

# German Pink Lady® Apple Cake



## Ingredients:

#### **Pastry**

- ♥ 450ml cake flour
- 💙 160ml sugar
- ♥ 150g butter (hard)
- ♥ 1 extra large egg
- 💙 Salt

#### illing

- ♥ 1 Pink Lady® Apples
- ♥ 45ml sultanas
- ♥ 3ml ground cinnamon

- 2 cloves ground
- ♥ Juice of 1 lemon
- 25g soft brown sugar
- ♥ 3ml ground nutmeg
- ♥ 100g pecan nuts

#### Topping

- ♥ 150g soft butter
- ♥ 15ml vanilla essence
- ♥ 110ml lemon peel

### Method:

#### Pastry

- 1. Sift flour, sugar and pinch of salt into a bowl. Dice the butter into the flour and rub in, then mix to a dough with the beaten egg.
- 2. Roll out the dough on a floured surface and line a 27cm buttered spring form pan. Prick the base lightly with a fork.

#### Filling

- 1. Peel, core and slice the apples and toss them in the lemon juice.
- 2. Bring to a boil. Slowly cook with the sultanas, sugar, cinnamon, nutmeg and cloves until just soft. Place in the unbaked pastry case.
- 3. Sprinkle 100g pecan nuts over filling.

### Topping

- 1. Beat the butter with the sugar and vanilla essence.
- 2. Beat in the egg and lemon peel and mix with the flour.
- 3. Fold in the beaten cream with a metal spoon and spoon the mixture on top of the apples. Sprinkle with flaked almonds. Bake in pre-heated oven at 180°C for 30 min. Then reduce the heat to 150°C, cover with tin foil and bake for a further 30 min.
- **4.** Sprinkle with icing sugar. Serve hot or cold with cream or ice cream.







