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Publisher's Memo

Every year it seems like I write about how September and October are my favorite time of the year – football is starting, baseball is coming down the home stretch, the weather is ideal where I live, and Pumpkin Spice Latte will be available at Starbucks (yeah, I said it!).



This Fall has been particularly interesting because of the upcoming elections. We live in a swing county in a swing state, which means we have been bombarded by everything having anything to do with politics. The ads even show up on the devices of my young children!

We don't normally use our newsletter to talk too much "business" and prefer to keep it light, but it may be good time for it. We have seen a jump in volume going back to the beginning of 2023 across all of the different types of clients that we work with. Finding and keeping talented employees and rising costs continue to present challenges to all of us.

I urge all of you to get involved with our industry associations and attend some conferences, they are the best vehicles for developing new client relationships and making sure you are up to date on all of the latest and greatest things happening in the collections business.

We are active and participate in the following associations (and some others – below in alphabetical order)

- ACA International
- Commercial Law League of America
- Commercial Collection Agencies of America
- International Association of Commercial Collectors
- National Creditors Bar Association
- Receivables Management Association
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There are also conferences we attend that are hosted by an entity that is not affiliated with a trade association.

If you have questions about any of these organizations, their conferences or additional industry events, please let me know and I would be happy to discuss their potential value to the future success of your company.

--Gary

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Quote of the month

"Life starts all over again when it gets crisp in the fall."

-F. Scott Fitzgerald

Recipe of the Month

Sweet and Spicy Chicken and Cashew Fried Rice

Ingredients

2 tablespoons vegetable oil
1 large egg, beaten
2 boneless skinless chicken thighs, cut into 1/2-inch pieces
Kosher salt
1 cup shredded carrots
1 tablespoon Asian sweet chili sauce
1 teaspoon finely grated fresh ginger
1 teaspoon soy sauce
3 cups cold cooked long grain white rice
1 to 1 1/2 teaspoon Asian chili oil
2 tablespoons roasted salted cashews

Recipe

Heat a large nonstick skillet or wok over high heat and then swirl in 1 tablespoon of the oil. When the oil begins to smoke, add the egg and swirl the skillet to make a flat egg pancake that's only half set, about 10

seconds; scoop out onto a plate.

Add the chicken to the skillet, sprinkle with 1/4 teaspoon salt and cook, stirring constantly, until golden brown and just cooked through, about 4 minutes. Transfer to a bowl. Add the remaining tablespoon oil, then add the carrots, sweet chili sauce, ginger, soy sauce and 1/4 teaspoon salt and cook, stirring constantly, until the carrots are crisp-tender, 1 to 2 minutes.

Add the rice, stirring to break up any clumps, and spread it out in the skillet. Cook until heated through, about 3 minutes. Return the egg, chicken and any juices to the skillet and cook, stirring and breaking up the egg, to mix it in thoroughly, about 1 minute. Season with additional salt if needed. Stir in the chili oil, sprinkle with the cashews and serve.

Industry Calendar

November 6 – 7, 2024
Commercial Law League of America
Eastern Region Conference
New York, NY
www.clla.org

November 6 - 8, 2024
Commercial Collection Agencies of America
Annual Conference
Delray Beach, FL
www.commercialcollectionagenciesofamerican.com

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