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RAINBOW HEAT WAVE BY GREEN GARDEN BAKERY YOUTH LEARNING TO COOK WITHOUT BORDERS.

Lammi, Maimoona and Aliya created their salad concept based on a family favorite Ethiopian chicken and rice dish. Berbere is a hot spice made up of coriander, cumin, cardamom, red chili peppers, cinnamon, ginger, cloves and more and a central ingredient to Ethiopian cuisine. **Chef Coach Sameh** encouraged the youth to stretch their "cooking without borders" muscles and share their native flavors. The young chefs did and delivered a delicious, fun, surprising and exciting salad mix.

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"I'm learning to do more things, which makes me think more comprehensively and less apprehensively." – Alfredo

RAINBOW HEAT WAVE

WITH CREAMY BERBERE DRESSING



RECIPE BY GREEN GARDEN BAKERY YOUTH CHEF COACH: SAMEH WADI, WORLD STREET KITCHEN, MILKJAM CREAMERY & GRAND CATCH

Makes 8 (1-cup) servings

SALAD INGREDIENTS

1 cup uncooked farro 1 (15-ounce) can chickpeas, rinsed, drained 1 cup chopped cucumber 1 cup chopped red and/or green bell pepper 1 cup cherry tomatoes, halved 1 cup mild banana pepper rings (jarred) ½ cup chopped fresh Italian parsley

8 cups shredded romaine hearts and red leaf lettuce

DRESSING INGREDIENTS

½ cup plain yogurt
¼ cup lime juice
¼ cup vegetable oil
1 Tbsp. pomegranate molasses
1 tsp. banana pepper brine (from jar)
1 - 1½ tsp. dried berbere spice blend
½ tsp. dried Italian seasoning
½ tsp. paprika
½ tsp. salt or to taste

TOPPERS

Puffed Rice (find in cereal aisle) ½ cup chopped fresh cilantro

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Cook farro according to package directions. Let cool.
- 2. Meanwhile, in a large bowl, mix all the salad ingredients, except salad greens.
- 3. To make the dressing, process all dressing ingredients in a food processor or blender until smooth. Salt to taste.
- 4. Stir half the dressing into the salad mixture; toss to coat well. Arrange salad greens on plates. Spoon salad mixture on top of mixed greens. Drizzle with remaining dressing. Garnish with puffed rice and cilantro.

Adding seasoned chicken: Rub 4 boneless, skinless chicken breasts with 2 Tbsp. vegetable oil and 1 Tbsp. berbere seasoning. Refrigerate for 6 hours or overnight. Place chicken on parchment-lined baking tray. Bake at 375'F for 15 to 20 minutes or until no longer pink in center. Let cool; chop and add to salad.