

Seafood Stew by Andrew Griggs, grandson of Larry Samson

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4 white onions, small dice

4 bunches celery, small dice

5 leeks, small dice

6 garlic bulbs, minced

2 pound bags red potatoes, cut into eight pieces each

2 bottles dry white wine, Sauvignon Blanc or Chardonnay

1 #10 can crushed tomatoes, 6# 6oz

1 can tomato paste

4 cans chopped clams and juice

6 bay leaves

Salt and pepper

In a tall stock pot, heat enough olive oil to cover the bottom

Sauté vegetables with garlic, season with salt, cook about 5 minutes until soft

Add clams, tomato products, wine and bring to a boil

Toss in potatoes, bay leaves, cook about 10 minutes until potatoes are soft

Add seafood in the following order:

Mussels, clams, - cook 3 minutes

Shrimp, fish, - cook 3 minutes

Scallops - cook 3 minutes

Remove bay leaves

Season to taste and serve