



# UCCOOK

## Smoked Chicken Mac 'n Cheese

with freshly dressed salad leaves

**Hands-on Time:** 25 minutes

**Overall Time:** 25 minutes

**Quick & Easy:** Serves 3 & 4

**Chef:** Caitlin Swanepoel

**Wine Pairing:** Muratie Wine Estate | Muratie Isabella Chardonnay

### Nutritional Info

	Per 100g	Per Portion
Energy	772kJ	3926kJ
Energy	185kcal	939kcal
Protein	10.2g	51.7g
Carbs	20g	101g
of which sugars	2.9g	14.7g
Fibre	0.9g	4.8g
Fat	13.4g	68g
of which saturated	6.7g	34.1g
Sodium	373mg	1898mg

**Allergens:** Cow's Milk, Gluten, Allium, Wheat, Sulphites

**Spice Level:** None

Eat Within 4 Days

## Ingredients & Prep Actions:

Serves 3	[Serves 4]	
375ml	500ml	Low Fat Fresh Milk
300g	400g	Macaroni
170ml	250ml	Fresh Cream
170g	250g	Grated Cheddar Cheese
3	4	Smoked Chicken Breasts <i>cut into bite-sized pieces</i>
3	4	Garlic Cloves <i>peel &amp; grate</i>
15ml	20ml	NOMU Italian Rub
30ml	40ml	Balsamic Vinegar
60g	80g	Salad Leaves <i>rinse &amp; roughly shred</i>
15g	20g	Crispy Onion Bits

## From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut)  
Seasoning (salt & pepper)  
Water

- 1. MMMACARONI** Place a large pot over a medium heat. Add the milk, 450ml [550ml] of water, the macaroni and a large pinch of salt. Bring up to a simmer and cook for 10-15 minutes, stirring occasionally. When the pasta is al dente, mix through the cream, the cheese, and seasoning.
- 2. ITALIAN-SPICED CHICKEN** Place a pan over a high heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, add the chicken and char, 1-2 minutes. Add the garlic and the NOMU rub and fry until fragrant, 30 seconds - 1 minute. Remove from the pan and set aside.
- 3. DRESSED FOR DINNER** When the mac 'n cheese is done, add the charred chicken and seasoning. In a salad bowl, combine the balsamic vinegar, a drizzle of olive oil, seasoning, and the salad leaves.
- 4. PERFECT PLATE** Plate up a generous helping of the flavourful chicken mac 'n cheese. Sprinkle over the crispy onions and side with the dressed salad leaves. Simple yet stunning, Chef!