

sprigs of mint (e.g., apple mint)

2 limes

12 cl apple juice

1 tbsp elderflower syrup

50 cl Energy Drink e.g. Red Bull

8 apple slices Crushed ice Pick the leaves from 8 sprigs of mint and set aside the remaining sprigs for decoration.

Place the mint leaves in a large glass. Quarter the lime halves, then add the lime pieces to the glass. Use a muddler (or the handle of a wooden spoon) to firmly crush the lime and mint together, releasing their flavors.

Fill the glass halfway with crushed ice. Pour in the apple juice, Energy Drink and elderflower syrup. Stir briefly with a spoon.

Add apple slices and the reserved mint sprigs for garnish.



40g cress sprouts

40g walnut kernels (coarsely chopped, toasted)

3 tbsp water 75 ml olive oil

4 slices of toast or pumpernickel, quartered

150g cream cheese

A small amount of cress sprouts, for garnish

A pinch of fleur de sel

Salt and pepper, as needed

Blend the cress sprouts and walnuts with water and olive oil until smooth. Season with salt and pepper to taste.

In a dry pan, toast the slices of toast or pumpernickel until golden brown.

Spread a layer of cream cheese on each piece of toast or pumpernickel, then add a layer of the cress pesto.

Sprinkle with fresh cress sprouts and a pinch of fleur de sel.



TOMATO BASIL SOUP



INGREDIENTS FOR 4 PEOPLE

1kg ripe tomatoes

1 onion

2 cloves garlic

2 tbsp olive oil

500ml vegetable broth

Salt and pepper to taste

A pinch of sugar

A handful of fresh basil leaves

Optional: 100ml heavy cream or crème fraîche



Briefly place the tomatoes in boiling water, then transfer them to cold water to stop the cooking process. Peel the skins off and roughly chop the tomatoes.

Peel and chop the onion and garlic. Heat the olive oil in a pot and sauté the onion and garlic until translucent.

Add the chopped tomatoes to the pot and sauté briefly. Then pour in the vegetable broth and let the mixture simmer for 20 minutes.

Season with salt, pepper, and a pinch of sugar. Roughly chop the basil leaves and add them to the soup.

Use an immersion blender to purée the soup until smooth.

Stir in heavy cream or crème fraîche for a creamier texture, if desired. Ladle the soup into bowls and garnish with fresh basil leaves.



200g polenta (cornmeal) 800ml vegetable broth

50g grated Parmesan cheese

2 tbsp butter

1 tsp lemon zest, finely grated 1.5 tsp Timut pepper, freshly ground

250g mixed mushrooms (e.g., button mushrooms)

2 tbsp olive oil

garlic clove, finely chopped
Salt and pepper to taste
Fresh parsley, chopped

Bring the vegetable broth to boil. Stir in the polenta and reduce the heat. Cook for 20–25 minutes, stirring occasionally, until the mixture becomes creamy. Stir in the Parmesan, butter, lemon zest, and Timut pepper, then season with salt to taste.

Clean the mushrooms and slice them. Heat the olive oil in a pan, then sauté the mushrooms and garlic until golden brown. Season with Timut pepper and salt.

Divide the polenta onto plates, top with the sautéed mushrooms, and garnish with fresh parsley. Serve immediately.

This dish is perfect as a main course or side dish.



INGREDIENTS FOR 4 PEOPLE

cup of whipped cream (250 g)

1 pack of vanilla sugar

pinch of salt 250 g low-fat quark

50 g sugar

1 can of mandarins (approx. 175 g drained weight)

4 dessert glasses for serving

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PREPARATION

Beat the cream with vanilla sugar and a pinch of salt until stiff peaks form.

In a separate bowl, mix the low-fat quark with sugar until creamy. Then gently fold in the whipped cream.

Drain the mandarin oranges, setting a few segments aside for decoration.

In each glass, layer the dessert as follows: start with a layer of the quark cream, add a layer of mandarins, then another layer of quark cream.

Finish each dessert by placing 3-4 mandarin segments on top for decoration.