

# Salad with Quebec goat cheese, Espelette pepper and confit shallots with maple syrup

Recipe for 4 persons

## Description

Mesclun salad with honey and white balsamic dressing served alongside goat cheese croutons with confit shallots.

## Note

Mix your salad with your dressing at the last moment only to prevent wilting. In addition, we recommend you sprinkle some fleur de sel on your croutons to add a little texture.

## Ingredients

### For the dressing and the salad

- 15 Ml Dijon mustard
- 15 Ml Honey
- 30 Ml White balsamic vinegar
- 60 Ml Olive oil
- 1 Unit(s) Red pepper
- 4 Handful(s) Mixed greens
- 2 Pinch(es) Espelette pepper
- 10 Sprig(s) Chives
  
- Butter
- Salt and pepper
- Vegetable oil
- Olive oil

### For the croutons

- 0.50 Unit(s) Baguette
- 240 Gr Ripened goat cheese
  
- Butter
- Salt and pepper
- Vegetable oil
- Olive oil

### For the confit shallots

- 8 Unit(s) Shallot
- 4 Sprig(s) Thyme
- 2 Tbsp Maple syrup
  
- Butter
- Salt and pepper
- Vegetable oil
- Olive oil

## Preparation

- Preparation time **30 mins**
- Preheat your **four** at **400 F°**

### General preparation

Slice the goat cheese. Cut red pepper into strips. Mince the shallots. Chop the chives. Chop the fresh

thyme.

#### Preparations of confit shallots

In small pan, heat up a drizzle of olive oil over medium heat. Add shallots, fresh thyme, a pinch of salt, a pinch of pepper and cook until melting soft, stirring occasionally.

#### Preparation of goat cheese croutons

Cut the baguette in thin slices diagonally. Let cook for 5 minutes in the oven to dry slightly. Place a bit of shallots on each croutons and then cover with a slice of goat cheese. Broil for 3 to 4 minutes in the oven just before serving. Garnish with chives.

#### Dressing preparation

In a bowl, mix mustard, balsamic and honey with a whisk, incorporating the olive oil in a drizzle. Season with salt and pepper.

#### To serve

In each plate, place the salad seasoned with vinaigrette and garnish with red pepper strips. Place the goat cheese croutons on the salad and sprinkle with Espelette pepper.

**Bon appétit!**