INDIAN SPICED LAMB CURRY

with warm vegetable curry







Ingredients

Lamb:

2 tbsp curry powder

1/2 cup natural unsweetened yoghurt

1/2 lemon, juiced

4 large lamb rumps, fat trimmed

1 tsp salt

1 tsp pepper

Vege curry:

1 large eggplant, 2 cm diced

4 medium tomatoes, diced

330 g can chickpeas, drained

250 g frozen spinach, defrosted

2 tbsp curry powder

1 cup water

2 tbsp honey

125 g ricotta

For lamb

- Preheat oven to 190°.
- Mix curry powder, yoghurt and lemon juice in a large bowl. Season the lamb with salt and pepper. Slice lamb rump in half lengthwise and add to marinade, coating evenly. Refrigerate until required.
- Heat an ovenproof heavy-based fry pan over high heat. Sear lamb on both sides, then put pan in oven for 12 minutes. Remove from oven and rest meat for 5-10 minutes.

For vege curry

- Heat oil in a large saucepan and add eggplant. Cook for 1 minute, add in curry powder and water. Bring to the boil, reduce heat and simmer for 10 minutes.
- 2. Add diced tomatoes and chickpeas.
- Drain defrosted spinach in a colander, then stir into vege curry to combine.
- 4. Simmer for another 3 minutes, and then fold in ricotta and honey.

Serve the lamb alongside the vegetable curry, a rice side may be added.