Nut Roast Wellington

For the Nut Roast Ingredients

1 onion diced finely (optional)

Oil to fry the onion and mushrooms

2 cups of nuts and 1 cup of seeds - I used a combination of

almonds, cashews, walnuts, hazelnuts and sunflower seeds

(if you want a nut free version just use 3 cups of sunflower

and pepita seeds)

1 tbsp fresh thyme chopped fine

1 tbsp fresh sage chopped fine

1 large handful of parsley chopped fine

2 tbsp chia seeds

½ cup water

1½ cups cooked brown rice

1 small block non-gmo silken tofu.

1 tbsp gluten free tamari

Juice of half a large lemon

A good 15 or so grinds of fresh pepper

Salt to taste

Method

- 1. Fry the onion in oil until almost translucent.
- 2. Place in a large mixing bowl.
- 3. Place the nuts and seeds in a food processor and chop until fine. Mix the chia seeds with the water and let swell for 5 or so minutes.
- 4. Place the silken tofu and swollen chia seeds in a food processor and combine for a few minutes. Put the silken tofu and chia mixture in the bowl with the rest of the ingredients and mix well.

For the Mushrooms and Silverbeet

Ingredients

4 large Portabello mushrooms (the really big mushrooms – or get equivalent in quantity)

1 bunch silverbeet

Splash olive oil

Salt and pepper to taste

Method

- 1. Cut the mushrooms into small pieces and fry until brown.
- 2. Wilt the silverbeet in a saucepan and then slice. Finely mix the mushrooms and silverbeet together and season with salt and pepper.



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For the Pastry

2 x quantity of the pastry recipe www.veets.com.au/blog/gluten-free-monshari-pie

For the Cranberry Sauce

Ingredients

1 cup dried cranberries or 2 cups fresh ½ cup fruit juice ¼ cup water ¼ tsp all spice ¼ tsp cinnamon

Method

Place everything in a saucepan and leave on simmer for 15 minutes. With a hand held blender, blend just half of the sauce leaving plenty of the cranberries whole.

To Assemble the Wellington

¼ cup plant milk Pinch turmeric

Method

- 1. Preheat oven to 180°C.
- 2. Place baking paper on a baking tray.
- 3. Mix the milk with the turmeric.
- 4. Get the pastry out of the fridge and cut into 4 pieces. Flour your board and rolling pin and roll out each piece to form a rectangle making the pastry a few millimeters thick.
- 5. Place a spoon of the nut mix along the middle of the pastry in a line, add on some of the mushroom spinach mix then top with more nut roast. Roll the pastry around the nut mixture until it forms a log. Cut any excess pastry off.
- 6. Place the seam side down on the baking tray and brush with the milk and turmeric.
- 7. Bake in the oven for 30 to 40 minutes or until the pastry looks cooked.
- 8. Let cool for 5 minutes before slicing. Serve with the cranberry sauce.

