All Year Round Fruit Salad

Type: Dessert/Breakfast/Entrée **Serves:** 24 Tastes

Recipe source: Healthy Food Fast

Fresh from the garden: Melons (watermelon, rockmelon, honeydew melon),

banana, pineapple, passionfruit, kiwi fruit, oranges

Variation: All fruits can be used in this salad. When in season, use stone fruits, grapes, oranges and strawberries.

EQUIPMENT:	INGREDIENTS:		
Knife Mixing bowls Chopping boards Juicer	8 cups melon, peeled & chopped		
	4 bananas		
	Pulp of 12 passionfruit		
	2 pineapples		
TO SERVE: Serving platters/bowls	Juice of 4 oranges		
	4 kiwi fruit		
	+ any other seasonal fruits		

What to do:

- 1. Combine all fruits together in a large serving bowl.
- 2. Stir through passionfruit and pour over juice and mix.
- 3. Serve immediately.

Hint: Make sure orange juice is poured over any fruits that discolour quickly, eg; bananas, pears and apples.

Scrambled Eggs

Type: Breakfast Serves: 30 tastes **Recipe source:** SAKGF

Fresh from the garden: Eggs, chives, shallots, parsley.

EQUIPMENT:

Egg flip

Frypan

Knife

Chopping Board

Bowl

INGREDIENTS:

- 8 x 60g eggs
- 80ml (1/3 cup) milk
- 15q (3 teaspoons) butter
- 1 shallot
- Small bunch of parsley
- Fresh chives

Scrambled eggs are made by mixing eggs together with milk, cream or water to produce moist, soft folds or "clouds" of egg when cooked. Free-range eggs tend to have more flavour than battery-hen eggs and generally give scrambled eggs a richer yellow colour.

What to do:

1. Crack the eggs into a medium mixing bowl. This is best done by first cracking each egg, one at a time, into a small bowl before sliding it into the mixing bowl, so that you can remove any blood spots or pieces of shell (to remove these, use the egg-shell half). Add milk. Measure the milk carefully, as cooked egg will only hold a certain amount of liquid and too much will cause the egg to "weep" moisture. Whisk the egg mixture lightly until the ingredients are just combined. The eggs should be mixed through evenly to ensure a consistent yellow without streaks of egg white (which will result in white streaks through the cooked eggs).

There is one main rule when cooking scrambled eggs: do not cook on heat that is too high, as this will cause the eggs to stick to the pan and become flaky and dry. Heat the butter in a frying pan for 1 minute or until the butter begins to foam. Swirl the pan to lightly coat its entire base with the butter.

- 2. Add the egg mixture to the frying pan and cook over medium heat for 30 seconds. Use a egg flip to gently push the egg mixture, scraping along the base of the pan, from one side of the pan to the other in 4 different directions. Soft folds of cooked egg will begin to develop.
- 3. Repeat the pushing action every 10 seconds (or slow count to 10), including around the pan edge to prevent the egg mixture sticking. The important part of this step is to push through the mixture and lift and fold the eggs rather than stir, as stirring will break the egg up into small lumps. Do this often during cooking to prevent the egg mixture sticking and forming more of an omelete rather than moist, soft folds of scrambled eggs. Cook for 2 minutes or until about three-quarters of the mixture is cooked and one-quarter is still liquidy.
- 4. Remove the pan from the heat and gently fold the egg mixture twice more. The residual heat in the pan will finish cooking the eggs. Serve.

Homemade Muesli

Type: Breakfast **Serves:** 24 Tastes **Recipe source:** Taste

EQUIPMENT:

Wooden spoon

Large bowl

Measuring cups

Measuring spoons

Knife

Chopping Board

Baking pan

Frying pan

TO SERVE:

Bowl

INGREDIENTS:

1 cup rolled oats

1 cup coconut

½ cup wheatgerm

 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup pumpkin seeds

 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sunflower seeds

1 cup sultanas

1 cup processed bran

 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup dried apricots, diced

What to do:

- 1. Grease and line a 3cm deep, $16cm \times 28cm$ (base) baking pan with baking paper.
- 2. Cook oats, coconut, wheatgerm, sunflower kernels and pumpkin seeds in a frying pan over medium heat, stirring, for 8 to 10 minutes or until golden.
- 3. Transfer to a bowl.
- 4. Set aside to cool.
- 5. Stir in sultanas, processed bran and dried apricots.

Wholemeal Banana Pancakes

Type: Starter **Serves:** Tastes 24 **Recipe source:** Taste.com

Fresh from the garden: egg, bananas

Cook's Tip: Banana can be replaced by many other fruit or vegies eg; berries, spinach, etc.

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Cooks Knife

Fry Pan

Large mixing bowl

Wooden Spatula

Chopping Board

Baking trays

Whisk

Sifter

Spoon

TO SERVE:

Platters

Tongs

INGREDIENTS:

2 large bananas

1 1/2 cups wholemeal self-

raising flour

1 1/2 cups buttermilk

2 eggs, lightly beaten

1 tablespoon honey

Olive oil

Honey and reduced-fat

yoghurt, to serve

What to do:

- 1. Mash 1 banana in a bowl (see note). Place flour in a bowl. Make a well in the centre.
- 2. Combine buttermilk, eggs, honey and mashed banana in a jug. Pour into well.
- 3. Whisk until smooth. Stand for 10 minutes.
- 4. Spray a large, non-stick frying pan with oil. Heat over medium heat. Spoon 1/4 cup batter into pan. Cook for 2 to 3 minutes or until bubbles appear on the surface. Turn.
- 5. Cook for 1 to 2 minutes or until golden and cooked through. Transfer to a plate. Cover to keep warm. Repeat with remaining batter to make 12 pancakes.
- 6. Thinly slice remaining banana. Place pancakes on plates. Top with sliced banana, honey and yoghurt. Serve.

Fruit Smoothies

Type: Dessert/Breakfast/Drinks **Serves:** 12 Tastes

Recipe source: Healthy Food Fast

Fresh from the garden: Watermelon, banana, passionfruit, avocado, strawberries,

blueberries.

Variation: All fruits can be used in these smoothies. When in season, use stone

fruits, avocado, and blueberries, cranberries, strawberries, etc.

EQUIPMENT:	INGREDIENTS:		
Knife Chopping board	1 large banana		
Measuring cups & spoons	½ cup natural yoghurt (low fat)		
Food processor	4 cups milk		
	1 T honey		
TO SERVE: Jug Glasses	6 ice cubes		
	(serves 4)		

What to do:

- 1. Blend 1 banana, honey and yoghurt in food processor until smooth.
- 2. Add milk and ice and blend for 30 seconds.
- 3. Serve immediately.