Recipe 1: Beef tips

4 servings

Recipe courtesy of the Food as Health Alliance

Ingredients

- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 lb sirloin tip steak, fat trimmed off and cut into cubes
- 10 ounce bag frozen butternut squash
- 1/2 10 ounce bag frozen cut green beans
- 2 teaspoon paprika
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 1/4 cup skim milk
- 1/2 teaspoon ground sage

Instructions

- 1. Bring a large pot of water to a boil
- 2. In a large skillet, heat the olive oil over medium heat
- 3. Add the beef tips and cook for about 5 minutes, stirring frequently
- 4. While the beef cooks, drop the squash into the boiling water and cook for 10 minutes or until soft
- 5. Add the green beans, paprika, garlic powder, salt, and pepper to the skillet with the beef and continue cooking 10 minutes or until heated through
- 6. When the squash is soft, drain in a colander and return to the hot pot
- 7. Mash squash with a potato masher, add the milk and sage, then stir well with a spoon to combine
- 8. Serve the beef tips and green beans with the veggie mash on the side

Recipe 2: Tex-mex soup

6 servings

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Ingredients

- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 small white onion, diced
- 1 green pepper, diced
- 3 cups chicken broth
- 1 can low sodium diced tomatoes
- 2 cans low sodium black beans, drained and rinsed

Instructions

- In a large pot, heat the olive oil over medium heat
- 2. Add the diced onion and green pepper then sauté for 5-7 minutes
- 3. Add the broth, tomatoes, beans, tomato sauce, corn, and spices

- 8 ounce can tomato sauce
- 1 can corn
- 1 tablespoon chili powder
- ½ tablespoon cumin
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 teaspoon cayenne (optional)
- ½ teaspoon black pepper
- 1 avocado, diced
- 1 lime, cut into wedges

- 4. Bring to a boil, lower the heat, and simmer for 15-20 minutes
- 5. Serve topped with diced avocado and a lime wedge

If you don't need it all this week, this soup freezes well. Just store in a freezer safe airtight container for up to 6 months. Just reheat in a pan or the microwave, adding a splash of stock or water to get the desired consistency if the soup has thickened.

Recipe 3: Turkey meatballs

4 servings

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Ingredients

- 1lb ground turkey
- 1 egg
- ½ cup breadcrumbs
- ¼ cup parmesan cheese
- 1 teaspoon dried parsley
- ½ teaspoon dried oregano
- ½ teaspoon dried thyme
- ½ teaspoon black pepper
- 2 sweet potatoes, cut into fry sized strips
- 2 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 teaspoon chili powder
- 1 teaspoon cumin

Instructions

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees
- 2. Line a large baking sheet with aluminum foil and lightly spray with nonstick cooking spray
- 3. In a bowl, combine turkey, egg, breadcrumbs, parmesan, parsley, oregano, thyme and black pepper
- 4. Mix well with hands, then roll out 12 evenly sized meatballs
- 5. Place the meatballs on ½ of the baking sheet
- 6. In another bowl, toss the sweet potato fries with the olive oil, chili powder, and cumin
- 7. Spread the sweet potato fries evenly across the other half of the baking sheet
- 8. Bake for 20-25 minutes or until meatballs are cooked through, flipping the meatballs and stirring the fries halfway

Cooked meatballs can be stored in the freezer in an airtight container or zip top bag for up to 6 months. Reheat in the oven at 350 degrees for about 30 minutes or until they are piping hot all the way through.

Recipe 4: Unstuffed egg roll

4 servings

Recipe adapted from the American Diabetes Association

Ingredients Instructions 1lb ground pork 1. In a large sauté pan or wok, cook the ground pork for • ½ teaspoon black pepper 10-12 minutes or until cooked through 2. Season the pork with the black pepper then remove 1 bag slaw mix • 1 bunch green onion, from pan and set aside chopped 3. Heat oil in pan the add slaw mix and green onions, • 1 teaspoon garlic powder reserving a pinch of onion for garnish • 1 teaspoon ground 4. Season with garlic powder, ginger, and soy sauce 5. Cook for 5-7 minutes until cabbage has softened ginger • 2 tablespoons low 6. Add pork back to pan and cook 1 minute longer sodium soy sauce 7. Serve topped with green onions

Recipe 5: Sweet potato chili

6 servings

Recipe courtesy of the Food as Health Alliance

Ingredients	Instructions
1 lb lean ground beef2 medium sweet potatoes	 Cook beef in a skillet over medium heat then rinse and drain in a colander
1 small white onion1 green bell pepper	While the beef cooks, dice the potatoes, onion, and pepper(s)
 1 jalapeno pepper 	3. Heat oil in a large pot with a lid over medium heat
(optional)	4. Cook veggies in the oil for about 5 minutes
 Chili powder 	5. Add the chili powder, cumin, garlic powder, salt and
• Cumin	pepper and stir well to coat the veggies
 Garlic powder 	6. Add the box of beef stock and the drained beef
 1 box (32 ounces) of low sodium beef stock 	7. Bring to a boil, then cover and simmer for 10-15 minutes or until the potatoes are soft
2 cans black beans1 can diced tomatoes	8. Add the beans and tomatoes then cook for 5 more minutes or until everything is heated through

9. If desired, serve with a lime wedge to squeeze over
the top

This chili will keep in a tightly sealed container in the fridge for 3-4 days or in the freezer for up to 6 months. Reheat in a pot or in the microwave, adding a splash of stock or water to reach the desired consistency.