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Braised Rabbit Pasta with Wild Mushrooms and Leek

Prep Time: 3 hours 20 minutes
Yields: 6-8 servings

Ingredients:

1 pkg. Fossil Farms Whole Rabbit, 3 lbs. avg, quartered

- 4 cups chicken or vegetable stock
- 1 cup Fossil Farms Berkshire Pork Bacon, diced
- 2 oz. olive oil
- 5 cloves garlic, peeled
- 2 bay leaf
- 1 medium onion, peeled and diced

Kosher salt

2 large carrots, peeled and diced

Fresh black pepper

3 cups white wine

Leeks and Mushrooms:

- 3 tbsp. butter
- 1 bunch leeks, rinsed and diced
- 1 lb. wild mushrooms (shitake, oyster, portobello, matsutake), chopped
- 2 oz. white wine

Equipment:

Stove

Large skillet

Large pot

Measuring cups & spoons

Smaller pot

Serving bowls

Method:

- 1. In a large skillet, heat olive oil over medium- high heat.
- 2. Season Rabbit with salt and black pepper, sear in olive oil until golden brown on all sides; remove from the skillet and set aside.
- 3. In the same skillet add garlic, onion, carrot and bay leaf and sauté for 3-5 minutes.
- 4. Add Rabbit, wine and stock and bring to slow simmer; cover and allow to cook for 60-90 minutes or until meat is tender and falling off the bone.
- 5. Remove from heat and allow to rest for 5 minutes.

For Leeks and Mushrooms:

- 6. In large pot, melt butter, add leeks and sauté over medium heat until soft.
- 7. Add mushrooms and cook for 2 to 4 minutes.
- 8. Add wine and allow to cook/reduce until almost dry.
- 9. Remove rabbit pieces from braising liquid. Pull meat off the bones by hand and set aside. Note: Rabbit meat has many small bones so be diligent.
- 10. Strain veggies from stock and discard. Return stock to stove in smaller pot and reduce by half.
- 11. Add leeks and mushrooms, and season to taste.
- 12. Prepare pasta following the box instructions. Cook, strain, and add to mushroom and leek sauce.
- 13. Place pasta mixture in a serving bowl with braised Rabbit. Add truffle peelings if desired and enjoy!

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