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# Classic Ostrich & Creamed Spinach

with buttery potato mash & sunflower seeds

This timeless dish features buttery potato mash, tender ostrich fillet slices, and creamy spinach. Topped with toasted sunflower seeds for a pop of crunch. Quick & satisfying - it's sure to be a hit!

Hands-on Time: 35 minutes

Overall Time: 50 minutes

**Serves:** 3 People

Chef: Kate Gomba

Fan Faves

Waterford Estate | Waterford Chardonnay

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# Ingredients & Prep

600g Potato rinse, peel & cut into small

bite-sized pieces

30g Sunflower Seeds

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Onions peel & roughly slice 11/2

2 Garlic Cloves peel & grate

300g Spinach rinse & roughly shred

125ml Cake Flour

300ml Low Fat UHT Milk

450g Free-range Ostrich Fillet

30ml NOMU Provençal Rub

#### From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut)

Salt & Pepper

Water

Milk (optional)

Paper Towel

Butter

- 1. MASHED POTATOES Place the potato pieces in a pot of salted water. Bring to a boil and cook until soft, 20-25 minutes. Drain and return to the pot. Add a knob of butter (optional) and a splash of water or milk (optional). Mash with a fork, season, and cover.
- 2. TOASTED SEEDS Place the sunflower seeds in a pan over medium heat. Toast until golden brown, 2-3 minutes (shifting occasionally). Remove from the pan and set aside.
- 3. SPINACH Return the pan to medium heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, fry the sliced onion until soft, 5-6 minutes (shifting occasionally). Add the grated garlic and fry until fragrant, 1-2 minutes (shifting constantly). Add the shredded spinach and cook until wilted, 3-4 minutes. Remove from the pan.
- butter. Once melted, vigorously mix in the flour to form a roux. Cook out the flour, 1-2 minutes (stirring constantly). Slowly whisk in the milk. Once the milk is incorporated, add the wilted spinach and a splash of water. Simmer until thick, 2-3 minutes. Loosen with a splash of warm water if it's too thick. Remove from the heat and season.

4. CREAMY SPINACH Return the pan to medium heat with 30g of

- 5. SIZZLING OSTRICH Place a pan over medium-high heat with a drizzle of oil. Pat the ostrich dry with paper towel. When hot, sear the ostrich until browned, 2-3 minutes per side (for medium-rare). In the final minute, baste with a knob of butter and the NOMU rub. Set aside to rest for 5 minutes before slicing and seasoning.
- 6. DINNER IS SERVED Serve the mash alongside the creamed spinach and the ostrich slices. Sprinkle over the toasted sunflower seeds. Great job, Chef!

## **Nutritional Information**

Per 100g

Energy	3/0kJ
Energy	88kcal
Protein	7.1g
Carbs	10g
of which sugars	2.3g
Fibre	1.8g
Fat	2.1g
of which saturated	0.6g
Sodium	209mg

## Allergens

Gluten, Allium, Wheat, Cow's Milk

within 4 Days

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