

LAMB AND CHICKPEA CURRY – AFRICA

Serves 4

Buy or grow it

1 tablespoon vegetable oil 500 grams lamb, cut in 2cm cubes

1 large onion, diced

1 clove garlic, crushed

1 teaspoon turmeric

½ teaspoon ground cumin

1/8 teaspoon cayenne pepper

400 gram tin of chickpeas, rinsed and drained

 $\frac{1}{2}$ – 1 cup water

2 tablespoons lemon juice

Do it

- Heat oil in saucepan, add lamb and cook until browned
- Add onion, garlic and spices and fry until onion is soft
- Add chickpeas and water, simmer for 1½ hours or until tender
- Stir in lemon juice
- Serve with couscous or rice and a tossed green salad



SWEET CORN FRITTERS

African

Makes about 20

Buy it

½ cup plain flour, sifted

½ cup milk

1/4 teaspoon bi-carb soda, sifted

1/4 cup polenta

1 teaspoon salt (optional)

1/4 cup water (if required)

1 large can of corn kernels or 1½ cups of

frozen corn kernels

vegetable oil for frying

Do it

- combine all ingredients except oil together, adding the corn last, mix well
- heat oil in a large frypan and drop one teaspoonful of the mixture at a time into the pan. Use spoons to spread it out. When golden brown on one side turn and cook the other side. Cook the fritters in batches so there are a few in the pan at a time.
- · serve with fruit chutney or spicy sauce