Lemon Steamed Summer Flounder with a Brussel Sprout and Apple Slaw, Sweet Potato Puree, Blistered Tomato and Aji Amarillo Sauce

Note: the portions in this recipe are for the seafood cook-off. You may divide ingredients by 4 to prepare this recipe for 4 people



Recipes: Yield 120 portions

Steaming Liquid: Yield 1 Gallon

Ingredients:

• Water, 3 quarts

• Fresh Lemon juice 2 cups

White Wine: 2 Cups

Fennel Bulbs Split: 6 Each

Method of Preparation:

1. Combine liquid ingredients

2. Pour over fennel bulbs and reserve for steaming fish

Sweet Potato Puree:

<u>Ingredients:</u>

Sweet Potatoes 20 each

• 3.5 oz olive oil

• Butter: 20 oz cut into small chunks (approximately 1-2 oz each)

Heavy Cream: 1 quart plus 1 cup

• Salt & Pepper: To taste

Method of Preparation

- Brush sweet potatoes with oil and season with salt & Pepper.
 Wrap each sweet potato in foil & roast in 370F oven until fork tender approximately 75-90 minutes depending upon size of sweet potatoes
- 2. Remove from oven and let sweet potatoes cool to room temperature while still wrapped in foil (approximately 45 minutes)
- 3. Remove potatoes from foil and remove peels from potatoes
- 4. Place potatoes in mixer with paddle attachment then add cream, butter and blend and salt & pepper to taste
- 5. Hold in warmer until service

Aji Amarillo Sauce:

Ingredients:

Aji Amarillo - 8oz

• Garlic: 12 cloves (peeled and minced)

Sour Cream: 48ozMayonnaise: 32oz

Method of Preparation

1. Combine all ingredients in a large bowl and whisk until combined

Brussel Sprout Slaw:

Ingredients:

• Brussel Sprout: 5lbs

Granny Smith Apple: 4lbs

Red Onion: 3 lbs

Method of Preparation

- 1. On a mandolin, use the allumette setting to shave brussel sprouts, apples, and red onion
- 2. Add in vinaigrette to taste just before plating

Vinaigrette for slaw

Ingredients:

• White Wine Vinegar:16 oz

Olive Oil: 32 ozDijon Mustard: 4oz

• Salt/Pepper: To taste

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Method of Preparation

- 1. Whisk together vinegar, mustard and salt and pepper
- 2. Slowly whisk in oil until everything is emulsified together

Blistered Tomatoes

Ingredients:

Cherry Tomatoes: 120 eachOil: Sufficient to coat the pan

Salt/Pepper: To taste

Method of Preparation:

- 1. Heat a large non stick pan
- 2. Lightly coat with oil
- 3. Add in tomatoes
- 4. Once the skin on the tomatoes split, season to taste with salt and pepper

Herb Garnish

Ingredients:

Tarragon, Mint and fennel fronds

1. Finely chop all herbs and combine

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Yield 120 Portions

Ingredients

Summer flounder: 120, 2 oz portions

Lemon Zest: 10 oz

Steaming Liquid: 1 Gallon Sweet Potato Puree: 120 oz

Brussel Sprout and Apple Slaw 120 oz

Aji Amarillo Sauce: 60 oz

Blistered Tomatoes: 120 each Pomegranate Seeds: 20 oz

Herb Garnish: 1 pound

Method of Preparation:

- 1. Coat flounder with ½ tsp lemon zest
- 2. Steam Flounder for 7 minutes over steaming liquid then remove from oven
- 3. Smear 2 tablespoons of sweet potato puree onto the plate
- 4. Place steamed flounder on top of the sweet potato puree
- 5. Take 1 oz of slaw and place on top of the fish
- 6. In a squeeze bottle take 1 turn of aji amarillo around puree and fish (Approximately ½ oz)
- 7. Add 1 blistered tomato on each plate
- 8. Garnish with fresh herbs and pomegranate seeds