

# SWEET POTATO SAMOSA WITH COCONUT YOGHURT

Season: all year round

From the garden: cucumber, mint leaves, lemon, onion, kumara

Type: main or side

Difficulty: easy

Serves: 30 Samosas

**Recipe source:** Al Brown of Depot Eatery and Oyster Bar

#### **Equipment:**

Mixing bowl

Mixing spoon Large frying pan Large Saucepan Baking tray

### Ingredients (Cooking and Serving):

1/4 cup all purpose flour
1/4 cup cold water
Store bought spring roll wrappers
Canola oil
Lemons
Flaky sea salt
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# Ingredients (Coconut Yoghurt Raita):

1 ½ Cups unsweetened coconut yoghurt (or unsweetened thick yoghurt)

1 Cup diced cucumber

1/4 Cup chopped mint leaves

1 Lemon (zest and juice)

Flaky salt

Freshly cracked black pepper

#### Ingredients (samosa fillings):

1 Kg golden kumara (peeled and cut)

2 Tbl garlic (minced)

2 Tbl ginger (minced)

1 Red chilli (seeds removed, minced)

2 tsp black mustard seeds

4 cups onion (finely diced)

3 tsp cumin Seeds (toasted & ground)

3 tsp coriander seeds (toasted and ground)

2 tsp garam masala spice

1 tsp tumeric powder

1/4 cup canola oil

1 ½ cups frozen peas

2 Tbl lemon juice

½ Cup chopped coriander leaves Flaky sea salt & black pepper

# How to make it: Coconut Yoghurt Raita

- 1. Remove seeds and dice cucumber
- 2. Grate lemon zest and squeeze lemon for the juice
- 3. Place the yoghurt, cucumber, mint, lemon zest and a squeeze of lemon juice into a mixing bowl
- 4. Season with a pinch of salt and pepper
- 5. Stir ingredients to combine

# How to make it: Sweet Potato Samosa Filling

- 1. Preheat oven to 200 degrees.
- 2. Mince or chop finely the garlic, ginger and chilli(seeds removed).
- 3. Finely dice the onions.
- 4. Place large frying pan on med.ium heat and add oil.
- 5. Once hot Sauté the garlic, ginger, chilli and mustard seeds to caramelize.
- 6. Reduce heat and add onions, cumin, coriander, garam masala and tumeric. Leave for 15 minutes stirring occasionally.
- 7. Place the diced Kumara in a large Saucepan and cover with cold water and a pinch of salt.
- 8. Bring to boil on medium/high heat until cooked, once cooked, drain and lay Kumara on a tray to cool.
- 9. In a large mixing bowl, combine spiced onion, cooked kumara, frozen peas, lemon juice and coriander leaves.
- 10. Mix up and break some of the kumara to help bind the mix.
- 11. Season well with salt and pepper.

# How to make it: Cooking and Serving ingredients

- 1. Mix flour and water in a small bowl to form a wet paste, this will act as a glue for constructing the Samosas
- 2. Separate Spring Roll wrappers and cut in half to form rectangles, cover with damp cloth until ready to use
- 3. Lay a rectangle on a chopping board and place 2 teaspoons of filling at one end.
- 4. Fold a triangle of wrapper over the filling, then continue to fold the triangles until the end is reached
- 5. Brush the seams with a little flour paste to seal them up
- 6. Repeat until the mix is used up

Place Samosa on a baking tray, and brush with a little Canola oil. Bake in preheated oven for 15-20 minutes until golden on both sides

Serve samosa while still hot with a spoonful of Coconut Yoghurt Raita on the side and a squeeze of fresh lemon.