Pork Vindaloo

Hot Pork and Potato Stew





Ingredients

600g lean pork shoulder, skin removed and cut into chunks

Spice paste

1 tsp of mustard seeds

1 tsp of cumin seeds

2 tsp of coriander seeds

4 whole cloves

4 dried kashmiri chillies

1 tsp of black peppercorns

2 onions, roughly chopped

6 garlic cloves

3 cm piece of fresh ginger

3-4 tbsp of cider vinegar (I prefer 4)

1 tsp of turmeric powder

1 tsp of salt

Sauce

1 tsp of mustard seeds

½ tsp of sugar

4 medium potatoes, cut into 3cm cubes

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- **01** Create the spice paste by grinding all the spices (mustard, cumin, coriander, cloveschillies, pepper) to a fine powder.
- **O2** Place the spices into a blender with the onions, garlic, ginger, vinegar and a splash of water then blend to make a paste.
- **03** Put the meat into a bowl and sprinkle with the turmeric, salt and two tablespoons of the spice paste.
- **04** Mix this all together so all the meat is coated. Cover and leave to marinade for at least 20 minutes.
- O5 Heat a tablespoon of oil in a large heavy based pan and add the mustard seeds. When they start to pop add the remaining spice paste and cook to brown the paste until fragrant.
- **06** Add the marinated meat and stir-fry for a few minutes. Reduce the heat and cover the dish and let the pork simmer for 5 to 10 minutes.
- O7 Add the sugar and the chopped potatoes then reduce the heat and leave to cook on a gentle heat for about 30 to 40 minutes until the meat is tender and the potatoes are soft.
- **08** Check while it is cooking and add a splash of water if and when required.
- **09** The final dish should be delicious with the sauce clinging to the meat. Check the seasoning and adjust if required.

Served with

Always wise to have a small bowl of cooling yoghurt with this dish to dip into as and when you need it.

