

Seared Chicken & Mashed Potatoes

with Sour Cherry Pan Sauce

2 SERVINGS

⌚ 30-40 MINS

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Ingredients

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 2 Boneless, Skinless Chicken Breasts 

SWAPPED FOR:


 2 Boneless, Center-Cut Pork Chops 

 6 oz Kale


 ¼ tsp Crushed Red Pepper Flakes


 ¾ lb Potatoes

 2 Tbsps Crème Fraîche

 2 Tbsps Sour Cherry Spread

 2 cloves Garlic

 1 oz Salted Butter

 2 Tbsps Red Wine Vinegar or Verjus Blanc

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1 Prepare the ingredients & start the sauce

- Fill a medium pot $\frac{3}{4}$ of the way up with salted water; cover and heat to boiling on high.
- Wash and dry the fresh produce.
- Peel and roughly chop **2 cloves of garlic**.
- Separate the **kale** leaves from the stems; discard the stems, then roughly chop the leaves.
- Medium dice the **potatoes**.
- In a bowl, whisk together the **sour cherry spread**, **half the vinegar or verjus**, and $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of water.



2 Cook & mash the potatoes

- Add the **diced potatoes** and **half the chopped garlic** to the pot of boiling water. Cook 16 to 18 minutes, or until tender when pierced with a fork. Turn off the heat.
- Drain thoroughly and return to the pot. Add the **crème fraîche** and a drizzle of **olive oil**; season with salt and pepper. Using a fork or potato masher, mash to your desired consistency.
- Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired. Cover to keep warm.



3 Cook the kale

- Meanwhile, in a medium pan (nonstick, if you have one), heat a drizzle of **olive oil** on medium-high until hot.
- Add the **remaining chopped garlic**. Cook, stirring constantly, 30 seconds to 1 minute, or until slightly softened.
- Add the **chopped kale** and **as much of the red pepper flakes as you'd like**, depending on how spicy you'd like the dish to be. Season with salt and pepper. Cook, stirring occasionally, 2 to 3 minutes, or until slightly wilted.
- Add the **remaining vinegar or verjus** (carefully, as the liquid may splatter) and $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of water. Cook, stirring occasionally, 2 to 3 minutes, or until the kale is wilted and the liquid has cooked off.
- Transfer to a bowl. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired. Cover with foil to keep warm.
- Wipe out the pan.



4 Cook the chicken

- Pat the **chicken** dry with paper towels; season with salt and pepper on both sides.
- In the same pan, heat a drizzle of **olive oil** on medium-high until hot.
- Add the seasoned chicken. Cook 6 to 7 minutes per side, or until browned and cooked through.*
- Leaving any browned bits (or fond) in the pan, transfer to a plate.



CUSTOMIZED STEP 4 If you chose Pork

- Pat the **pork** dry with paper towels; season with salt and pepper on both sides.
- In the same pan, heat a drizzle of **olive oil** on medium-high until hot.
- Add the seasoned pork. Cook 4 to 6 minutes per side for medium (the center may still be slightly pink), or until browned and cooked to your desired degree of doneness.*
- Leaving any browned bits (or fond) in the pan, transfer to a plate and let rest at least 5 minutes.

5 Finish the sauce & serve your dish

- To the pan of reserved fond, add the **sauce** (carefully, as the liquid may splatter). Cook on medium-high, stirring constantly and scraping up any fond, 2 to 3 minutes, or until slightly thickened.
- Turn off the heat and stir in the **butter** until melted and combined. Taste, then season with salt and pepper if desired.
- Serve the **cooked chicken** with the **mashed potatoes** and **cooked kale**. Top the chicken with the **finished sauce**. Enjoy!



CUSTOMIZED STEP 5 If you chose Pork

- Finish the sauce and serve your dish as directed with the **cooked pork** (instead of chicken)

*The USDA recommends a minimum safe cooking temperature of 165°F for chicken and 145°F for pork.

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