

## recipe of the month

## St John's Stout Glazed Pork Tenderloin

with smashed sweet potatoes and braised greens

1 each 4 pound pork tenderloin, fat trimmed and silver skin removed

4 cups (32 ounces) St John's Stout

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

1 cup olive oil

3 large sweet potatoes (about 2 pounds), peeled and cut lengthwise into 1 ½ inch cubes

1 tablespoon olive oil

1 tablespoon fresh chives

2 tablespoons unsalted butter Salt and pepper

4 bunches mustard greens (about 1 ½ pounds), rinsed

4 medium shallots, finely chopped

½ bunch fresh parsley, chopped (about 3 tbsps)

1 sprig fresh thyme

2 cups demiglace, or beef boullion

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- **1.** Slice the pork into <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-inch-thick medallions (about 3 ounces each).
- **2.** Place the pork in a large shallow dish. Add 3 cups of the stout or dark ale, the salt and pepper. Cover with plastic wrap and marinate in the refrigerator for at least 4 hours or overnight.
- **3.** Prepare the potatoes: toss the cubed potatoes in olive oil and salt and pepper. Roast in a 325 degree oven until tender enough to be forked, about 20-30 mins in a regular oven. Using a fork, smash up the potatoes, just enough to hold together. Add butter, chives, and mix. Keep warm until service.
- **4.** Remove the pork from the marinade; discard the marinade. Pat the pork dry with paper towels.
- **5.** In a large skillet, cook the pork in the butter over high heat for 2 minutes on each side, until brown. Remove the pork from the skillet. Reserve and keep warm.
- **6.** Reduce the heat to medium and add the mustard greens, shallots, parsley and thyme. Sauté for 2 minutes, until wilted.
- **7.** Add the remaining 1 cup stout or dark ale to deglaze the pan, loosening any browned bits on the bottom of the pan with a wooden spoon. Stir in the demiglace and cook over medium to high heat about 5 minutes, until the liquid is reduced by half.
- **8.** To serve, arrange a bed of the mustard greens mixture in the center of each plate. Top with the pork medallions and fried sweet potatoes.

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