

# **UCOOK**

# Waterford's Ostrich & Watermelon Salad

with a creamy mayo and mint potato salad

This salad is summer in a bowl! Juicy watermelon cubes, feta, sliced red onion and fresh mint. Served with succulent ostrich slices, a creamy mayo and mint potato salad, and fresh green leaves.

Hands-on Time: 25 minutes

Overall Time: 40 minutes

Serves: 2 People

Chef: Waterford Estate

Adventurous Foodie

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#### Ingredients & Prep

500g **Baby Potatoes** rinsed & halved

30ml Red Wine Vinegar

> Red Onion 1/2 peeled & finely sliced

320g Free-range Ostrich Steak

15ml NOMU Beef Rub

> Creamy Mayo (50ml That Mayo (Original) & 50ml Low Fat Plain Yoghurt)

Fresh Mint rinsed, picked & roughly chopped 40g

Green Leaves rinsed

Cucumber 100g roughly diced 200g Watermelon

cut into bite-sized pieces

Danish-style Feta 100g drained

## From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut) Salt & Pepper

Water

100ml

8g

Sugar/Sweetener/Honey

Paper Towel

Butter (optional)

1. BUBBLING AWAY Place the halved baby potatoes in a pot of salted water over a high heat. Pop on a lid and bring to a boil. Once boiling, remove the lid and reduce the heat. Allow to simmer for 10-15 minutes until cooked through and soft. Remove from the heat on completion,

drain, and set aside.

- 2. PICKLE MOMENT In a bowl, combine ½ the red wine vinegar, 40ml of water, 1 tsp of a sweetener of choice and a pinch of salt. Mix until the sweetener has fully dissolved. Add the sliced red onion and toss until fully coated. Set aside to pickle.
- 3. SUMPTUOUS STEAK Place a pan over a medium heat with a drizzle of oil. Pat the ostrich steak dry with some paper towel. When the pan is hot, fry the steak for 3-4 minutes per side, until browned all over and cooked to your preference. In the final 1-2 minutes, use a knob of butter and the rub to baste the steak. Remove from the pan on completion and set aside. Allow to rest for 5 minutes before thinly slicing. Lightly season the slices.
- 4. FINISHING TOUCHES In a bowl, add the cooked baby potatoes, the creamy mayo. ½ the chopped mint, seasoning, and the remaining vinegar. Toss until fully combined. In a salad bowl, add the onions with some of the pickling liquid (to taste), along with 5ml of olive oil, and some seasoning. Mix until fully combined. Add the rinsed green leaves, the diced cucumber, and seasoning. Toss until fully coated.
- **5. PLATE IT UP** Plate up the dressed leaves and cucumber. Top with the watermelon pieces, the remaining mint leaves and the drained feta. Serve alongside the steak slices and the potato salad. Tuck in!



To make the salad dressing, place the ingredients in a clean jar, close the lid up tight, and shake, shake, shake! Using a jar emulsifies the dressing much more successfully than just mixing it in a bowl!

#### **Nutritional Information**

Per 100g

Energy 359kI 86kcal Energy Protein 7.2g Carbs 10g of which sugars 2.9g Fibre 1.1g 3.8g Fat of which saturated 1.8g Sodium 151mg

### Allergens

Egg, Dairy, Allium, Sulphites

Cook within 2 Days