Creamy Coconut Shrimp

2 tablespoons olive oil

2 pounds raw shrimp, peeled, deveined, tails on or off Salt and freshly ground black pepper, to taste

1 teaspoon smoked paprika

4 TSP Cajun Seasoning

2 tsp lemon juice powder

½ tsp cayenne pepper

2 dashed hot sauce

1-2 tsp Agave Nectar

1 small yellow onion, finely diced

4 cloves garlic, minced

8 fresh basil leaves, finely chopped

½ tsp ground ginger

1 (14-oz can) diced tomatoes, well drained

1 cup canned unsweetened coconut milk, (shake can before opening)

4 Tbs Heavy Cream Lime juice, to serve

Chopped fresh cilantro, for garnish

Chopped fresh basil, for garnish



Heat 1 tablespoon olive oil in a large skillet set over medium-high heat. Season shrimp with salt, pepper, and paprika.

Add shrimp to the hot oil and cook for 1 to 2 minutes per side, or until pink and cooked through.

Remove shrimp from skillet and set aside.

Wipe down the skillet, set it over medium-high heat and add remaining olive oil. To the heated oil add the onions and cook for 3 minutes, or until softened. Stir in garlic, basil, and ginger; cook for 20 seconds, or until fragrant. Add the Cajun seasoning, lemon juice powder, cayenne pepper, hot sauce.

Add diced tomatoes and cook for 3 minutes, or until just softened.

Stir in the coconut milk, agave nectar and cream. Bring to a simmer; continue to simmer for 5 minutes.

Add shrimp to the coconut milk sauce and cook for 1 more minute, or until heated through.

Remove from heat.

Squeeze lime juice over the shrimp.

Garnish with cilantro and basil.