

# HEAT LEVEL 44



Savor the perfect bite-sized indulgence with our Cocktail Sausage Rolls - a flavorful fusion of seasoned sausage encased in golden pastry, offering a satisfying and delightful treat for any occasion.

50 Mins 36 Servings

### **INGREDIENTS**

500 ml (280 g) cake wheat flour 1 ml (pinch) salt 125 g cold butter or margarine About 60 ml (1/4 cup) ice-cold soda water **Filling** 

30 ml (2 Tbsp) cooking oil 500 g lean beef mince

1 medium onion, finely chopped

3 slices white bread, soaked in about 80 ml milk

1 ml (pinch) ground cloves

2 ml (1/4 tsp) ground coriander

125 ml (½ cup) Spur Hickory Basting or Spur Hickory Maple BBO Sauce

15 ml (1 Tbsp) chopped fresh mixed herbs or 5 ml (1 tsp) dried

5 ml (1 tsp) Spur Steakhouse Spice

Freshly ground black pepper to taste 1 egg and 30 ml (2 Tbsp) milk for glazing

### **METHOD**

- Sift flour and salt together. Rub in butter with fingertips until mixture resembles fine breadcrumbs.
- Add soda water and cut in with a knife. Knead lightly to a soft pastry. Cover with plastic wrap and refrigerate for at least 30 minutes.

- Heat oil and fry mince until colour changes. Add onion and sauté slightly.
- Add soaked bread, spices, Spur Hickory Basting and herbs. Simmer for a few minutes and set aside to cool completely.
- Roll out pastry onto a lightly floured surface to about 3 mm thick and into a rectangular shape, about 10 cm wide.
- Place meat in a line, down the middle. Fold one side of pastry over
- Brush edge with water and cover with other side of pastry. Brush with beaten egg and milk. (If the rolls are too soft to cut, place in freezer for
- Cut into sections of about 4 cm and place on a greased baking tray.
- Bake in a preheated oven at 200\*C for 15-20 minutes or until pastry turns golden brown.

## **VARIATIONS**

- Substitute the soda water pastry with 400 g readymade, frozen puff pastry or shortcrust.
- For 'half-moon' pastries; Roll out pastry onto a lightly floured surface to a thickness of about 3 mm.
- Cut pastry out into rounds with a cutter of about 11 cm in diameter or use a saucer as a guide.
- Place some of the filling mixture on one side of each pastry round.
- Brush edges of pastry round with water and turn other half over filling, making a 'half-moon'.

Make two small slits on top of pastry with a sharp knife, for the

Seal the edges with a little water and press down with a fork.

- steam to escape.
- Substitute the mince filling by using boerewors or any other sausages, such as cheese grillers. Cut pastry into strips and roll around sausages.
- The inside meat of boerewors can also be taken from casing and used to replace the mince.

**TIPS** 

