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## Kassler & Homemade Cornbread

with roasted butternut & an apricot glaze

Say hello to this gloriously easy yet truly impressive dish! Test your cooking skills with homemade cornbread and beautifully glazed kassler. The perfect combination of sweet, savory and smoky flavours.

Hands-On Time: 40 minutes

Overall Time: 65 minutes

Serves: 4 People

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Adventurous Foodie

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#### Ingredients & Prep

1kg Butternut deseeded, peeled (optional) & cut into bite-sized chunks

Onions peeled & finely sliced40ml White Wine Vinegar

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360g Tinned Sweetcorn

125ml Fresh Milk

Polenta

200ml Cake Flour20ml Baking Powder

125ml

80ml White Sugar
40g Dried Apricots
roughly chopped

720g Pork Kassler 80g Green Leaves

rinsed

#### From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut)

Salt & Pepper

Water Paper Towel

Paper Towe Butter

Egg/s

Sugar/Sweetener/Honey

**1. BUTTERNUT** Preheat the oven to 200°C. Place the butternut chunks on a roasting tray, coat in oil, and season. Roast in the oven for 35-40 minutes until cooked through, shifting halfway.

2. ONIONS Place a pan over a medium heat with a drizzle of oil and a knob of butter (optional). When hot, fry the sliced onion for 15-20 minutes until caramelised, shifting occasionally. At the halfway mark, add a splash of water, a sweetener of choice (to taste), and the vinegar.

3. CORNBREAD Place a skillet or oven proof pan in the hot oven to heat up. Heat 80g of butter in the microwave or in a pot over the stove until melted. In a bowl, combine the sweetcorn, melted butter, 2 eggs and the

milk. Mix until fully combined. Add the polenta, flour, baking powder, sugar and seasoning. Carefully remove the skillet or pan from the oven and add a drizzle of oil. Swish the oil around to make sure the base is fully greased. Pour in the batter and spread it out evenly. Return to the hot

oven and bake for 25-30 minutes, or until golden and a skewer comes out clean. Remove from the oven and cool for 15 minutes before turning it out. Due a knife around the odge to halp turn out the corporate Cut.

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4. GLAZE Return the pan, with the caramelised onions, to a medium-high heat. Add the chopped apricots, a sweetener of choice, and 200ml of water. Mix until fully combined. Bring to a boil. Reduce the heat and leave to simmer for 3-5 minutes until the water has evaporated

sauce is too thick for your liking. Remove from the pan on completion, season, and cover to keep warm.

5. PORK Pat the pork kassler dry with some paper towel. Using a pair

and the mixture has slightly thickened. Add an extra splash of water if the

of kitchen scissors or a knife, make a few shallow incisions along the fat to prevent the meat from buckling during frying. Return the pan, wiped down if necessary, to a medium-high heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, sear the kasslers fat-side down for 3-5 minutes until the fat becomes rendered and crispy. Then, fry for 1-2 minutes per side until browned.

**6. YUM!** Make a bed of the rinsed green leaves. Top with the kassler and dollop over the apricot glaze. Side with the fresh corn bread and the roasted butternut. Dig in, Chef!



Caramelised onions work best when sliced finely and cooked slowly. If you have time, fry over a low heat and add an extra 10-15 minutes cooking time.

### **Nutritional Information**

Per 100g

Energy	536k
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Protein	69
Carbs	186
of which sugars	4.90
Fibre	1.4g
Fat	3.20
of which saturated	1.4g
Sodium	3mg

### **Allergens**

Gluten, Dairy, Allium, Wheat, Sulphites

Cook within 4 Days