Chargrilled Middle Eastern Lamb

Burgers with pita breads

Type: Main Serves: 30 tastes Recipe source: SAKG Kids

Fresh from the garden: onion, parsley, thyme, lemon

EQUIPMENT:

Knife

Chopping boards

Bowls

Measuring cups & spoons

Wooden spoon

Frying pan

Baking trays

Mortar & pestle

Kitchen paper

Grater

Juicer

Tongs

Fork

Pastry brush

INGREDIENTS:

2 teaspoons coriander seeds

2 teaspoons cumin seeds

 $\frac{1}{2}$ onion

1 lemon

15 stalks parsley

10 sprigs thyme

500g lamb mince

2 teaspoons salt

Freshly ground pepper

 $\frac{1}{4}$ cup olive oil

10 small pita breads

½ cup yoghurt

What to do:

- 1. Preheat oven to 150 degrees celcius and place baking trays in oven.
- 2. Heat the frying pan and tip in coriander seeds and stir until they smell fragrant.
- 3. Place seeds in mortar and repeat process with the cumin seeds and place in the mortar as well and grind to a powder.
- 4. Peel and chop the onion finely.
- 5. Juice the lemon and grate the zest, adding both to the bowl with the spices.
- 6. Add the finely chopped herbs and add the lamb and pepper.
- 7. Mix together with clean hands.
- 8. Fry a small ball of lamb mixture in a little oil until browned and continue until you have made one for each person.
- 9. Transfer rissoles to baking tray to keep warm while you prepare the pita bread.
- 10. Brush cut pita bread with oil and place in oven for 5 8 minutes.
- 11. Serve with tabbouleh and a dollop of yoghurt.

Choc-brownies with caramel sauce

Type: Dessert **Serves:** 30 tastes **Recipe source:** Everyday Cakes & Cookies

Fresh from the garden: eggs

EQUIPMENT:

Knife

Chopping boards

Bowls

Measuring cups & spoons

Wooden spoon

Muffin tins

Saucepan

Heatproof bowl

INGREDIENTS:

80g butter

150g dark chocolate, chopped coarsely

 $\frac{3}{4}$ cup firmly packed brown sugar

2 eggs, beaten lightly

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

₹ cup plain flour

300ml vanilla ice cream

Caramel sauce:

2/3 cup cream (160ml)

60g butter

₹ cup firmly packed brown sugar

What to do:

- 1. Preheat oven to 220 degrees celcius.
- 2. Grease the muffin tins.
- 3. Combine butter, chocolate and sugar in a medium saucepan and stir over medium heat until smooth.
- 4. Stir in egg, extract and flour.
- 5. Divide mixture among muffin tins and cover tightly with foil.
- 6. Bake for approximately 20 minutes.
- 7. Make caramel sauce.
- 8. Place brownies on serving plates and top with ice cream and caramel sauce.

Caramel sauce:

Combine ingredients in a small saucepan; stir over medium heat until smooth and simmer for 2 minutes.

Lamb & Mushroom Kebabs

Type: Main **Serves:** 30 tastes **Recipe source:** Healthy Food Fast

Fresh from the garden: mushrooms, capsicum, tomatoes

EQUIPMENT:

Knife

Chopping boards

Bowls

Large frypan

Serving spoon

Measuring cups &

spoons

Garlic press

Wooden spoon

INGREDIENTS:

500g lean lamb round, cut into cubes

8 button mushrooms, halved

1 green capsicum, seeded and diced

8 cherry tomatoes

1 medium red onion, cut into wedges

Marinade:

2 tablespoons wholegrain mustard

2 teaspoons mint jelly

• teaspoons soy sauce

- 1. Thread lamb and vegetables onto skewers.
- 2. Mix marinade ingredients together and microwave for 40 seconds to combine.
- 3. With a pastry brush, coat meat and vegetables with marinade.
- 4. Preheat BBQ, grill or frypan.
- 5. Cook kebabs for 5-10 minutes, turning frequently and brushing regularly with marinade.
- 6. Serves 4.

Hint: Soak bamboo skewers in hot water for a few minutes to prevent splintering or burning on BBQ.

Serving suggestion:

Serve kebabs with pita bread and a salad of diced tomatoes, sliced Lebanese cucumber, pineapple chunks, diced olives and crumbled feta.

Alternatively, serve on a bed of warm, cooked and mashed potato, sweet potato and chopped herbs.

Leek Tarts with crumbled fetta

Type: Entree/starter Serves: 30 tastes Recipe source: SAKG

Kids

Fresh from the garden: leeks, eggs, chives,

EQUIPMENT:

Knife

Chopping boards

Bowls

Measuring cups & spoons

Wooden spoon

2 Flan tins

Whisk

Grater

Baking tray

Ladle

INGREDIENTS:

Shortcrust pastry

2 leeks

2 tablespoons butter

4 eggs

 $1\frac{1}{2}$ cups cream

10 chives

1 Nutmeg

Salt

Ground black pepper

80g fetta

What to do:

- 1. Grease flan tins with butter and then line with pastry.
- 2. Preheat the oven to 200 degrees celcius.
- 3. Put the pastry shells in the oven with the foil and weights in them and bake for 20 minutes.
- 4. Slice the leeks lengthways then across into 5mm slices.
- 5. Melt the butter in a frying pan and fry the leek.
- 6. Cover the pan with a lid and cook for about 15 minutes, stirring once or twice.
- 7. Separate 2 of the eggs and place the yolks in a bowl then add the other 2 whole eggs in the same bowl.
- 8. Add the cream and whisk the ingredients together.
- 9. Chop the chives and add to the egg/cream mixture. Grate a little nutmeg into the mix and add a little salt and pepper.
- 10. Remove the lid from the leeks and increase the heat and stir to evaporate any liquid in the pan.
- 11. Tip the leek into the egg/cream mixture and stir to combine.
- 12. Once flans tins are removed from the oven reduce the temperature to 170 degrees celcius.
- 13. Divide the leek mixture between the tarts and crumble fetta over the top.
- 14. Bake for 15 minutes until the filling is just set.
- 15. Grate a little nutmeg over tarts and serve.

Tropical Pizza

Type: Main/Snack **Serves:** 30 tastes **Recipe source:** Healthy Food Fast

Fresh from the garden: mushrooms, parsley, oregano, basil, capsicum

EQUIPMENT:

Knife

Chopping boards

Bowls

Pizza trays

Serving spoon

Measuring cups &

spoons

Wooden spoon

Pizza cutter

INGREDIENTS:

Pizza dough, pizza base or Turkish bread

 $\frac{1}{4}$ cup tomato paste

100g ham, chopped

225g pineapple pieces, drained

1 medium red or green capsicum, chopped

100g mushrooms, sliced

100g mozzarella cheese

1 tablespoon chopped herb

- (parsley, basil, oregano)

- 7. Preheat oven to 200 degrees celcius.
- 8. Spread pizza base with pasta sauce.
- 9. Top with ham, pineapple, capsicum, mushrooms and cheese.
- 10. Sprinkle with herbs.
- 11. Bake for 10 15 minutes until heated through and brown.