

Classic Roast Partridge with redcurrant gravy

Sweet partridge meat pairs well with the tartness of the redcurrant sauce.

Serves: 2 Prepare: 10 Minutes Cook: 45 Minutes Difficulty: easy

Ingredients

- 25g organic butter
- 2 partridges
- vegetable oil, for the tin
- 25g plain flour
- 125ml red wine
- <u>1tbsp redcurrant jelly</u>

Method

- 1. Preheat the oven to 200c/gas mark 6. With clean hands, using your fingers, smear the organic butter over the partridge breasts. Lightly oil a roasting tin with the vegetable oil, add the partridges to the tin and place in the preheated oven and roast for 30-35 minutes
- 2. To check the birds are cooked, insert a sharp knife into the thickest part of the bird, if the juices run clear then it is cooked. Remove the birds from the oven and, place on a plate and keep warm whilst you make the gravy
- 3. To the roasting tin, add the flour and mix well, then add the red wine and red currant jelly and mix thoroughly. Place the tin over a medium-high heat, and continue to stir, bring the gravy to a simmer and allow the liquid to reduce slightly, then serve with your roasted partridge, potatoes and fresh vegetables