SPINACH-MUSHROOM STUFFED BEEF TENDERLOIN WITH TRUFFLE GRAVY



INGREDIENTS 3 LBS BEEF TENDERLOIN 6 C SPINACH 6 C CREMINI MUSHROOMS 2 CLOVES GARLIC 1 MEDIUM ONION 3 SPRIGS THYME 2 LBS GRAPE POTATOES 3 SLICES BACON 2 C BEEF STOCK 1 CUP PINOT NOIR 3 TBS FLOUR 4 TBS BUTTER 2 TSP TRUFFLE OIL 2 TBS OLIVE OIL TOOTHPICKS SALT AND PEPPER

PREPARATION

BEEF:

- 1. PREHEAT OVEN TO 375 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT
- FINELY CHOP SPINACH, ONION, MUSHROOMS, BACON, AND GARLIC
- 3. HEAT OLIVE OIL OVER MEDIUM HEAT, ADD SPINACH, BACON, ONIONS. ONCE SPINACH IS SOFT ADD GARLIC AND SAUTÉ FOR 8 MINUTES
- 4. BUTTERFLY THE BEEF LOIN, BUT NOT FULLY THROUGH (LEAVE A SEAM BETWEEN THE TWO SLICES)
- 5. ONCE OPEN DUST WITH SALT AND PEPPER, SPREAD THE VEGETABLE MIXTURE WITH 1/2 IN. GAP AROUND ALL EDGES
- 6. ROLL TIGHTLY AND SECURE WITH TOOTHPICKS
- 7. CUT POTATOES IN HALF, PLACE BEEF IN PAN AND SPREAD POTATOES AROUND ADD 1/2 C OF WINE ON BEEF; BAKE 35+ MINUTES UNTIL INTERNAL TEMPERATURE IS 160

SAUCE:

- 1. HEAT BEEF BROTH, THYME, AND WINE IN LARGE SAUCEPAN, SIMMER UNTIL 1/3 LIQUID REMAINS
- 2. ADD FLOUR AND WHISK UNTIL THICK, REMOVE SPRIGS, ADD TRUFFLE OIL; KEEP WARM, SERVE OVER COOKED BEEF