Slow cooked beef cheeks

Ingredients

- •2 tbs olive oil
- 4 shallots, peeled, coarsely chopped
- 4 carrots, coarsely chopped
- •6 cloves garlic, crushed
- 900g beef cheeks (chuck casserole or gravy beef)
- •1/4 cup (35g) plain flour
- •2 cups (500ml) dry red wine
- •1 cup (250ml) beef stock
- 400g can diced tomatoes
- •1 tbs brown sugar
- •2 sprigs rosemary
- Extra rosemary, to serve
- Mashed potato, to serve
- Steamed green vegetables, to serve

Nutritional information

Per serve: Energy: 2753kJ/659 Cals (32%), Protein: 51g (102%), Fat: 29g (41%), Sat Fat: 9g (38%), Sodium: 512mg (26%), Carb: 21g (7%), Sugar: 14g (16%), Dietary Fibre: 7g (23%).

Check ingredient labels to make sure they meet your specific dietary requirements and always consult a health professional before changing your diet. View dietary information here.

Percentage Daily Intake information on our recipes is calculated using the nutrition reference values for an average Australian adult.

Method

1. Step 1

Heat half the oil in a large saucepan over medium heat.

2. Step 2

Add shallots and carrots. Cook, stirring occasionally, for 5 mins or until shallots are golden. Stir in garlic. Remove and set aside.

3. Step 3

Place the beef and flour in a bowl. Toss until beef is well coated, shaking off excess.

4. Step 4

Add remaining oil to the same saucepan and cook beef for 3 mins each side or until browned. Remove and set aside.

5. Step 5

Add wine, stock, tomatoes, sugar and rosemary to the same pan. Bring to the boil then pour into the bowl of a 5L slow cooker. Stir in carrot mixture. Add beef, ensuring it is submerged. Season.

6. Step 6

Cover with lid. Turn slow cooker on low. Cook for 8 hours or until beef is tender. (Alternatively, turn slow cooker on high and cook for 4 hours).

7. Step 7

Remove beef cheeks with a slotted spoon and transfer to a bowl. Pour sauce and vegetables into a large saucepan and place over medium heat.

8. Step 8

Gently boil for 5 mins or until sauce is reduced and thickened.

9. Step 9

Sprinkle with fresh rosemary and serve with mash and green vegetables.