Low carb pizza

1 egg

3 egg whites

2 tsps ghee or coconut oil

30g button mushrooms, finely sliced

5 cherry tomatoes, chopped

a pinch of sea salt and ground black

pepper

1/2 tsp dried oregano or fajita seasoning

1 tbsp tomato purée

20g cooked ham, finely chopped 15g Cheddar cheese, grated (use

dairy free if preferred)

to garnish:

a few fresh basil leaves (optional)

Crack the eggs and egg whites into a large jug and beat with a fork.

Prepare a medium grill.

Melt half of the ghee / oil in an ovenproof frying pan or skillet over a medium heat. Add the mushrooms and fry gently for 2-3 minutes, stirring occasionally until soft.

Add the tomatoes and fry for 2 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add the salt, pepper and oregano and stir well. Transfer the contents of the pan to a plate.

Heat the remaining ghee/oil in the pan. Pour the egg mixture into the pan. Cook for 4-5 minutes or until the edges are firm.

Remove the pan from the heat. Using a teaspoon, dot the tomato purée around the 'pizza'. Top with the cooked vegetables, ham and cheese, distributing evenly.

Place the pan under the grill and cook for several minutes, until the cheese has melted. Serve garnished with fresh basil (if using).

Store any leftovers in an airtight container and refrigerate for up to 1 day.



Salmon hash

350g all-rounder potatoes, scrubbed and cut into small bite-sized pieces 2 tsps butter or coconut oil 1 small white onion, finely chopped 150g cooked skinless salmon fillet, flaked 2 tbsps fresh chives, chopped 40g fresh spinach leaves, chopped a pinch of sea salt and ground black pepper 4 eggs

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Place the potatoes in a saucepan of boiling water and simmer gently for 20-25 minutes, or until tender. Remove from the pan and drain well.

Melt the butter/oil in a skillet or heavy-based frying pan over a medium/ low heat. Add the onion and sauté for 3-4 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add the potatoes and cook for 3-4 minutes, stirring frequently.

Add the flaked salmon, chives, spinach, salt and pepper. Cook for 2 minutes, or until the salmon is heated throughout.

Make 4 small wells in the mixture and crack one egg into each well. Cover and cook for 3-4 minutes, or until the whites are set but the yolks are still slightly runny. Serve.



Enchilada-inspired chicken

1 tsp coconut oil 300g chicken mini fillets, cut into bite-sized pieces 1/2 a small red onion, sliced 1/2 a bell-pepper (any colour), diced 1 tsp ground cumin 1 tsp ground coriander 120g tinned refried beans 50g (drained weight) tinned sweetcorn, rinsed and drained a small bunch of fresh coriander, finely chopped 200g tinned tomatoes, blended (or use passata) 1/2 tsp hot chilli powder 1/2 tsp garlic powder 2 tsps brown sauce (optional) 20g Cheddar cheese, grated (use dairy free if preferred) 60g ripe avocado, sliced

Heat the oil in a frying pan over a medium heat. Add the chicken and fry for 6-8 minutes, stirring occasionally until cooked. Transfer to a plate and set aside.

Add the onion, bell-pepper, ground cumin and ground coriander to the frying pan. Stir well and cook for 2 minutes.

Add the chicken back into the pan. Add the refried beans, sweetcorn, fresh coriander, tinned tomatoes, chilli powder, garlic powder and brown sauce (if using). Cover and cook for 3-4 minutes, stirring occasionally.

Serve topped with cheese and avocado.

Store any leftover sauce in an airtight container and refrigerate for up to 3 days or freeze on same day.

Serving suggestion:

Serve on a bed of steamed rice.



Chicken & Indian slaw salad

¼ tsp cumin seeds
140g carrot, coarsely grated
150g red cabbage, finely shredded
50g red onion, finely sliced
7 tbsps Greek yoghurt (use dairy
free if preferred)
juice of ½-1 lime or lemon
½-1 small red chilli, finely chopped
(optional)

½ tsp ground turmeric 3 tsps fresh coriander, finely chopped

1/2 tsp black mustard seeds

for the topping:

30g salted peanuts or cashews 200g deli roast chicken, shredded Place a frying pan over a medium heat. Add the cumin seeds and toast gently for 30 seconds, or until aromatic. Remove frying pan from heat and allow to cool.

In a large bowl, mix the cumin seeds, carrot, cabbage, onion, yoghurt, lime/lemon juice, chilli, turmeric, coriander and mustard seeds.

Transfer to two serving bowls or plates and top with the chicken and peanuts.

Store any leftovers in an airtight container and refrigerate for up to 2 days.





PER SERVING: 373 Calories 24g Carbs 31g Protein 17g Fat



Spicy satay curry

1 tsp coconut oil 2 tbsps Thai red curry paste 200ml coconut milk 1 small red onion, sliced 1 red bell-pepper, sliced 1 yellow bell-pepper, sliced 3 garlic cloves, finely chopped 1 inch piece ginger, finely chopped 2 red or green chilli peppers, finely chopped 500g chicken breast, diced 150g (drained weight) tinned chickpeas, rinsed and drained 40g crunchy peanut butter 100g green beans, ends trimmed juice of 1 lemon

Melt the coconut oil in a large saucepan over a medium heat. Add the red curry paste with a splash of coconut milk. Cook for 1 minute, stirring.

Add the onion and bell-peppers and fry gently for 4 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add the garlic, ginger and chilli peppers. Fry for 2 minutes, stirring frequently.

Add the chicken and cook for 8 minutes, stirring occasionally.

Add the remaining coconut milk, chickpeas and peanut butter. Stir well and bring to a gentle simmer.

Add the green beans. Cover and cook for 4-5 minutes or until the beans are almost tender. Stir in the lemon juice and remove pan from heat. Serve.

Store any leftovers in an airtight container and refrigerate for up to 3 days or freeze on same day.



Chermoula chicken

20g fresh coriander

20g flat-leaf parsley

3 garlic cloves, peeled

2 tsps ground cumin

2 tsps ground coriander

2 tsps smoked paprika

1 tsp sea salt

½ tsp ground black pepper juice of ½ lemon

2 tbsps olive oil

650g fresh chicken breasts

500g white potatoes, scrubbed

500g large tomatoes

60g pitted Kalamata olives

to serve:

a small handful of rocket leaves (per person) a drizzle of balsamic vinegar

SERVES 4

(per person)

Place the fresh herbs, garlic, dried spices, lemon juice and half of the olive oil into a blender and blend well.

Place the chicken breasts in a large bowl. Add the blended mixture and rub it into the chicken. Allow to marinate for 30 minutes.

Preheat oven to 180°C/350°F. Prepare a large wide-based ovenproof dish. Cut the potatoes and tomatoes into thick discs.

Pour a little oil into the bottom of the ovenproof dish and add the potatoes and tomatoes in several layers, seasoning with salt and freshly ground black pepper, and scattering with olives.

Lay the chicken breasts over the potatoes and tomatoes. Drizzle with the remaining oil. Cover loosely with foil and bake for $1-1\frac{1}{2}$ hours. The chicken should be cooked throughout and the potatoes tender.

Serve with rocket leaves and a drizzle of balsamic vinegar.

Store any leftovers in an airtight container and refrigerate for up to 3 days or freeze on same day.

