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SINGLE PAGE SITE

PROCESS BOOK

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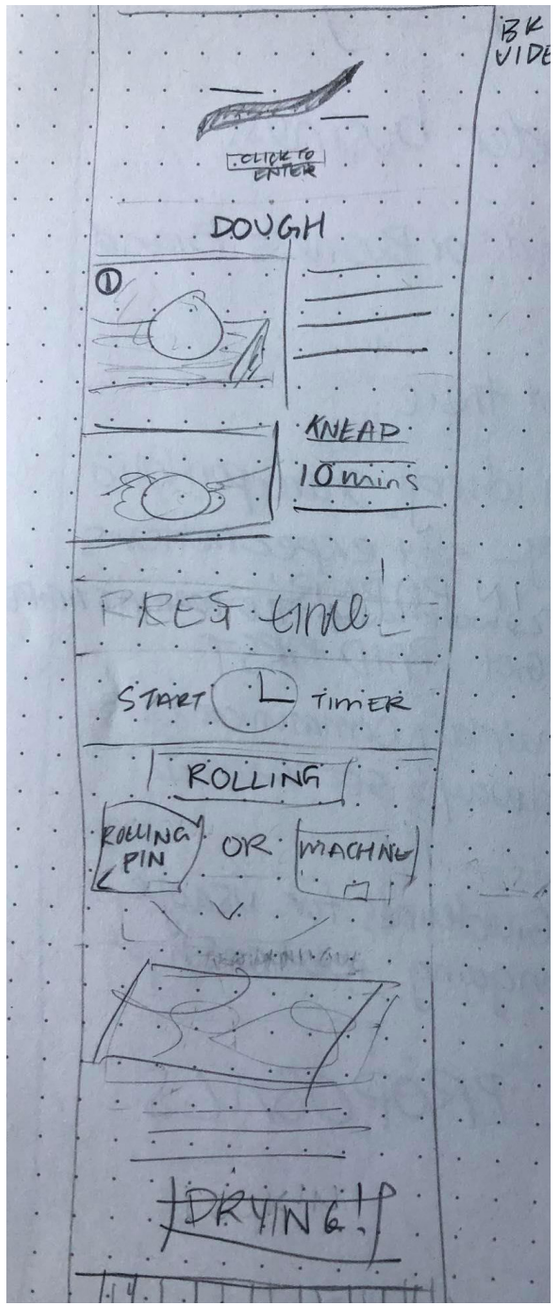
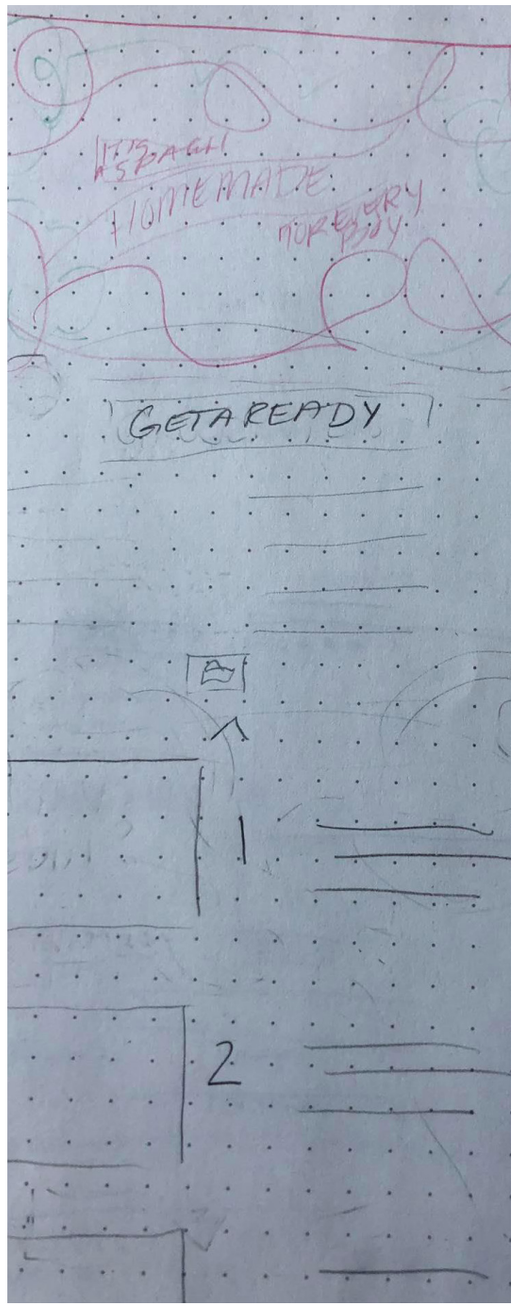
ideation

I started this project not knowing exactly what to expect from my abilities but I am so glad I went ahead with this final project versus just cashing out.

First I wanted a clear understanding of the process in order to make it clear for other people to follow my directions on this site. So after watching lots of videos I decided to go ahead and make my pasta and document it with photos to implement into my site. I did some rough wire-frames so I knew what I wanted to take photos of. You can see to the right that they are VERY rough, but with these rough sketches I could really start to expand all the possible ways I could make an informational site.

I dream of a world where I could make a meatball to roll along with the user as you scroll down the page. But even without that I am happy with where I got!





Design

For designing for screens I have found it important for my design process to pick web based fonts because I start designing the rest. I chose 2 different sort of type themes but ended up using League Script for headings and Source Sans Pro for the body. I don't particularly love League typeface, it has some places where it doesn't quite connect properly and funny curves but it was as close as I could get to a spaghetti looking font so I chose it. I chose Source Sans Pro as my secondary type face as it has lots of weights, and seems very readable on screens, but not over powering the script. I then started making a noodle-y looking site!

Photography

After I made my design layouts, I wanted to get the photos out of the way so I set my camera up got the ingredients and started photographing the process while making dinner. I love making fresh pasta and eating it so this really wasn't a problem for me. I think my photos turned out pretty well. I wanted to edit them all to be lighter to go with the theme of the project, but I wanted to focus my time on coding instead of editing photos for this project. These were some of my favourites.

html/css

In the first project I was very frustrated by the code, I couldn't get things to do what I wanted to do. But this time around I seemed to have a much better handle on it and found the process of writing the code much easier, I could think to myself, "oh why is that on the side and not the middle?" then answer my own question and fix it easily. Which I think is a milestone for my coding knowledge. I understood where things were supposed to go and I'm pretty sure I was actually really enjoying watching the css change the index file!

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<div class="ing-contain">
    <img class="ingr" src="./bkgs/ing-bkg.jpg">
  <ul class="ing-list" type="none">
    <li id="GL">Grocery List</li>
    <li>2 cups all-purpose flour</li>
    <li>1 pinch of kosher salt  </li>
    <li>2 large eggs  </li>
    <li>2 (more) egg yolks </li>
    <li>2/3 tablespoons EVOO </li>
    <li><i>note: this recipe requires the use of a pasta maker
  </ul>
</div>
 <a name="dough"></a>
```

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<div class="col mb-4">
  <div class="card">
    <img src="./pastaimages/P3130757.JPG" class="card-img-top
    <div class="card-body">
      <h4 class="card-title">Boil Water</h4>
      <p class="card-text">Bring a large pot of water to a ro
    </div>
  </div>
</div>
<div class="col mb-4">
  <div class="card">
    <img src="./pastaimages/P3130765.JPG" class="card-img-top
    <div class="card-body">
      <h4 class="card-title">ENJOY!</h4>
      <p class="card-text">strain the noodles, and serve with
    </div>
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    <h5>Step Five</h5>
    <p>Knead the dough for about 10 minutes</p>
  </div>
</div>
<div class="carousel-item">
  <img src="./pastaimages/P3130735.JPG" class="d-block w-100" alt="...">
  <div class="carousel-caption d-none d-md-block">
    <h5>Step Six</h5>
    <p>Make it into a little bug monster-<i>optional</i></p>
  </div>
</div>
<div class="carousel-item">
  <img src="./pastaimages/P3130736.JPG" class="d-block w-100" alt="...">
  <div class="carousel-caption d-none d-md-block">
    <h5>Step Seven</h5>
    <p>Press your finger into the dough, if it bounces back wrap it up if
  </div>
</div>
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Bootstrap

Bootstrap was the most help resource ever, It allowed my to accoplish what I wanted so much easier, and even more. I was able to manipulate Bootstrap things I used like the size of the carousel and cards easily through CSS. I think this was also easier because of my better understanding of HTML/CSS this time varound! Only thing that I had troubles with was the nav bar, and using the <a> to make links to different part of the page. But I ened up getting it so overall Im really happy! I also used a timer that I found online, it used pretty simple if/else javascript to make a timer. I changed it around using bootstrap button styling and manipulating it go for how much time I wanted it to go for! This was the little cherry on top for me!v

Rest

Put the wrapped dough in the fridge and let it rest for 30 mins

Start 30 min. Timer | Clear Timer

Outline buttons

In need of a button, but not the hefty background colors they bring? Replace the default modifie classes with the `.btn-outline-*` ones to remove all background images and colors on any butt

Primary | Secondary | Success | Danger | Warning | Info | Light | Dark

Rolling the Dough

CUT THE DOUGH

Cut the dough into 6-8 pieces and squish them until they are flat enough to go through the pasta roller

ROLL

On the thickest setting (usually 6) roll the dough through, multiple time gradually reducing the setting number until the dough is thin enough that you can see your hand through it

YAY SPAGHETTI

Finally roll the pasta dough through the spaghetti attachment

Image cap

Card title

This is a longer card with supporting text below as a natural lead-in to additional content. This content is a little bit longer.

Last updated 3 mins ago

Image cap

Card title

This card has supporting text below as a natural lead-in to additional content.

Last updated 3 mins ago

Image cap

Card title

This is a wider card with supporting text below as a natural lead-in to additional content. This card has even longer content than the first to show that equal height action.

Last updated 3 mins ago

Conclusions

In contrast to the last project I found this a very exciting project! Once I got going I didn't want to stop until I got it all right and to my surprised I accomplished this pretty quickly! Going from barely understanding HTML to coding this felt very pleasing for me! I'm super happy with my end result and I hope I accomplished what you were looking for in this project, cause I have surpassed my own expectations for myself :) In the future I would love to be able to include more interactive elements like loading animations with noodles, or the meatball rolling around the page. But I just wanted to take a moment to say thank you for this class, I'm really happy with the skills I am walking away with. Have a great summer Quinn!

Thank you

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