Chicken Stock

From The Kitchen of Brett Broussard

Whole Chicken Cut up
Large Onion Quartered
Carrots Chopped
Ribs of Celery Chopped
Leek White part only - cut lengthwise
Sprigs of Thyme
Bay Leaf
Peppercorns
Cloves of Garlic
Gallon of Water or Stock

Combine everything with cold water and bring to a gentle simmer. Make sure the heat stays low and maintains a simmer. Simmer for 2 to 2.5 hours. Strain with a fine mesh strainer. Let cool and refrigerate immediately. Skim the fat off the top and store in the refrigerator. Will keep 3-4 days in fridge or up to 3 months in the freezer.