# THE GRILLED CHEESE

SOURDOUGH CIABATTA, AGED CHEDDAR, TARTUFATTO, SMOKED TOMATO SOUP

# FISH + CHIPS + SALSA

TORTILLA-CRUSTED MANITOBA WALLEYE, CHORIZO BLACK BEANS, PICO DE GALLO CONSOMME

# PAD THAI PORK BELLY

STEAMED, PAN-ROASTED IRVINGS PORK BELLY, BEAN SPROUT FRICASSE, PAD THAI BAKED BEANS

### **DOUGHNUTS**

CHOCOLATE BEIGNET, TART CHERRY + ANISE FILLING
BLACK PEPPER ANGLAISE

# 1st COURSE PICKUP

# *INGREDIENTS*

1	12.00	ea	grilled cheese sandwiches	(as per recipe)
2	1500.00	ml	smoked tomato soup	-
3	200.00	g	grana padano	microplaned
4	60.00	g	chives	sliced thinly
5	200.00	ml	crème fraiche	-

- → preheat oven to 385F
- → slice each grilled cheese in half widthwise
- → slice the sandwiches again, lengthwise
- → pour the soup into espresso cups
- $\rightarrow$  place the cups and 2 pieces of each sandwich on each plate
- → garnish with grana padano and chives
- ightarrow garnish the soup with crème fraiche, grana, and chives

# **Pan-Roasted Grilled Cheese**

# **INGREDIENTS**

1 2.00	ea	sourdough ciabatta	(1kg)
2 1.00	lb	salted butter	room temp
3 2.50	kg	sharp cheddar (min 3 year)	-
4 2.00	g	tartufato cheese	-
5 250.00	ml	Quebec maple syrup	-
6 200.00	g	grana padano	-
7 60.00	g	chives	finely sliced

- → preheat oven to 350F
- → portion the ciabattae into six pieces each, and slice each portion lengthwise to open
- → turn the bread inside out so that the crust is on the inside
- → butter the outside generously
- → slices cheddar and tartufato evenly and thinly
- → AT PICKUP TIME:
- → finely slice chives
- → heat cast iron skillets on med-high heat until hot but not smoking
- → press butter side of bread down into pans, add cheese onto crust sides
- → place pans in the oven for 5-6 minutes to melt cheese
- → remove pans from oven and press sandwich halves together
- → brush with maple syrup
- → grate grana padano over top with a microplane, garnish with chives

# **Smoked Tomato Soup**

# **INGREDIENTS**

1	1.00	ea	Pavoncella Canned tomatoes	(2.84L)	yield: 3L
2	1.00	ea	carrots	peeled, small dice	
3	2.00	ea	celery ribs	small dice	
4	1.00	ea	onion, yellow	peeled, small dice	
5	4.00	ea	garlic cloves	-	
6	1.00	Т	italian seasoning	-	
7	1.00	ea	bay leaves	-	
8	350.00	ml	heavy cream	-	
9	200.00	g	salted butter	-	
10	to taste		salt	-	
11	to taste		black pepper	-	

- → hot smoke tomatoes for 1 hr in bradley smoker
- → meanwhile, on medium heat, sweat off carrots and onions
- → turn up heat to med-high and add celery and garlic, stirring constantly until slightly coloured
- → add italian seasoning and continue cooking for 2 minutes, until fragrant
- → add tomatoes from smoker and bring to a simmer
- → remove from heat and, in batches, puree smooth and return to a new pot
- → return to a simmer and add in butter and cream
- → season to taste

#### **2nd COURSE PICKUP**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

1 2.50 L pico consomme 2 all chorizo/bean mixture 3 20.00 ptns walleye 4 all tortilla crust/breading stat 5 as needed canola oil 6 as meeded butter, salted -

7 as needed #N/A fresh cilantro chopped

- → preheat oven to 385F
- → warm the consomme and chorizo mix, respectively, and hold warm
- → pass the walleye into the flour, egg wash, and tortilla crust and place, crust side up, on a bakesheet
- → warm steel pans on high, and add oil to each pan
- → place fish into pans, without crowding, and cook for 2 minutes on high heat
- → lower heat to med-high, add butter to each pan, and begin to baste the fish
- → continue basting until fish is 85% cooked, about 120F
- → transfer fish to parchment-lined bakesheet and place in low 200F oven to hold for no more than 3-4 minutes
- → place a small mound of chorizo/bean mixture into each bowl
- → place 2 pieces of fish onto each pile of chorizo, garnish with fresh cilantro
- → pour consomme into pitchers and pour 3oz per person, tableside

# **Pico Consomme**

# **INGREDIENTS**

1	30.00	ea	field tomatoes	-
2	as needed		salt	-
3	as needed		sugar, brown demarara	-
4	4.00	ea	red onion	-
5	14.00	ea	garlic	-
6	2.00	ea	cilantro, bunch	-
7	4.00	ea	jalapeno	-
8	6.00	ea	thai chili	-
9	6.00	ea	limes	zest and juice
10	as needed		citric acid	_

- → quarter and seed tomatoes, saving guts
- → add 2T each of salt and brown sugar to guts and mix well
- → strain through apron while continuing on
- → chop tomatoes into small dice, season with salt and brown sugar
- → brunois red onion, mince garlic, and rough chop cilantro. Add to tomatoes
- → mince jalapeno and chili, add to mixture
- → zest limes into mixture and add lime juice
- → mix well and hang in apron to strain
- → when drained, correct seasoning with citric acid and salt if necessary
- → reserve pico de gallo for other purposes

# **Tortilla Crust**

# *INGREDIENTS*

1 1.00	bag	blue corn tortilla chips
2 500.00	ml	ap flour
3 8.00	ea	eggs

- → put tortillas in robo coupe and blitz until it looks like wet sand
- → set up breading station with flour, egg wash, tortilla crust

#### **Chorizo and Beans**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

1	750.00	ml	black beans	soaked overnight
2	200.00	g	onion, yellow	coarse chop
3	2.00	ea	celery stalk	coarse chop
4	4.00	ea	garlic cloves	smashed
5	200.00	g	yellow onion	minced
6	4.00	ea	garlic cloves	minced
7	500.00	g	ground pork	-
8	15.00	ml	paprika	-
9	10.00	ml	anco chili powder	-
10	8.00	ml	cayenne	-
11	5.00	ml	cumin	-
12	5.00	ml	corriander	-
13	2.00	ea	bay leaves	-
14	30.00	ml	apple cider vinegar	-
15	10.00	ml	salt	-
15	15.00	ml	sugar	-

- → in a pot of water, simmer the black beans with the onion, celery, and garlic until just cooked
- → spread out on bakesheet to cool
- ightarrow meanwhile, sweat off onion and garlic, on medium heat, until translucent, set aside to cool
- → toast and grind all whole spices and combine with remaining spices, salt, sugar, and pork
- → add in onions and garlic
- → add in vinegar
- → test a small amount of pork by cooking it and tasting it to check seasoning
- ightarrow when seasoned, render off sausage until 80% cooked through
- → add beans and continue to cook until sausage is cooked
- → hold warm until needed

#### **3rd COURSE PICKUP**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

1 20.00	ptns	pork belly	-
2 as needed		canola oil	-
3 per recipe		seared sprouts	(as per recipe)
4 per recipe		pad thai baked beans	-
5 100.00	g	roasted peanuts	-
6 1.00	bnch	cilantro leaves	rough chop
7 3.00	ea	limes	halved
8 1.00	bnch	scallions	biase sliced about 1/2 cm

- → heat up several cast iron skillets until smoking hot
- → preheat oven to 400F
- → score and portion pork belly, allow to temper at room temperature
- → lightly oil skillets and immediately place pork belly pieces skin side down being careful not to crowd the pans
- → sear belly on all sides, and return to skin side down
- → keeping the pork belly face down, transfer skillets to oven and roast for 8-10 minutes
- → meanwhile, cook sprouts as per recipe and ensure that beans are warm
- → check to make sure pork belly is warmed through and if so, rest 5 minutes
- → slice belly pieces in half, and place bean sprouts in bowls, garnishing with peanuts and cilantro
- $\rightarrow$  finish with fresh lime juice

# **Lemongrass Pork Belly**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

1	10.00	kg	pork belly, skin on	-
2	3.00	ea	lemongrass stalks	bruised
3	60.00	g	ginger	smashed
4	30.00	g	garlic	smashed
5	10.00	ea	kaffir lime leaves	bruised
6	1.00	ea	onion, yellow	rough chop
7	6.00	ea	thai chili	smashed
8	1.00	bunch	cilantro stems	chopped
9	100.00	ml	fish sauce	-
10	250.00	g	salt	
11	150.00	g	sugar, granulated	
12	6.00	ea	lemongrass	-
13	50.00	g	ginger	-
14	25.00	g	garlic	-
15	1.00	ea	onion, yellow	-
16	100.00	ml	fish sauce	-

- → poke the pork belly all over with pairing knife to help brine
- → combine 2-11 with 5L water and mix well
- → add pork belly and brine in a 4" hotel pan for 24 hrs
- → the following day, puree 12-16 in robo coupe until homogenous
- → remove belly from brine, saving brine and adding 3L of water to it
- → slather belly with paste and place on perforated hotel pan
- → place perforated pan over brine and wrap once with plastic wrap and twice with foil
- → place over 2 burners on high until brine begins to steam
- → lower heat to medium-high and steam for 2 hours
- → transfer belly to a parchment-lined bakesheet and place another piece of parchment and bakesheet on top of it
- → press with 20lbs of weight in cooler until chilled

# **Pad Thai Sauce**

# **INGREDIENTS**

1	1.00	piece	Tamarind concentrate
2	2.00	L	water
3	150.00	ml	yellow bean sauce
4	600.00	g	ketchup, heinz
5	8-10	pucks	palm sugar
6	300.00	ml	vinegar, white
7	400.00	ml	sweet soy
8	350.00	ml	chicken stock
9	as needed		salt

- → bring tamarind and water to a simmer, stirring often, until completely mixed
- → meanwhile, combine remaining ingredients in a large pot and bring to a simmer
- → strain tamarind paste through a china cap into sauce mixture
- → simmer on low heat 30-40 minutes until flavours harmonize
- → season to taste

# **Pad Thai Baked Beans**

# *INGREDIENTS*

1 500.00	g	navy beans	soaked
2 3.00	L	water	-
3 2.00	е	bay leaf	-
4 12.00	g	garlic	-
5 0.50	ea	onion	-
6 600.00	ml	pad thai sauce	-

- → bring beans, water, bay leaf, garlic, and onion to a simmer
- → simmer gently for 30-40 minutes until 90% cooked
- → meanwhile, warm pad thai sauce in separate pot
- ightarrow when the beans reach 90%, strain and add them to pad thai sauce
- → cover and simmer gently for 30 minutes
- → hold warm until needed

# **Seared Sprouts**

# *INGREDIENTS*

1	10.00	L	bean sprouts	-
2	1.00	ea	onion, yellow	minced
3	8.00	ea	garlic	minced
4	5.00	ea	thai chili	minced
5	60.00	g	ginger	minced
6	200.00	ml	canola oil	-
7	50.00	ml	sesame oil	-
8	80.00	ml	fish sauce	-
9	1.00	bunch	cilantro	chopped
10	250.00	g	peanuts, roasted	chopped
11	4.00	ea	limes	zest and juice

- → combine 1-6 and toss together in bowl
- → on pickup, heat several cast iron skillets or rondos until smoking hot
- → in batches, quickly sear sprout mixture for 30 seconds, tossing often
- → dump back into bowl and season with remaining ingredients, reserving some peanuts and cilantro for garnish

# 4th COURSE PICKUP

# *INGREDIENTS*

1 all beignet batter
2 all warm cherry filling
3 500 00 ml icing sugar

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- → preheat oven to 200F
- → preheat deep fryer to 360F
- ightarrow working in batches, add approx 1T of batter at a time into fryer with baskets dropped
- ightarrow continue to fry for 7-10 minutes until puffed and hollow in the middle
- ightarrow as beignets finish frying, rest them in the oven as you prepare the next batch
- → when last batch begins frying, start filling the beignets with the cherry filling
- ightarrow once they are filled, toss them with icing sugar to cover

# **Black Pepper Anglaise**

#### **INGREDIENTS**

1	500.00	ml	whole milk
2	40.00	g	peppercorns, black
3	500.00	ml	heavy cream
4	1.00	ea	vanilla bean
5	12.00	ea	egg yolks
6	130.00	g	sugar, granulated
7	5.00	g	salt

- → toast peppercorns in a pot until fragrant, add milk and cream
- → bring to a simmer, scrape vanilla seeds into a small bowl, reserve, toss pod into pot
- → remove from heat, cover, and allow to steep for 30 minutes
- → meanwhile, whisk together sugar, salt, and egg yolks until frothy
- → strain cream mixture into new pot and return to simmer, add in vanilla seeds
- ightarrow gradually whisk 1/3 of cream mixture into yolk mixture to temper it
- → return to pot and, on low, continue to stir until custard thickens
- → be careful to not let any custard coddle
- → chill over an ice bath in the cooler

# **Chocolate Beignet**

# YOU WILL MAKE 2 BATCHES OF THIS RECIPE!!

# **INGREDIENTS**

1	60.00	g	sugar, granulated
2	60.00	g	butter
3	1.00	L	water
4	400.00	g	ap flour
5	35.00	g	cocoa powder
6	16.00	ea	eggs

# **PROCEDURE**

- → bring 1-3 to a boil
- → stir in flour until dough forms and begins to pull away from sides of pot
- → (this will take some elbow grease)
- → remove from heat and transfer to the bowl of a stand mixer
- → with a paddle attachment mixing on med-low, add eggs one at a time,
- → scraping down the sides of the bowl after every other egg
- ightarrow transfer to a non-reactive container and refrigerate until needed

N'T FORGET TO MAKE A SECOND BATCH!!!

# **Warm Cherry Filling**

# **INGREDIENTS**

1	750.00	g	tart, dried cherries
2	2.00	L	water
3	125.00	σ	sugar

4 5.00 g salt

5 3.00 ea star anise pods6 as needed lemon juice

- $\rightarrow$  if possible, soak the cherries in water overnight
- → combine all but lemon juice and simmer gently until the cherries
- → have softened, about 30 minutes, remove star anise
- → transfee to high speed blender and blend smooth
- → correct flavour with lemon juice and sugar, as needed
- → transfer to plastic squeeze bottles and keep warm in a water bath