## Suitland Dine & Learn March 2018: Eat Well, Live Well!

## **Fruit Juice Spritzer**

## Courtesy of Chef Nadine of Nutrition Synergies, LLC

This fun take on a crisp and refreshing beverage will reduce caloric and carbohydrate amounts by 50% compared to any 8 oz serving of fruit juice alone!



## **Ingredients**

- 4 oz any 100% fruit juice of your choice
- 4 oz plain seltzer water
- Ice
- Fresh fruit garnish (optional)

HEALTH TIPS

Here are 7 benefits of reducing added sugar:

- 1. Improved heart health (lower blood pressure and cholesterol)
- 2. Clearer skin (reduced inflammation)
- 3. Reduced risk of type 2 diabetes
- 4. **Improved mood** (less "sugar crash," anxiety, irritability, mood swings)
- 5. Better sleep (less mid-day sluggishness and need for naps, more alert during day)
- 6. Improved memory (less "brain fog")
- 7. **Weight loss** (scaling back sugar by 200 calories a day could help you drop 10 pounds in 6 months)

