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## Cheesy Beef Meatballs & Wonton Dippers

with leeks & sour cream

This dish will leave you wonton more, Chef! Browned beef meatballs are coated in a silky leek, fresh thyme, & tomato passata sauce with a special UCOOK spice blend. Covered with melted cheese and served with crispy wonton triangles to scoop up all the deliciousness. Dollops of sour cream finish the dish.

Hands-on Time: 35 minutes Overall Time: 55 minutes

Serves: 3 People

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Ingredients & Prep		
12	Beef Meatballs	
300g	Leeks	
2	Garlic Cloves peel & grate	
60ml	Spice Blend (15ml NOMU Italian Rub 15ml Garlic Powder & 30 NOMU BBQ Rub)	
8g	Fresh Thyme rinse	
300ml	Tomato Passata	
180g	Cheddar Cheese grate	
15	Wonton Wrappers cut into triangles	
125ml	Sour Cream	

#### From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut) Salt & Pepper Water Sugar/Sweetener/Honey Paper Towel 1. MEATBALLS Preheat the oven to 200°C. Place a pan over medium heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, fry the meatballs until lightly golden but not cooked through, 2-3 minutes (shifting as they colour). Remove from the pan and place in an ovenproof dish.

2. SAUCE Trim the leeks at the base & cut in half lengthways. Rinse the halved leeks and roughly slice. Return the pan to medium heat with a drizzle of oil if necessary. When hot, fry the leeks until soft and lightly golden, 5-6 minutes. Add the grated garlic, the spice blend, and the rinsed thyme. Fry until fragrant, 2-3 minutes. Mix in the tomato passata, and 300ml of water. Simmer until slightly reduced and thickening, 10-12 minutes. Remove from heat, discard the thyme sprigs, add a sweetener (to taste), and seasoning. Pour the sauce over the meatballs and scatter over the grated cheese.

3. CHEESY MOMENT Place the ovenproof dish in the hot oven and bake until the cheese is melted and lightly golden, 8-10 minutes. Remove from the oven.

4. WONTON WRAPPERS Return the pan, wiped down, to high heat with enough oil to cover the base. When hot, fry the wonton wrappers until crispy and golden, 30-60 seconds per side. You may need to do this step in batches. Drain on paper towel and season.

5. TIME TO EAT Dish up the saucy cheesy meatballs, top with dollops of sour cream, and side with the wonton wrappers for dipping. Well done, Chef!

### Nutritional Information

Per 100g

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Energy	787kJ
Energy	188kcal
Protein	10.5g
Carbs	9g
of which sugars	2.6g
Fibre	1.1g
Fat	12.1g
of which saturated	5.4g
Sodium	223mg

#### Allergens

Cow's Milk, Egg, Gluten, Allium, Wheat, Sulphites, Soy

> Eat Within 3 Days