



# Apple pudding, brown butter and apple curd, feijoa ice cream

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12 hours

Preparation time

1 hour 10 minutes

Cooking time

12 serves

Serves

# **INGREDIENTS**

# Brown butter and apple

150g butter (unsalted)
150g eggs
50g muscovado sugar
125g braeburn apple juice
50g tart apple syrup
63g praline paste
1 sheet of gold strength
gelatine

# **Apple Pudding**

1kg diced apple
100g of butter (to
caramelise the apple)
200g sugar
2 eggs
zest of 1 lemon
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon baking powder
2 teaspoon cinnamon
powder
1 teaspoon allspice powder
310g flour
60g ground almonds
330g melted butter

# Caramel apple

2 apples ½ cup white sugar Water

#### Feijoa ice cream

13 feijoas (660g feijoa juice) 220g sugar 130g egg yolks 180g cream

#### Cinnamon streusel

50g sugar 50g ground almond 50g butter softened 50g plain flour 12g cinnamon powder pinch of salt

# To serve, per plate

50g brown butter and apple curd
1 apple pudding
1 tablespoon cinnamon streusel
½ fresh feijoa
3 pieces of caramel apple
1 scoop feijoa ice cream
2–3 edible flowers
(optional)

#### **METHOD**

#### Brown butter and apple curd

- 1. Brown the butter in a frying pan on a medium heat, Induction setting 7, once a nutty brown colour remove from the heat and place into a container to cool. Set in the refrigerator.
- 2. Once set, dice into small cubes and set aside in the refrigerator to keep cold.
- 3. Put the eggs, sugar, juice, syrup and praline paste into a saucepan and place on a low heat, Induction setting 3. Whisk the mixture continuously until it thickens or reaches 82°C. Keep the egg mixture moving (don't walk away as the eggs will scramble).
- 4. Add the bloomed gelatine then whisk in the diced brown butter, a few pieces at a time to emulsify.
- 5. Pour the mix into a container to set up in the refrigerator.

# Apple pudding

- 1. Pre-heat oven on Fan Plus at 180°C and line a standard size loaf tin.
- 2. In a frying pan, caramelise the diced apple in small batches in a knob of butter on a high heat, Induction setting 8. Once you have caramelised all, take approximately 650g and place in a stand mixer along with the 200g of sugar. Mix for 5 minutes and follow with the lightly beaten eggs and lemon zest.
- 3. Sift the dry ingredients and fold into the mix. Add the melted butter and allow to come together, scraping the sides.
- 4. Put the remainder of the caramelised apple at the bottom of the greased, lined loaf tin and pour the mix over the top, making sure the mixture is flat.
- 5. Bake for 15 minutes, then lower the oven temperature to 160°C and bake for a further 5 minutes.
- 6. Allow to cool before removing from the tin and chilling. Slice and re-heat in the oven.

# Caramel apple

- 1. Peel the apples and cut into 8ths, removing the core.
- 2. Caramelise ½ cup of white sugar in a dry frying pan on high heat, Induction setting 7, add a small amount of water. Once a caramel colour, lower the temperature and add the apples, poach for 5 minutes.
- 3. Once the apples are cooked, remove from the liquid and cool. Once the caramel is cool, place the apples back in and set aside until required.

# Feijoa ice cream

- 1. Peel the feijoas and juice with an electric juicer and pass the juice through a fine sieve.
- 2. Measure 600g of juice and save any leftover for another use.
- 3. Combine half the juice with the sugar and egg yolks in a large stainless steel bowl. Reserve the remaining juice in the refrigerator until required.
- 4. Place the juice, sugar and egg mixture into a steam tray, place in the Steam Oven and steam at 85°C for 15 minutes.
- 5. Remove from the Steam Oven and cool over ice. Once completely cold, whisk in the cream and the chilled reserved feijoa juice. Place in freezer for 4 hours then mix and return to freezer overnight.

# Cinnamon streusel

- 1. In a stand mixer fitted with a paddle, mix all ingredients to combine.
- 2. Cool the mix in the refrigerator.
- 3. Bake on Fan Plus at 160°C for 15 minutes, or until evenly golden brown.

#### To serve

- 1. Pipe approximately 40g of curd onto the plate and smudge using the back of a spoon. Place the heated slice of apple pudding on top of the smudge. Place a spoon of the streusel next to it.
- 2. Pipe on 2 more teaspoons of the curd and add the feijoa half, caramel apple pieces and finish with a rocher (one-handed quenelle) of the ice cream.
- 3. Garnish with the flowers if you have them.