

BEEF STEW WITH DUMPLINGS

Serves 6-8

80ml cake flour 1kg beef, cut into 2cm cubes 30ml sunflower oil 2 onions, chopped 2 garlic cloves, crushed 410g tin chopped tomatoes 410g tin tomato puree 15ml sugar 500ml beef stock 2 sprigs rosemary leaves (optional) handful of parsley, chopped (optional)

FOR THE DUMPLINGS

68oml self-raising flour pinch of salt 250ml margarine 160ml water

Method

Season the flour with salt and toss the beef through to coat. Shake off the excess flour and reserve.

Heat the oil on high and fry the beef in batches for 2 minutes each side until browned. Season, take out and set aside.

Fry the onions and garlic on medium high for 5 minutes until golden brown. Add 30ml of the reserved flour

and fry for 1 minute.

Add the tomatoes, sugar and rosemary and bring to the boil. Season, return the beef, cover and simmer for about 50 minutes until the meat starts to soften, stirring occasionally. Mix in the parsley. Season.

DUMPLINGS

Mix the flour and salt together. Rub the margarine into the flour until it resembles fine breadcrumbs.

Add enough water to form a workable dough. Shape into balls (golf ball size) and place on top of the stew. Cover with a lid and cook for about 30 minutes until the dumplings are cooked.



MASALA CHICKEN CURRY

Serves 4

4 chicken breasts, cubed (or 8 pieces of chicken)
2 garlic cloves, crushed
3cm piece of ginger, finely grated
3oml (2 tbsp) garam masala
3oml (2 tbsp) margarine
2 onions, chopped
125ml (½ cup) tomato puree
3ml crushed, dried chillies
25oml (1 cup) cream
handful of coriander, chopped

Method

Combine the chicken, garlic, ginger and masala. Set aside to marinate for at least 20 minutes.

Heat the margarine on medium high and sauté the onions. Add the chicken mixture and cook for 5 minutes.

Add the tomato puree, chillies and cream and cook for another 5 minutes until cooked. Season. Stir in the coriander.

Serve with roti and naan bread, or rice.



BOBOTIE

Serves 6

1 slice white bread
125ml (½ cup) milk
15ml (1 tbsp) sunflower oil
1 onion, chopped
3 garlic cloves, crushed
3oml (2 tbsp) butter or margarine
1kg beef mince
125ml (½ cup) chutney
6oml raisins
45ml mild curry powder
5ml (1 tsp) ground turmeric

FOR THE TOPPING

2 eggs 250ml milk 6 fresh lemon or bay leaves

Method

Preheat oven to 180°C. Grease a 1½ litre ovenproof dish. Soak the bread in the milk.

Heat the oil on medium and sauté the onion and garlic. Add the margarine and mince and fry for about 8 minutes until browned. Season.

Mix in the soaked bread (with the milk), chutney, raisins, curry and turmeric. Fry for about 3 minutes until heated through. Season and spoon into the prepared dish.

Topping

Beat the eggs and milk together. Season and pour over the meat. Place the leaves on top. Bake for 30–40 minutes until the egg custard has set.





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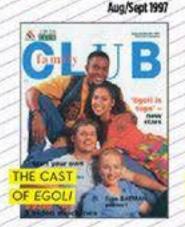
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Today we're still all about you (hats of to all the moms!) and your beautiful kids. You have been our

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Sept/Oct 1999







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MUCH MORE THAN KARABO

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MOVIE PRODUCER

She created shows and movies: Rockville, Igazi, The Gift, Step Up 2 a Start Up and The Queen were created by her and Shona. Their business is called Ferguson Films.







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- * Patricia des Fountain Hazendal
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- *Edgar Arendse Newton
- ★ Christine Lategan Paarl
- *Ruth Jacobs
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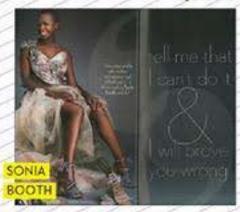


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May/June 2012



Sept/Oct 2012



Dec 2016



Feb 2017



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