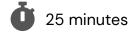


Basil Oil Pasta

with Pan-Fried Feta and Roasted Vegetables

Spinach casarecce from Perth locals The Gluten Free Lab, tossed in basil oil, served with oven-roasted vegetables and chickpeas, pan-fried feta cheese and dukkah.





4 servings



Speed it up!

If you are looking for a shortcut to speed up this dish, you can skip pan-frying the feta cheese. Simply crumble it over your finished pasta to serve.

TOTAL FAT CARBOHYDRATES

19g 24g

96g

FROM YOUR BOX

TINNED CHICKPEAS	400g
ZUCCHINI	1
LEMON	1
CHERRY TOMATOES	1 bag (400g)
BASIL	1 packet (60g)
BASIL FETA CHEESE	1 packet (60g) 1 packet
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FETA CHEESE	1 packet

FROM YOUR PANTRY

oil for cooking, olive oil, salt, pepper, ground paprika, flour of choice

KEY UTENSILS

frypan, saucepan, oven tray, stick mixer (or small blender)

NOTES

Instead of using a stick mixer to make the basil oil, finely chop the basil and mix in a bowl with remaining ingredients.



1. PREPARE TRAY BAKE

Set oven to 220°C. Bring a saucepan of water to the boil.

Drain and rinse chickpeas. Pat dry. Slice zucchinis into rounds. Zest lemon. Add to a lined oven tray.



2. ROAST THE TRAY BAKE

Toss prepared elements on a lined oven tray along with cherry tomatoes, oil, 2 tsp ground paprika, salt and pepper. Roast for 15-20 minutes until vegetables are tender.



3. MAKE THE BASIL OIL

Add basil leaves to a jug (see notes) along with 2 tbsp olive oil, 1 tbsp water, juice from 1/2 lemon (wedge remaining), salt and pepper. Use a stick mixer to blend to a smooth consistency.



4. COOK THE FETA

Slice feta. Place 1 1/2 tbsp flour and pepper onto a plate. Coat feta in oil then press into seasoned flour. Heat a frypan over medium-high heat with oil. Cook feta for 2 minutes each side until golden.



5. COOK THE PASTA

Add pasta to boiling water. Cook for 2-3 minutes. Drain pasta, return to the pot and toss with basil oil.



6. FINISH AND SERVE

Divide pasta among shallow bowls. Top with roasted vegetables, chickpeas and feta. Serve with lemon wedges and sprinkle over dukkah.

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