has melted, whip with a whisk to a fluffy consistency.

Fold in the Picante sauce and jalapeno.

Serve with vegetables, apples, bread and tortilla chips.

Appetizers

Per Serving (excluding unknown items): 1628 Calories; 114g Fat (65.2% calories from fat); 91g Protein; 45g Carbohydrate; 1g Dietary Fiber; 357mg Cholesterol; 5944mg Sodium. Exchanges: 12 Lean Meat; 6 Vegetable; 15 Fat; 0 Other Carbohydrates.