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## Steakhouse Fillet & Salad

with buttermilk onion rings & fresh thyme

Indulge in our take on a classic combo - fillet steak, a fresh salad, buttermilk-battered onion rings, and fragrant thyme. All the flavours we love are packed into one easy-peasy, restaurant-worthy dish. Close your wallet, turn off the ignition, you're eating in!

Hands-on Time: 30 minutes

Overall Time: 45 minutes

**Serves:** 3 People

Chef: Thea Richter

Adventurous Foodie

Leopard's Leap | Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot

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### Ingredients & Prep

Buttermilk 150ml 125ml Self-raising Flour Free-range Beef Fillet 450g 12g Fresh Thyme rinsed & picked

2 Onions 1½ peeled, cut into thick rounds & separated into

300g Cucumber roughly diced

**Tomatoes** 1½ roughly diced

> Danish-style Feta drained

#### From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut)

Salt & Pepper

Water

120g

Paper Towel

Butter

1. BATTER BELIEVE IT Place the buttermilk in a bowl and whisk until smooth. Add 3/4 of the flour and seasoning. Mix until a thick batter forms. If too thick, add water in 10ml increments until desired consistency.

2. SEAR-IOUSLY DELICIOUS Place a pan over high heat. Rub some oil into the fillets until well coated. When the pan is hot, sear the fillets for about 5-6 minutes until browned all over, shifting as they colours. In the final 1-2 minutes, baste with a generous knob of butter and  $\frac{1}{2}$  the picked thyme. Remove from the pan, reserving any pan juices, and set aside to

rest for 5 minutes before slicing. Lightly season the slices. Cover to keep warm until serving. 3. PUT A RING ON IT Place a large pot over a medium-high heat with 4-5cm of oil. Toss the onion rings in the remaining flour. When the oil is hot, dip the onion rings in the buttermilk batter, allowing the excess to drip off, and carefully lower into the hot oil. Fry for 1-2 minutes or until

golden brown, shifting halfway. You may need to do this step in batches. Drain on paper towel. 4. SIDE PIECE In a salad bowl, combine the diced cucumber, the diced

tomato, the drained feta, a drizzle of oil, and seasoning.

5. DING, DONG! DINNER IS SERVED Plate up the onion rings. Side with the fillet slices drizzled with any reserved pan juices. Serve the fresh salad on the side and garnish with the remaining thyme. A classic, Chef!

**Nutritional Information** 

Per 100g

Energy 435kl Energy 104kcal Protein 7.7g Carbs 6g of which sugars 1.8g Fibre 0.9g Fat 3.5g of which saturated 1.7g

### Allergens

Sodium

Gluten, Dairy, Allium, Wheat

Cook within

91mg

4 Days