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Strawberry & asparagus salad

Preparation:

- 1. Remove the crowns from the strawberries and cut them into quarters or halves, depending on their size.
- 2. Peel the white asparagus (only the bottom two thirds).
- 3. Peel the green asparagus (only the bottom third).
- 4. Cut both types of asparagus diagonally into slices approx. 0.5 cm wide.
- 5. Heat the rapeseed oil in a pan and fry the asparagus pieces for about 5 minutes and then leave to cool.
- 6. Mix the asparagus with the strawberries and add the olive oil, maple syrup and balsamic vinegar.
 - 7. Roughly chop the basil, fold in and season with salt and pepper.





Ingredients:

- frozen tarte flambée dough
- 200 g pesto
- salt and pepper
- 100 g green asparagus
- 1 red onion
- 1 red pepper
- 200 g diced ham
- fresh thyme leaves
- 30 g Parmesan cheese

Asparagus tarte flambée

Preparation:

- 1. Preheat the oven to 220 °C top/bottom heat.
- Remove the woody ends of the asparagus and peel the lower part of the spears. Halve the asparagus spears and cut into even strips.
- Roll out the tarte flambée dough, place on a baking tray and spread evenly with the pesto.
- 4. Spread the asparagus, onion, pepper and diced ham evenly over the tarte flambée and season with salt, pepper and fresh thyme leaves.
- Sprinkle over the grated Parmesan and bake in the preheated oven on the middle shelf for about 15 minutes until crispy.







Ingredients for 2 portions:

- 1 bunch of green asparagus
- 50 g cooked ham, cut into strips
- 2 eggs
- 1 tbsp vinegar
- 1 packet (200 ml) of hollandaise sauce
- 2 multigrain rolls
- 1 tbsp pickled capers



Eggs Benedict With asparagus

Preparation:

- 1. Bring approx. 1.5 litres of salted water to the boil in a pan.
- 2. Meanwhile, wash the asparagus, cut off the woody ends and, if necessary, peel the bottom third of the spears with an asparagus peeler.

- 3. As soon as the water boils. blanch the asparagus in it for about 2-3 minutes, then drain and place on a serving dish.
- 4. Drain the cooking water and bring 1 litre of fresh water to the boil in the same pan.
- 5. Meanwhile, roll up the strips of cooked ham a little and arrange on the serving dish together with the chopped bread rolls and blanched asparagus.
- 6. Then add 1 tablespoon of vinegar to the boiling water













- and reduce the heat. The water should only boil.
- 7. Crack the eggs one by one into a cup and carefully slide them into the water one by one.
- 8. Remove with a slotted spoon after approx. 2-3 minutes and place on top of the asparagus. Finish with 1 tbsp of capers and set the serving dish aside briefly.
- 9. Pour the heated hollandaise sauce into a sauce boat and use it to round off the finished dish.

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Ingredients for 3 portions:

- 1 kg white asparagus
- approx. 2 litres water
- 50 g butter for the stock
- 1 tbsp sugar
- lemon juice from ½ lemon
- salt
- pepper
- 200 ml cream
- 80 g butter for the roux
- 80 g flour for the roux





Cream of asparagus soup

Preparation:

- Clean and peel the asparagus and trim the bottom ends. Place the peel and ends in a pan and fill with cold water.
- Add the butter, lemon juice, sugar, salt and pepper and bring everything slowly to the boil.
 Simmer gently for approx. 10 minutes.
- Remove the pan from the heat and pour the contents through a fine sieve (collect the stock).
- 4. Pour the stock back into the pan, season with a little salt and bring to the boil. Add the peeled asparagus to the boiling stock and cook for 10 minutes.
- Lift the asparagus out of the stock and cut into pieces. Leave the stock to cool.
- 6. In a second pan, make a roux with the butter and flour, deglaze with the stock while stirring. Bring the soup to the boil.
- Simmer gently for 15 minutes. Add the cream and bring to the boil again.



Ingredients for 12 pieces:

- 1 puff pastry roll from the chiller cabinet
- 125 g crème frâiche
- 80 g raw ham
- a good handful of grated cheese
- 250 g green asparagus

Asparagus snails

Preparation:

- Wash the asparagus, peel the bottom third and remove the woody end. Meanwhile, preheat the oven to 175 °C fan oven.
- 2. Unroll the puff pastry and spread with the crème fraîche. Cut the ham into slices, place on the pastry and sprinkle with cheese.
- Place the asparagus spears evenly on top and wrap everything into a tight roll.
- 4. Cut the roll into 12 equally thick slices with a sharp knife.
- Place the snails on a baking tray lined with baking paper and bake for about 15-20 minutes.







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