DUCK CURRY

Serves 6

INGREDIENTS:

- 1. 6 Ducko duck breast fillets
- 2. 1 Tablespoon olive oil
- 3. 2½ Tablespoons red curry paste
- 4. ½ Small red onion, finely chopped
- 5. 2 Cloves garlic, minced
- 6. ½ Stick lemongrass, minced
- 7. ½ Red Chilli, seeded and finely chopped
- 8. ½ Teaspoon ground cumin
- 9. 1/4 Teaspoon ground coriander
- 10. ½ Teaspoon brown sugar



- 11. 250ml Chicken stock
- 12. ½ Lime juiced
- 13. Salt and pepper, to taste
- 14. 1 00ml Coconut cream
- 15. Chopped fresh coriander, to taste
- 16. 6 Tablespoons sour cream, or crème fraîche

METHOD

- 1. Heat the olive oil in a frying pan over high heat. Once nearly smoking, add the duck breasts, skin side down, and cook until the skin is a lovely deep golden brown colour. Do not turn over.
- 2. Remove duck breasts from the pan and cut into 2cm thick slices.
- 3. Toss the duck slices in the red curry paste and allow to marinate for at least 30 minutes.
- 4. In the same frying pan over medium heat, cook the onion until soft.
- 5. Add the minced garlic, lemon grass, chilli, spices and sugar, and cook while stirring for 2 minutes.
- 6. Add the chicken stock and lime juice and bring to the boil. Season according to taste.
- 7. Lower the heat and add the sliced duck.
- 8. Simmer gently for 30 minutes until the duck is tender.
- 9. Just before the cooking time is up, add the coconut milk and chopped fresh coriander and heat through.
- 10. Serve with a dollop of sour cream, or crème fraîche.

