Menu

Arugula Salad with orange/maple vinaigrette dressing Butternut Soup Sweet Potato Ravioli Wine/Soft drinks/Water

Vinaigrette

2 cps Oil – light flavored about Raw egg 1 TB Dijon mustard about 1 TB Maple syrup

1 TB Oranze zest and the squeezed juice Salt, pepper, and any herb

1 cp White vinegar (can be flavored)

Shallot, diced

Quantities vary depending on how much dressing you need. Can keep in a covered jar in the refrigerator up to 2 months.

- 1. Combine mustard, egg and oil in a bowl and whisk until it becomes emulsified (bonds & becomes creamy). Or mix in a blender/food processor for a thicker dressing. Add other ingredients and continue blending.
- 2. Serve over endive leaves, arugula (or any greens). Top with dried cranberries, sunflower kernels

Soup

Butternut or other meaty winter squash

2 Whole dried chillies

2 cps Chicken/Veg broth or Apple Cider

Diced onion and shallot

Carrots

1 tsp Nutmeg, Cumin, Curry powder

Heavy cream (or substitute w/1/2 & ½)

salt, pepper

- 1. Bake squash in oven and then scoop out of the skin. Mash/puree
- 2. Combine all ingredients in a large stockpot and bring to a boil
- 3. Simmer for about 20 min. Using an immersion blender, puree soup in the pot. (can also do it in the blender using smaller amounts at a time)
- 4. Serve in bowls. Garnish with dribble of cream (or yogurt/sour cream), chopped scallions

Ravioli

Yams/sweet potato
Ricotta cheese
Butter
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Fresh flat parsley

Diced shallot 1/3 cp Parmesan cheese Raw egg (whisked with a bit of water) toasted walnuts Fresh sage leaves

Salt/pepper

- 1. Rub yams with oil/salt/pepper & cook in their skin in the oven. When soft, scoop flesh and put into mixing bowl
- 2. Sauté parsley & shallot in butter until soft
- 3. Mix together yam, parsley and shallot
- 4. Spread wonton wrappers on a cooking sheet and drop a dollop of the mixture in the middle of each
- 5. Wet the edges around the dollop with egg mixture and lay a 2nd wrapper on top.
- 6. Press to remove any air bubbles Use a fork to crimp around the edges so the two pieces are adhered. Make sure wrappers are sealed together
- 7. Drop into boiling water until cooked (when they float to the top)
- 8. Remove with a slotted utensil and drop into the sauté pan with browning butter. Add sage leaves. When nicely browned serve
- 9. Serve with sprinkle of parmesan cheese and walnuts