# Beckta



# Black Cod

### INGREDIENTS

#### Serves 4

#### Saffron Veloute:

- 250ml of Fish Stock
- 50ml of Butter
- 50g of Ap Flour
- Kosher Salt
- 1 tsp of Saffron
- Lemon Juice to Taste

#### **Braised Fennel:**

- 1 fennel head
- 1 cup of vegetable stock
- 25g of butter
- 1/2 tsp of cumin
- 1/8 tbsp of ginger powder
- Salt

## DIRECTIONS

#### Saffron Veloute:

- Melt butter in a pot. Add flour and whisk in on medium heat to create a roux. Add half of the stock right away and whisk in. Bring to a simmer and gradually whisk in the rest of the stock.
- 2. Cook while whisking until thick consistency is achieved. Whisk in saffron.
- 3. Adjust seasoning with salt, pepper, and lemon juice

#### **Braised Fennel:**

- 1. Cut the root of the fennel off, split in half
- 2. Put in covered pan with the rest of the ingredients
- 3. Cook in oven at 300 degrees F, until tender (25-30 minutes)
- 4. Cut the fennel in smaller pieces, brown in non-stick pan

#### Preserved Shishito:

- 100g of shishito peppers
- 1 clove of garlic (whole)
- 1 Fennel top
- 1/2 finger chili
- Neutral oil (to cover ingrediants)
- 100ml white wine vinegar

#### Fennel "Relish":

- 1/2 cup of fennel top (brunoise)
- 1/2 cup pickled red onion (brunoise)
- 7 sprigs of parsley (chiffonade)
- 1 piece of preserved lemon skin (brunoise)
- 1 tsp of chopped capers
- 1/2 clove of garlic
- 1/2 jalapeno (brunoise)

#### Confit Fingerling Potatoes:

- 12 Fingerling potatos (mixed colours if possible)
- 6 garlic cloves
- 6 thyme
- Canola Oil

#### Black Cod or Ling Cod:

- 4 x 6 oz portions (cleaned, skin off)
- · Salt and pepper
- 150ml of unsalted butter
- 2 tbsp neutral oil

#### **Preserved Shishito:**

- 1. Get rid of the peduncle on all the pepper
- Mix all the ingredients except the vinegar in a deep pot
- 3. Slowly heat up up to 180 F, take off of the heat source
- 4. Wait for it to cool down then add the vinegar
- 5. Warm for final dish in pan

#### Fennel "Relish":

1. Mix all the ingredients together

#### **Confit Fingerling Potatoes:**

- 1. Put all the ingredients in baking tray, cover with oil
- 2. Heat up slowly on the stovetop, cover with aluminium foil, transfer in 350°F oven
- 3. Cook for 1H30/2H until fully cooked

- 4. Strain potatoes, keep the oil to reuse 2 or 3 times
- 5. Heat in oven when ready to serve

#### Black Cod or Ling Cod:

- 1. Heat oil on medium high heat until hot
- 2. Season fish with salt and pepper, both sides
- 3. Sear fish on skin side only 3 minutes
- 4. Melt butter in pan and lower heat to medium low
- 5. Baste fish for 30 seconds
- 6. Pat with paper towel
- 7. Finish with maldon or crunchy sea salt

#### Plating:

- 1. Plate in bowl with rim
- Start with potatoes and shishiito, then braised fennel, top vegetables with fish, sauce around and relish on top of fish