# MARLEY SPOON



# **Baked Ricotta Chicken**

in Tomato Sauce with Ricotta Toasts





20-30min 4 Portions

#### What we send

- dried Italian herbs 17
- sourdough baby baguette 1,6
- ricotta <sup>7</sup>
- zucchini
- onion
- · garlic
- carrot
- 2 large free-range chicken breast fillets
- diced tomatoes
- \* The remainder of this ingredient won't be used in this recipe.

### What you'll require

- · olive oil
- · sea salt and pepper
- water

#### Utensils

- foil
- · medium frypan with lid
- oven tray

Our vegies come fresh from the farm, so please wash them before use.

#### **Cooking tip**

Oven temperatures are for conventional ovens, set to fan-forced.

#### Allergens

Gluten (1), Soy (6), Milk (7), Sulphites (17). May contain traces of other allergens.

#### **Nutrition per serving**

Energy 520kcal, Fat 16.1g, Carbs 37.2g, Proteins 49.3g



#### 1. Stuff chicken

Read through the recipe. Heat oven to 220C (see cooking tip). Crush or finely chop the garlic. Combine garlic, ricotta and 2 tsp Italian herbs in a bowl and season with salt and pepper. Cut a pocket, horizontally, in the side of the chicken breasts, without cutting all the way through. Stuff the pocket with half the ricotta mixture and press edges to seal.



# 2. Prepare ingredients

Drizzle or rub the **chicken** with **1 tbs olive oil**, scatter over **2 tsp Italian herbs** and season with **salt and pepper**. Finely chop the **onion**. Peel the **carrots** and thinly slice. Thinly slice the **zucchini**.



# 3. Pan-fry chicken

Heat a large frypan over medium-high heat. Cook the **chicken** for 1-2 mins each side until browned. Remove from the pan. Add **2 tsp olive oil** to the pan. Cook the **onion** for 3-4 mins until softened.



4. Make sauce

Add the tomatoes, 2 tsp Italian herbs\*\* and 125ml (½ cup) water to the pan and bring to a simmer. Reduce the heat to medium, return the **chicken** to the pan and cook, covered, for 8 mins until chicken is partially cooked and the flavour of the sauce has developed.



5. Make ricotta toast

Meanwhile, line an oven tray with foil. Cut the **baguettes** in half horizontally. Spread the **remaining ricotta mixture** on the **baguette halves**. Put on the lined tray and bake for 8 mins or until golden.



6. Cook vegetables

Stir the **carrot** into the **sauce** and cook, covered, for 3 mins. Add the **zucchini** and cook, covered, for a further 3 mins or until the chicken is cooked through. Transfer the **chicken** to a board, rest for 5 mins, then slice. Taste the **sauce**, then season with **salt and pepper**. Divide the **vegetables**, **sauce** and **chicken** among bowls and serve with the **ricotta toasts**.

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