

Spanakopita

Ingredients

- 8 stems of silverbeet
- 2 spring onions bunch of mint
- Bunch of parsley
- 60 grams of butter
- I onion
- 5 sheets of filo pastry
- 2eggs
- 100grams of feta
- 100 grams of ricotta
- 100 grams of Parmesan
- 1 whole nutmeg grated
- Sea salt and freshly ground pepper
- Extra virgin olive oil.

Method

- Preheat the oven to 180 degrees Celsius
- Seperate the silverbeet by slicing along the stem
- Rinse and dry the leaves in the salad spinner.
- Shred the leaves and set aside in a bowl.
- Slice the stems and place in another bowl.
- Wash and dry the herbs and spring onions
- Slice the spring onions and herbs finely
- Melt the butter in a small saucepan and set aside.
- Peel and finely chop the onion, place in a fry pan with olive oil.
- Cook the onion until soft and translucent.
- Add silverbeet stems and leaves to the frypan.
- Cook until there is no liquid in the pan.
- Place a colander in a bowl add silverbeet onion mix and press down with a wooden spoon to remove excess moisture.
- Meanwhile break the eggs and whisk. Add crumbled feta and ricotta, Parmesan cheese. Add grated nutmeg and chopped herbs.
- Add the silverbeet mix with the ricotta mix.
- Unwrap the packet of filo Place one sheet on a layer of baking paper, on your baking tray. So using a pastry brush coat the butter between each

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Place the filling in the middle of the filo lengthwise wrap up the first end then roll each side over adding butter so the pastry sticks.

Coat the pastry with butter and cook for 15 minutes or until the pastry is