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# **Greek Ostrich Salad**

with croutons & chickpeas

The Greeks rely on two things: simplicity and high-quality ingredients. This salad reflects that culinary philosophy. A bed of crispy chickpeas tossed with tangy tomato, creamy feta, crunchy cucumber, & fresh greens are topped with seared ostrich cubes and croutons. Finished with a yoghurt dressing.

Hands-on Time: 25 minutes

Overall Time: 30 minutes

**Serves:** 3 People

Chef: Jade Summers

Simple & Save

Neil Ellis Wines | Neil Ellis Wild Flower Rosé

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### Ingredients & Prep

180g Chickpeas
drain & rinse

450g Ostrich Chunks

125ml Low Fat Plain Yoghurt

150g Cucumber
rinse & roughly chop

2 Tomatoes
rinse & roughly chop

60g Danish-style Feta

60g Salad Leave
rinse & finely shred

90g Croutons

drain

# 90g Croutons From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut) Salt & Pepper

Water

Paper Towel

- 1. CRISPY CHICKPEAS Place a pan (with a lid) over medium-high heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, toast the drained chickpeas until golden and crispy, 8-10 minutes (shifting occasionally). If they start to pop out, use a lid to rein them in. Remove from the pan and season.
- 2. O-YUM OSTRICH Return the pan to medium-high heat with a drizzle of oil. Pat the ostrich dry with paper towel, and cut it into bite-sized chunks. When hot, sear the ostrich until browned, 3-4 minutes (shifting occasionally). Remove from the pan. Season and set aside.
- 3. YOGHURT DRESSING & SALAD In a bowl, combine the yoghurt, and loosen with a splash of water. Season. In a separate bowl, combine the chopped cucumber, the chopped tomato, the drained feta, the shredded leaves, the toasted chickpeas, a drizzle of olive oil and seasoning.
- 4. DIG IN! Make a bed of the chickpea salad, and top with the croutons, and the fried ostrich. Drizzle over the loosened yoghurt. Enjoy.



Air fryer method: Coat the rinsed chickpeas in oil and season. Air fry at 200°C until crispy, 10-15 minutes (shifting halfway).

#### **Nutritional Information**

Per 100g

Energy	512kJ
Energy	122kcal
Protein	9.5g
Carbs	9g
of which sugars	1.2g
Fibre	1.5g
Fat	4.8g
of which saturated	1.6g
Sodium	117mg

## **Allergens**

Gluten, Wheat, Cow's Milk

Eat
Within
2 Days