Fried Rice

Type: Main **Serves:** 30 **Recipe source:** Taste.com.au

Fresh from the garden: eggs, onion, capsicum, Chinese cabbage, peas

| EQUIPMENT: | INGREDIENTS: |
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| Frypan | 1 cup long grain rice |
| Knives | 2 eggs, beaten |
| Measuring spoons | 1 teaspoon olive oil |
| Measuring cups | 100g leg ham, diced |
| Wooden spoon | 1 onion, diced |
| _ | 1 capsicum, diced |
| | 2 cups Chinese cabbage |
| | 1 cup green peas, cooked |
| | 1 cup corn kernels |
| | 1 cup bean shoots |
| | 2 spring onions, diced |
| | 3 t soy sauce |
| | 1 T oyster sauce |
| | 1 cup prawns |
| | t = teaspoon |
| | T = tablespoon |

- 1. Cook rice following directions, drain and cool completely.
- **2.** Lightly oil frypan with oil and pour in eggs to make a thin omelette on medium low heat.
- **3.** When omelette is set transfer to a plate and slice thinly.
- 4. Set aside.
- **5.** Lightly oil frypan and cook ham and onion until golden brown.
- **6.** Add capsicum, cabbage, peas, corn and prawns (optional).
- **7.** Cover and toss well for several minutes.
- **8.** Add remaining ingredients except omelette.
- **9.** Stir until sauce has mixed through.
- **10.**Fold in sliced omelette.
- 11. Serve hot.

Italian Pasta Salad

Type: Salad **Serves:** 30 **Recipe source:** Healthy Food Fast

Fresh from the garden: parsley, capsicum, mushrooms, tomatoes, snow peas

EQUIPMENT:

Saucepan

Knives

Measuring spoons

Measuring cups

Wooden spoon

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INGREDIENTS:

2 ½ cups pasta shapes

1 punnet cherry tomatoes

12 black olives, pitted & sliced

1 capsicum, seeded & diced

6 mushrooms, sliced

1 cup snow peas, strings removed &

sliced

2 T chopped parsley

1 T lemon juice

185g tin tuna in spring water, drained

½ cup Italian dressing

t = teaspoon

T = tablespoon

- 12. Cook pasta following directions, drain and cool completely.
- **13.**Toss tomatoes, olives, capsicum, mushrooms, snow peas, parsley, lemon juice and tuna together.
- **14.**Mix through pasta.
- **15.**Pour the dressing over salad.
- 16.Serve.

Vegie Curry

Type: Main **Serves:** 30 **Recipe source:** Taste.com.au

Fresh from the garden: eggplant, garlic, onion, ginger, capsicum, pumpkin, cauliflower/broccoli/beans, Chinese cabbage, mixed herbs, potatoes, carrots

EQUIPMENT:

Pot

Knives

Measuring spoons

Measuring cups

Wooden spoon

INGREDIENTS:

2 cups rice

1 eggplant, cut into thick slices

Salt

1 T olive oil

2 cloves garlic

1 small piece ginger, peeled & sliced

1 large onion, chopped

2-3 T red or green curry paste

2 potatoes, peeled & cubed

2 carrots, peeled & cubed

½ butternut pumpkin, peeled & cubed

1 capsicum, seeded & chopped

1 cup cauliflower, or broccoli, or green

beans

425g can diced tomatoes

1 cup coconut milk

2 T chopped herbs (basil, oregano)

t = teaspoon

T = tablespoon

- **17.**Cook rice following packet directions.
- **18.**Sprinkle eggplant with salt and leave for 30 minutes.
- **19.**Rinse, pat dry well on paper towels and cut into cubes.
- 20. Heat oil in a large saucepan and add garlic, ginger and onion cooking gently to soften.
- **21.**Stir in curry paste over low heat.
- 22. Add vegetables and canned tomatoes and stir well.
- **23.**Cover tightly and bring to the boil, then simmer until vegetables are tender, 20-40 minutes depending on size.
- **24.** Add coconut milk and simmer for a further 5 minutes.
- **25.** Add herbs and stir well.

Grilled Pineapple & Star Fruit

Type: Dessert Serves: 30 Recipe source: Healthy Food Fast

Fresh from the garden: pineapple, star fruit

| EQUIPMENT: | INGREDIENTS: |
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| Bowls | 1 pineapple |
| Saucepan | 1 star fruit, sliced |
| Knives | 1 T shredded coconut |
| Tongs | |
| Whisk | |
| Wooden spoon | T = teaspoon |
| | T = tablespoon |
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What to do:

- 1. Preheat grill and line tray with foil.
- 2. Remove top and base of pineapple, then cut away skin, removing as many eyes as possible.
- 3. Cut pineapple in half lengthways.
- 4. Then slice into half rounds 5mm thick.
- 5. Grill till golden brown on each side.
- 6. Serve with starfruit and sprinkle with coconut.

Hint: This may be cooked on BBQ plate.

Another name for star fruit is carambola.

Banana Bread

Type: Dessert, snack Serves: 30 tastes Recipe source: Taste.com

Fresh from the garden: Banana, eggs

EQUIPMENT:

Loaf tin Whisk

Fork

Measuring spoons

Sifter

Measuring cups

Wooden spoons

Bowls

Knives

Chopping boards

For serving:

Serving platter

Tongs

INGREDIENTS:

Melted low-fat dairy spread, to

grease

265g (1 3/4 cups) self-raising

flour

40g (1/4 cup) plain flour

1 teaspoon ground cinnamon

140g (2/3 cup, firmly packed)

brown sugar

125ml (1/2 cup) skim milk

2 eggs, lightly whisked

50g butter, melted, cooled

2 overripe bananas, mashed

- 1. Preheat oven to $180^{\circ}C$. Brush an 11×21 cm (base measurement) loaf pan with melted dairy spread to lightly grease.
- 2. Line the base and 2 opposite sides with non-stick baking paper, allowing it to overhang.
- 3. Sift the combined flours and cinnamon into a large bowl.
- 4. Stir in the sugar and make a well in the centre.
- 5. Place the milk, eggs, melted butter and banana in a medium bowl, and stir until well combined.
- 6. Add the banana mixture to the flour mixture and stir until just combined. Spoon the mixture into the prepared pan and smooth the surface.
- 7. Bake in preheated oven for 45-50 minutes or until a skewer inserted into the centre comes out clean. Remove from oven and set aside in the pan for 5 minutes.
- 8. Turn onto a wire rack to cool completely. Cut into slices to serve.