

SENSATIONAL CHRISTMAS WELLINGTON BURGER

INGREDIENTS

 4 SERVINGS 45 MIN CHALLENGING

2 packs Garden Gourmet Sensational Burger

250 g chestnut mushrooms

1 small celeriac

1 carrot

125 ml (vegan) cream

1 tbsp bread crumbs

100 ml white wine

4 sprigs of flat-leaf parsley

sesame seeds

salt

pepper

4 slices of savory pie dough + 2 slices to cut stars

1 small shallot

20 g (vegan) butter

250 g mixed mushrooms

1 tbsp flour

200 ml vegetable stock from 1/2 stock cube¹

100 ml red wine

400 g green asparagus tips

lemon zest (to taste)

optional: 1 egg (to make an egg wash)

CULINARY TIP

Serving suggestion

Serve with side dishes such as cooking pears and celeriac puree (made with the leftover celeriac and potato)

Challenge your inner chef by making these mini Vegan Wellingtons, made with Garden Gourmet Sensational Burgers. They're perfect for Christmas!

PREPARATION

1. Grind the mushroom and veggies

Finely grind the mushrooms using a food processor, chop the onion and finely chop the parsley and carrot.

2. Make the veggie sauce

Fry the onion and carrot in a skillet with some oil and add the mushrooms. Let it cook for a minute while stirring, add the wine and let the mixture reduce until the moisture is almost gone.

3. Add cream to sauce and cut celeriac

Add the cream to the skillet and let it reduce to a thick, spreadable mixture. Stir in the parsley and season with salt, pepper and lemon zest. Remove from the pan and let cool. Peel the celeriac and cut off 4 slices of about 3 mm. Cut them to the same size as the 'burger', fry them in a little bit of oil for a few minutes and let them cool.

4. Fry the Sensational Burgers and thaw the dough

Briefly fry the Garden Gourmet Sensational Burgers in some oil over high heat until they are slightly brown. Remove from the pan and let them cool. Preheat the oven to 200°C and let the slices of dough thaw.

5. Fill up the pie

Roll out the pie dough slices one at a time to about half as large as the size of the original slice. Place a slice of celeriac in the middle, sprinkle with breadcrumbs and place a burger on top.

6. Fold the pie dough

Spread a layer of 'duxelle' (mushroom mixture) on the burger. Brush the edges of the dough with some water and fold the ends towards each other over the filling. Pinch the seams closed and place the parcel on baking paper on a baking tray. Cut stars from the 2 extra dough slices.

7. Bake the mini Wellington, and serve when hot!

Brush all the parcels and stars with a beaten egg or some water and sprinkle with sesame seeds. Bake them for about 10 minutes on a baking tray with baking paper until golden brown.

8. Make the flavorful sauce

For the sauce: fry a finely chopped shallot in the butter until translucent and add the mushrooms (coarsely chopped). Stir in the flour and let it cook for a while. Deglaze with the red wine and let it boil for a while. Add the stock, bring to a boil and simmer for a few minutes. Cut 1 cm from the bottom of the asparagus and cook them until crispy (about 4 minutes). Drain and season with salt and pepper. Serve the Wellingtons with the sauce, asparagus and stars.

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