HOMESTYLE PORK CHOPS WITH CITRUS GREMOLATA

Vermont Castings Homestyle Pork Rub brings out pork's natural sweetness with a smoky-savoury garlic, onion and paprika spice blend. Serve these grilled bone-in chops with citrus gremolata for a zesty take on barbecue.

PREP TIME: 20 minutes COOK TIME: 15 minutes SERVINGS: 4

INGREDIENTS:

2 tbsp (30 mL) pine nuts

1 cup (250 mL) Italian parsley leaves, finely chopped and loosely packed 1 large navel orange

2 tbsp (30 mL) pine nuts

2 cloves garlic, minced

1 tbsp (15 mL) olive oil

1/4 tsp (1 mL) salt

4 tsp (20 mL) Vermont Castings Homestyle Pork Rub

45-oz (140g) bone-in pork chops

DIRECTIONS:

- 1. Preheat grill to medium high. Clean grates and then brush with oil.
- In a dry saucepan, toast the pine nuts over medium heat, stirring frequently, until lightly browned,
 2-3 minutes. Transfer pine nuts to a bowl to cool, then roughly chop.
- 3. Remove the zest from the orange with a micro-plane grater. Cut the orange in half and juice it.
- 4. In a small bowl, combine orange zest, 3 tbsp (45 mL) orange juice, chopped parsley, pine nuts, minced garlic, olive oil and salt, stirring until well combined.
- 5. Rub pork chops on all sides with Vermont Castings Homestyle Pork Rub.
- 6. Grill chops, covered, flipping once, until internal temperature reaches 145°F (63°C), 6-8 minutes.
- 7. Allow chops to rest for 3 minutes then serve topped with citrus-parsley mixture.

