OPUS



New Nordic Diet

- from science to daily fare?

New Nordic Food conference 2012

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Starting point

Næsten al god videnskab har to formål, dels at analysere verden og dels at ændre den i hensigtsmæssig retning.

Det første er fundamentet, men hvis ikke viden har nogen konsekvenser – måske indirekte og måske først på meget lang sigt – så er den ret formålsløs.

> Quote: professor Niels Kærgård Department of Food and Resource Economics





StrategyPurpose for OPUS Communication

To engage children, teens and decision makers in creating a healthy, tasty and sustainable food culture based on Nordic ingredients.





Method Milestones in OPUS Communication

- Making young front-runners ambassadors for OPUS' main messages
- Establishment of partnership with major media
- Creation of a network of journalists and media for whom OPUS is a provider of news and features.
- Ensuring that the themes addressed by OPUS are directly included in the primary and lower secondary school
- To communicate "things that work" and to encourage changes in attitudes and behavior among the people who move among children





The challenge for OPUS (Communication)

Vestervangs Pizzeria TILBUD TIL SKOLEBØRN IMELLEM KL. 11 - 13. SHAWARMA & EN DÂSE COLA KUN 30,-Sportsvej 6 2600 Glostrup 43 45 00 09







Initiatives

- Introducing kids to healthy, sustainable and tasty (new nordic) food
- Introducing teens to healthy, sustainable and tasty (new nordic) food
- Partnerships with opinion leaders (decision makers)





Introducing kids to healthy, sustainable and tasty food

Cookery school for kids and their parents in Copenhagen Cooking

Forskningens Døgn (Scientific Day) – with cabbage juice bar and nordic herb tasting













Introducing kids to healthy, sustainable and tasty food

School meal intervention

Graphic identity developed by designers

- detached from university design









Introducing kids to healthy, sustainable and

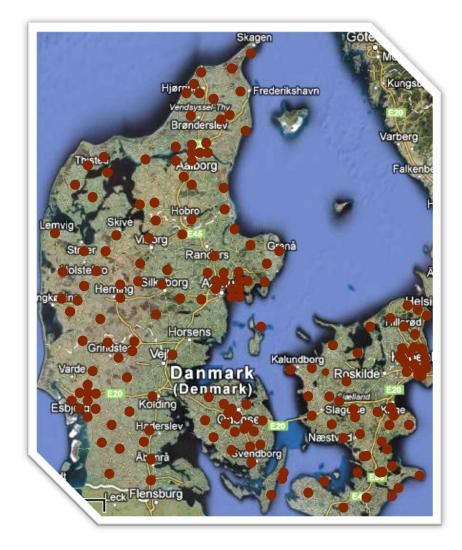
tasty food

Mass experiment

OPUS and Dansk
Naturvidenskabsformidling
(Natural science for school
kids) formed a partnership

- 25.000 school kids
- More than 200 schools

Creating new knowledge about the coherence between eating, activity and learning.







Introducing teens to healthy, sustainable and tasty (new nordic) food





Introducing teens to healthy, sustainable and tasty food

Seminars, exercises, theme booklet and workshops for highschool students – at our faculty and in their highschool.













Engaging desicion makers through partnerships





Partnerships and opinion leaders

Networking and relation building among food bloggers and food journalists











på nordisk diæt







300 nordiske opskrifter

NU ER DE OMICIONG 300 OFSIGISFIER, som udgør der konkre e Opus-projekt med bl.a. Ame Astrop og Claus Mey-



More than 700 press clippings in national and international media since 2009

::: TOPPEN AF DAGEN ::: Onsdag 20. april 2011





Brændenælder og mælkebøtter til aftensmad

Nu bliver det pludselig in at tale om dansk mad. Det var det bestemt ikke

skal være det 21. århundreds

Forskere: Fedme hæmmer børns udvikling

100 MIO. TIL SUNDERE BØRN

Kiloene rasler af med nordisk mad på gaflen

nordiske kokken er tomdere and det som mange danskere

KØBENHAVNS UNIVERSITET

Partnership with Danmarks Radio (Danish Broadcasting Corporation)

- Mission School Meal

Camera crew following kids from two schools through 6 months

Broadcasted in 6 programs on national tv + 6 scientific presentations about OPUS and the New Nordic Diet













Partnership with Danmarks Radio - dr.dk/mums

An DR 'edutainment'
website
for kids – learning them
about
the principles in the New
Nordic Diet





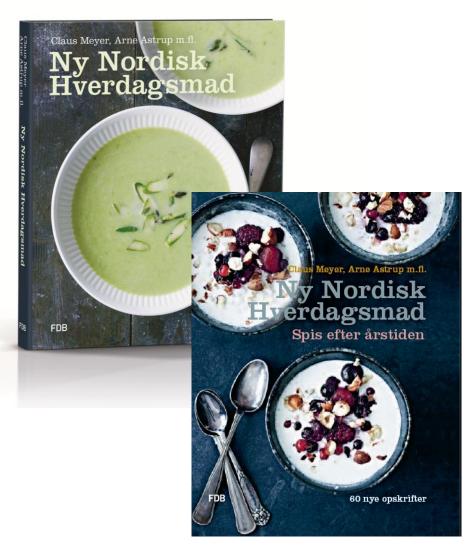


Partnership with FDB

Cook book: Ny Nordisk Hverdagsmad

Book on New Nordic Diet,

- written to ensure that the food ends up on dinner tables out of ordinary Danes.
- published in collaboration
 with FDB (COOP Denmark)
- sold in more than 50.000 copies





Partnership with FDB

The New Nordic Diet book and the cooperation with FDB resulted in 90 evening cookery courses throughout Denmark – with local chefs and participants







Other partnerships

Sharing recipes with Kræftens Bekæmpelse (the Danish Cancer Society) and Landbrug og Fødevarer (Danish Agriculture and Food Council)

Sharing recipes on Idegryden.dk

- Site with New Nordic Diet recipes
- Userdriven; Recipes uploaded by the user





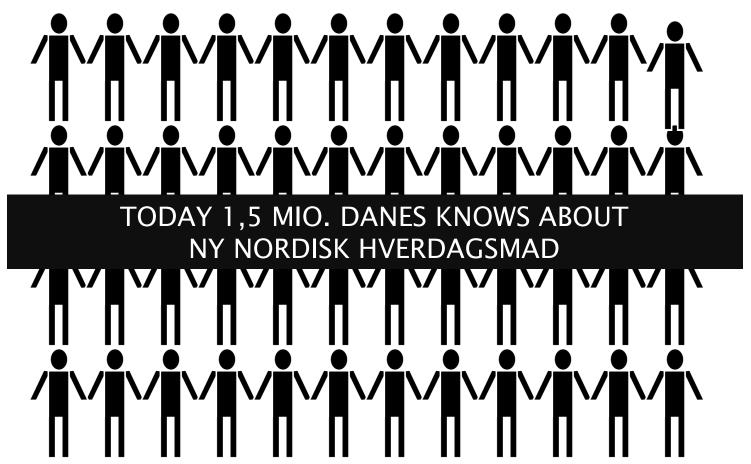


"Results"





Ny Nordisk Hverdagsmad (New Nordic Diet): Knowledge

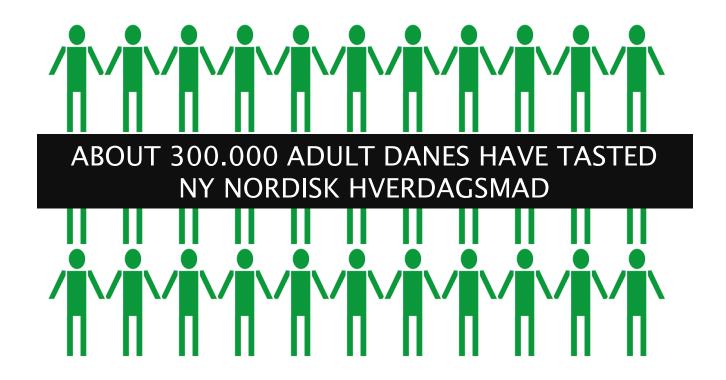


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Ny Nordisk Hverdagsmad: From knowledge to action

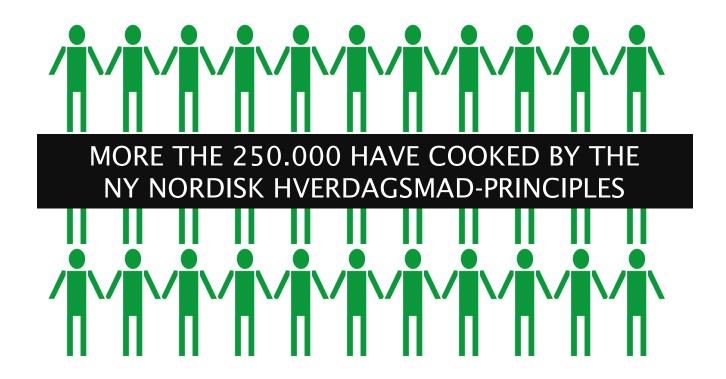


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Thank you for your time

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