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Sun-dried Tomato & Mushroom Barley

with roasted baby onions

Hands-on Time: 15 minutes

Overall Time: 40 minutes

Veggie: Serves 1 & 2

Chef: Deon Huysamer

Wine Pairing: Waterkloof | False Bay Chardonnay

| Nutritional Info | Per 100g | Per Portion |
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| Energy | 370kJ | 2731kJ |
| Energy | 88kcal | 653kcal |
| Protein | 3.9g | 28.7g |
| Carbs | 19g | 142g |
| of which sugars | 5.9g | 43.5g |
| Fibre | 4.3g | 31.8g |
| Fat | 1.9g | 14g |
| of which saturated | 0.2g | 1.5g |
| Sodium | 262mg | 1939mg |

Allergens: Sulphites, Gluten, Wheat, Soya, Allium

Spice Level: None

| Ingredients | & | Prep | Actions |
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| Serves 1 | [Serves 2] | | |
| 3 | 6 | Baby Onions | |
| 75ml | 150ml | Pearled Barley rinse | |
| 15ml | 30ml | Vegetable Stock | |
| 20g | 40g | Spinach rinse | |
| 50g | 100g | Edamame Beans | |
| 10g | 20g | Sunflower Seeds | |
| 125g | 250g | Button Mushrooms wipe clean & roughly sl | |
| 120g | 240g | Carrot peel, trim & roughly dic | |
| 40g | 80g | Sun-dried Tomatoes | |

roughly chop

Balsamic Vinegar

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From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut)

Water Tinfoil

10ml

- Butter (optional)
- Seasoning (Salt & Pepper)

20ml

- 1. APEELING ONIONS! Peel the baby onions and halve lengthwise. Don't remove the tip that keeps the layers joined together. Place a pan (with a lid) over medium heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, fry the onions cut-side down until charred, 7-8 minutes. Flip the onions and place the lid on so they can cook through, 5-6 minutes. Remove from the pan and set aside.
- 2. BARLEY AL DENTE Place the pearled barley in a pot with 250ml [500ml] of salted water and the stock. Cover with a lid and bring to a boil. Reduce the heat and simmer until al dente, 25-30 minutes (stirring occasionally). Drain if needed, mix through the spinach and edamame beans until the leaves are wilted. Cover and set aside.
- 3. TOASTY 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.
- 4. MUSHROOMS & BALSAMIC DRESSING Return the pan to medium-high heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, fry the mushrooms and carrot until soft and golden, 4-5 minutes (shifting as they colour). Add the sun-dried tomatoes and fry, 1-2 minutes. Remove from the pan, season and set aside. In a small bowl, combine the balsamic vinegar with 10ml [20ml] of oil and seasoning.
- 5. ASSEMBLE THE BARLEY! Place the loaded barley in a bowl, stir through the mushrooms, carrot and sun-dried tomatoes mix, and season.
- 6. HEARTY WILD MUSHROOM FEAST! Dish up the mushroom barley salad. Scatter over the caramelised baby onions, drizzle with the balsamic dressing, and garnish with sunflower seeds. Bon appètit, Chef!