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The Fred Hollows Foundation's work with Indigenous Australians is founded on Professor Fred Hollows' deeply felt concern about the severe inequity affecting our First Peoples. Fred championed the human rights of Indigenous Australians and was a strong advocate for self-determination.

Today, The Fred Hollows Foundation works in close partnership with Indigenous organisations to overcome the barriers that impact on Indigenous health. Together we are making real and sustainable improvements to the health and wellbeing of people living in remote communities throughout Australia.



"Everyone deserves the same opportunities in life." Fred Hollows



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Kukumbat gudwan daga

'Really cooking good food'

A healthy cookbook with recipes that feed 10 or more people.

Brought to you by the women's centres of Manyallaluk, Gulin Gulin and Wugularr in conjunction with The Fred Hollows Foundation.



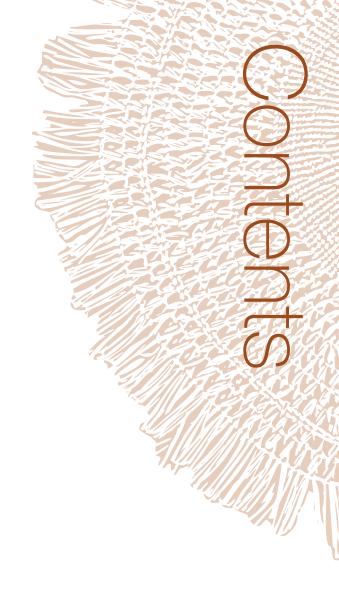


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Women's Centres

Many of the important social services in remote communities are provided by the local women's centres. Some of the roles women's centres play include cooking meals for the aged, disabled and school children, managing a community laundry service, child and maternal health programs, crèches, as well as supporting families who are going through hard times.

Women's centres are also a great place for people to work together on art and craft activities and to socialise and enjoy each other's company. The centres give women a stronger collective voice in their local community councils and keep social services at the forefront of community planning.

The Fred Hollows Foundation supports the good governance of women's centres and provides training, management advice and creates opportunities for the women to share their experiences with women from other centres and regions.

The women's centres in Gulin Gulin, Wugularr and Manyallaluk worked throughout 2008 with the Health Promotion Women's Development Coordinator from The Foundation to develop the Kukumbat Gudwan Daga cookbook. It was created to meet the centres' cooking and nutrition needs.

The women identified the need for the cookbook to include recipes that cater for large numbers and to give step by step instructions using photos. The cookbook fits within the school nutrition program guidelines and the Australian dietary guidelines. The women's centres worked with a chef to choose and trial the recipes. They also worked with a designer on the layout and a photographer who offered digital camera training.

Working on this cook book has meant that the women's centre workers have not only learned new skills and developed a cook book that will help with the day to day management of their centres, but has also created many other positive benefits for the wider community.

For example, the artist, Glen Wesan, whose design is used in this cook book from her handwoven mat, receives lunch from the Wugularr women's centre. As Glen lives in the aged care facility, she has enjoyed the wonderful healthy meals the women's centre has been cooking. With the support from Djilpin Arts at the Ghunmarn Culture centre, she was very happy to have her art included in this project.



"Mibala laigim kukumbat daga blanga ola ol pipul en biginini langa skul en ola lilwan biginini langa kreish."

"We love cooking for the old people, school kids and crèche kids. The community come and look and they love our food."

Manyallaluk Women's Centre



Spaghetti Bolognaise















		Beef Mince (kg)	Onion	Carrot	Capsicum	Corn Kernels (420g)	Tomatoes (800g)
	10 people	1	2	2	2	1	1
	30 people	3	5 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	3	3
	50 people	5	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	5	5
	100 people	10	15 (3kg)	20 (4kg)	20 (4kg)	10	10





Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



4
Add the tomatoes, garlic, tomato paste, vegemite, mixed herbs, bay leaves and stir.



2 Heat the oil in a pot, add mince and fry until brown.



Add some water just to cover the top of the mince and simmer on low heat for 1 hour.



3
Place diced onions, carrots, capsicum and corn into the pot and stir.



Serve with pasta, rice or bread.
See 'Basics' section for rice and pasta recipes.











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Garlic (Tablespoon)	Tomato Paste (Tablespoon)	Vegemite (Tablespoon)	Mixed Herbs (Tablespoon)	Bay Leaves (Optional)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
1	2	1	1	3	2
3	6	3	3	5	4
4	10	5	4	10	4
6	20	10	6	10	4

Minestrone Soup













	Onion	Carrot	Celery Bunch	Zucchini	Cabbage	4 Bean Mix (400g)	
10 people	2	2	1	2	1/2	1	
30 people	5 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	2	6 (1kg)	1	3	
50 people	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	4	10 (2kg)	2	5	
100 people	15 (3kg)	20 (4kg)	8	20 (4kg)	4	10	





Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



Turn heat down to low and add pasta.



2 Heat oil in a pot. Add tomatoes, beans and garlic. Fry until soft.



5 Simmer until the pasta is soft.



3 Add water to cover and bring to the boil.



6 Serve.









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Chopped Tomatoes (800g)	Garlic (Tablespoon)	Pasta Shells (500g)	Water (Litre)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
1	1	1	5	2
3	3	3 (1½ kg)	15	4
5	4	5 (2½ kg)	25	4
10	6	10 (5kg)	50	4

Tuna Pasta Bake















		Tuna (425g)	Onion	Pasta (1kg)	Egg (Raw)	Capsicum	Frozen Peas and Corn (400g)
	10 people	2	1	1	6	2	1
	30 people	6	3	3	18	6 (1kg)	3
	50 people	10	5 (1kg)	5	24 (2 Dozen)	10 (2kg)	5
	100 people	20	10 (2kg)	10	48 (4 Dozen)	20 (4kg)	10





This recipe uses pasta and white sauce with cheese. Prepare the pasta and white sauce using the recipes found on page 68 of this book.



4
Add cheese sauce and stir.



2 Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



5
Place into a deep baking dish sprayed with vegetable oil spray.



3
Mix together tuna,
chopped onion, cooked
pasta, peas and corn,
chopped capsicum and
raw eggs.



Sprinkle shredded cheese over the top and bake for 1 hour at 180°C or until top is golden brown.







Shredded	
Cheese	

Vegetable Oil Spray

White Sauce

1 Cup

see page 68

3 Cups

5 Cups

10 Cups



Chicken Noodle & Sweet Corn Soup









Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



Add water to the pot and bring to the boil. Then turn down the heat to low and simmer for 40 - 50 minutes.



2 Heat the oil in a pot and fry onions, carrots and capsicum until soft.



5 Place creamed corn, corn kernels and noodles into the pot. Stir.



3 Cut the chicken into bite size pieces and add to the pot, stir until brown.



Serve when noodles are soft.







Corn Kernels (420g)	Noodles (200g)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
2	5	2
6	15	4
10	25	4
20	50	4



Ham & Potato Salad















	Potato	Capsicum	Ham	Egg (Hard Boiled)	Mayonnaise (Cup)	Mustard (Tablespoon)
10 people	10 (2kg)	1	500g	4	1	2
30 people	30 (6kg)	3 (500g)	1kg	12 (1 Dozen)	3	6
50 people	50 (10kg)	5 (1kg)	2kg	18	5	8
100 people	100 (20kg)	10 (2kg)	5kg	24 (2 Dozen)	10	10





This recipe uses hard boiled eggs. Prepare the eggs using the recipe found on page 72 of this book. Allow eggs to cool. Remove shells and cut up into small pieces.



4
Put all ingredients into a bowl with the potatoes and eggs.



Boil the potatoes until they are soft. Cool under running water and then cut into bite size pieces.



5 Add mayonnaise and mustard.



3
Dice the ham and capsicum and gather all ingredients.



6 Combine all ingredients together and serve.



Shepherd's Pie















	Beef Mince (kg)	Potato	Onion	Egg (Raw)	Vegetables (2kg)	Sauce (Tablespoon)	
10 people	1	5 (1kg)	2	2	1/2	2	
30 people	3	15 (3kg)	5 (1kg)	6	1	6	
50 people	5	25 (5kg)	10 (2kg)	12 (1 Dozen)	2	8	
100 people	10	50 (10kg)	15 (3kg)	24 (2 Dozen)	4	10	





Peel and boil the potatoes until they are soft. Mash potatoes and mix through eggs.



4 Add vegetables, worcestershire sauce, gravy mix, and water to cover mince. Bring to the boil.



2 Chop onions and gather all ingredients.



5
Place mince mixture into a deep baking dish and spread mashed potato over the top. Sprinkle with cheese.



3
Heat the oil in a pot.
Add mince and onion and fry until brown.



6
Bake in the oven at 180°C for 45 minutes or until the top is golden brown.







Gravy Mix (Tablespoon)	Shredded Cheese (Cup)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
2	1	2
6	3	4
10	5	4
15	10	4

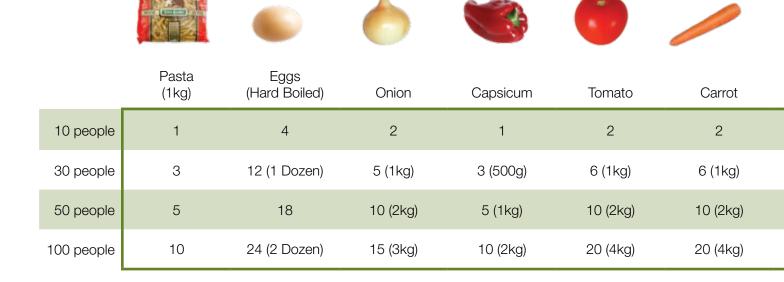
TIP
The bolognaise sauce recipe would also make a great base for shepherd's pie.

TIP

Use two or more large pots when cooking for 100 people to make sure the mince is cooked properly.

Pasta Salad









1 Cook pasta using the recipe found on page 69 of this book. Cool under cold running water.



4
Gather all ingredients.



2
This recipe uses hard boiled eggs. Prepare the eggs using the recipe found on page 72 of this book. Allow eggs to cool. Remove shells and cut up into small pieces.



5
Mix pasta with diced onions, grated carrot, diced capsicums and the boiled eggs.



3 Chop vegetables and grate carrot.



6 Stir through tomato paste, garlic and lemon juice and serve.







Garlic (Tablespoon)	Tomato Paste (Tablespoon)	Lemon Juice (Tablespoon)
1	2	1
3	6	3
4	10	5
6	20	6

Lasagna













	Lasagna (500g)	Shredded Cheese (Cup)	Vegetable Oil Spray	Bolognaise Sauce	White Sauce
10 people	2 (1kg)	2		see page 6	see page 68
30 people	6 (3kg)	6			
50 people	10 (5kg)	10			
100 people	20 (10kg)	20			





This recipe uses bolognaise sauce and white sauce. Make the sauces using the bolognese recipe on page 6 and the white sauce recipe on page 68 of this book.



4
Repeat by making 2 more layers.



2
Gather all ingredients.



5
Pour white sauce over the top and sprinkle with cheese.



Spray baking dish with vegetable oil spray.
Place a layer of lasagna sheets on bottom of dish and spoon some of the bolognaise sauce over the top



Bake in the oven at 180°C for 1 hour or until golden brown.

TIP A layer of bolognaise sauce can also be used on the bottom of the baking dish.

Chicken & Vegetables in White Sauce









This recipe uses white sauce. Make the sauce using the white sauce recipe found on page 68 of this book.



4
Heat the vegetable oil in a pot and then add the chicken. Fry until light brown.



2 Cut chicken into bite size pieces.



Add the vegetables to the pot and stir until soft.



3 Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



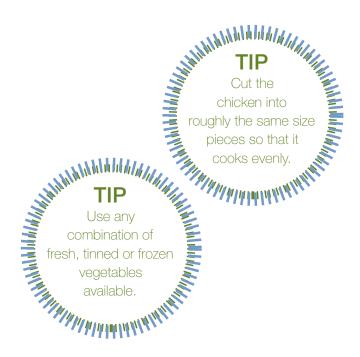
Pour the white sauce into the pot. Simmer on low heat for 30 - 40 minutes. Serve with rice, pasta or bread. See 'Basics' section for rice and pasta recipes.







Mushroom	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)	White Sauce
10	2	see page 68
30 (300g)	4	
50 (500g)	4	
100 (1kg)	4	



Baked Lamb or Pork Chops with Vegetables



	Lean Lamb or Pork Chops					Sweet Potato
	(kg)	Carrot	Onion	Tomato	Potato	or Pumpkin
10 people	2	1	2	2	2	1 sweet potato or 1/4 pumpkin
30 people	6	3 (500g)	5 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	3 sweet potato or ½ pumpkin
50 people	10	6 (1kg)	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	5 sweet potato or 3/4 pumpkin
100 people	20	10 (2kg)	15	20 (4kg)	20 (4kg)	10 sweet potato or 1 pumpkin





Trim fat from chops.



4 Spread peas, potatoes, pumpkin or sweet potato over the top of the meat and season with herbs and garlic.



Slice the vegetables and gather all ingredients.



5
Pour some water into the dish to cover first layer of chops.



3 In a baking dish, spread onions and tomatoes onto the bottom of the tray and place a layer of chops over the top.



6
Bake in the oven at 180°C for 1 hour or until meat is cooked.





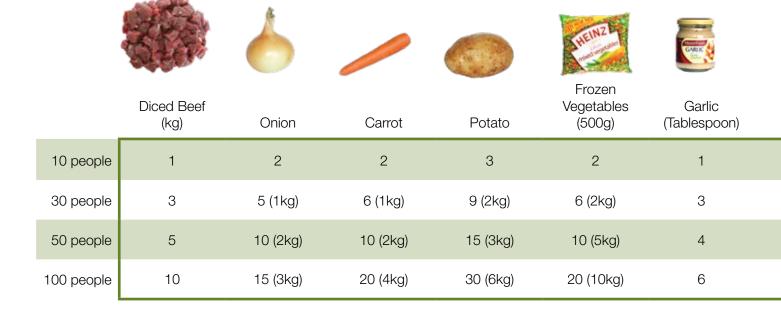


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	1	2	1
	3	6	3
	5	8	4
-	10	10	6



Beef Curry









Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



Add garlic, ginger and curry powder and stir.



Heat the oil in a pot, add beef and fry until brown.



Add some water just to cover the top of the beef and bring to the boil.



Add onions, carrots, potato and vegetables. Stir until soft.



6
Stir through corn flour and then turn heat down low and simmer for 40 - 50 minutes or until meat is cooked. Serve with rice, pasta or bread. See 'Basics' section for rice and pasta recipes.

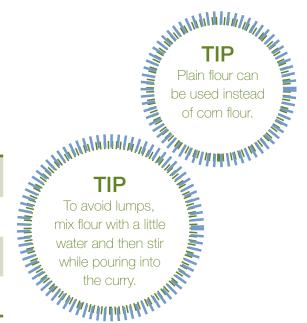






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Ginger (Tablespoon)	Curry Powder (Tablespoon)	Corn Flour (Tablespoon)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
1	1	1	2
3	3	3	4
4	5	5	4
6	10	10	4



Tuna & Potato Patties













Frozen Peas



	Tuna (425g)	Onion	Potato	Egg (Raw)	and Corn (500g)	Bread Crumbs (Cup)
10 people	2	2	4	3	1	2
30 people	6	5 (1kg)	10 (2kg)	9	3	6
50 people	10	10 (2kg)	20 (3kg)	12 (1 Dozen)	5	10
100 people	20	15 (3kg)	40 (7kg)	24 (2 Dozen)	10	20





1
Peel and boil the potatoes until they are soft and then mash.



Roll into patties and cover in bread crumbs before placing onto tray sprayed with vegetable oil.



2 Chop onion, drain tuna and gather all ingredients.



5Cover with plastic wrap and put in fridge for 30 minutes to set.



3 Mix together onions, peas and corn, drained tuna and eggs with the mashed potato.



6
Place in the oven at 180°C for 40 minutes or until golden brown.
Serve with salad.



Vegetable Oil Spray

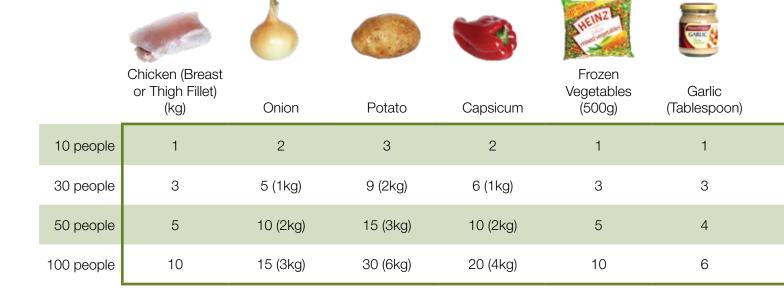
Also great for school lunches and sandwiches.

TIP

You could also fry the fritters in a very small amount of oil on a stove top fry pan or in an electric fry pan.

Thai Chicken Curry









1 Chop vegetables, dice chicken and gather all ingredients.



4 Add garlic, ginger, coriander, cumin and stir.



2 Heat the oil in a pot and fry the chicken until brown.



5 Add light coconut milk and stir.



Add onions, potatoes, carrots, capsicum, peas and corn and stir.



6
Bring to the boil. Turn down to low heat.
Simmer for 1 hour or until thickened. Serve with rice, pasta or bread.
See 'Basics' section for rice and pasta recipes.











Ginger (Tablespoon)	Ground Coriander (Tablespoon)	Ground Cumin (Tablespoon)	Light Coconut Milk (400ml)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
1	1	1	2	2
3	3	3	6	4
4	4	4	10	4
6	6	6	20	4

Use any combination of fresh, tinned or frozen vegetables available.

Salmon & Sweet Corn Fritters















	Pink Salmon (415g)	Potato	Onion	Capsicum	Corn Kernels (420g)	Frozen Peas (500g)
10 people	2	4	2	1	1	1
30 people	6	10 (2kg)	5 (1kg)	3 (500kg)	3	3
50 people	10	20 (3kg)	10 (2kg)	5 (1kg)	5	5
100 people	20	40 (7kg)	15 (3kg)	10 (2kg)	10	10





1
Peel potatoes. Boil the potatoes until they are soft and then mash.



4
Roll into patties and cover in bread crumbs before placing on to a tray sprayed with vegetable oil.



2 Chop onions finely and gather all ingredients.



5 Cover with plastic wrap and place in the fridge for 30 minutes to set.



3 Mix together drained salmon, peas, capsicum, onions, corn kernels, eggs and mashed potato in a large bowl.



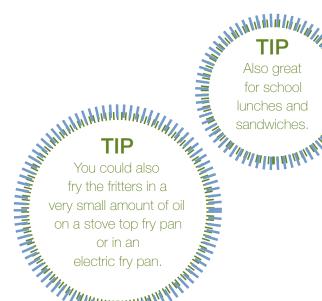
6
Place in the oven at 180°C for 30 minutes or until golden brown.
Serve with salad.







Egg (Raw)	Bread Crumbs (Cup)	Vegetable Oil Spray
2	2	
6	6	
12 (1 Dozen)	10	
24 (2 Dozen)	20	



Beef Stew















	_	Diced Beef (kg)	Onion	Carrot	Potato	Broccoli (Head)	Cauliflower (Head)	
	10 people	1	2	2	2	1	1/2	
	30 people	3	5 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	3	1	
	50 people	5	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	5	2	
	100 people	10	15 (3kg)	20 (4kg)	20 (4kg)	10	5	





Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



4
Add beef stock powder and garlic to the pot and stir.



2
Heat the oil in a pot, add beef and fry until brown.



5 Add some water to cover the top of the beef, and bring to the boil.



3
Add vegetables and stir.



6
Stir through corn flour.
Turn heat down low
and simmer for
40 - 50 minutes until
beef is cooked. Serve
with rice, pasta or bread.
See 'Basics' section for
rice and pasta recipes.









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Chopped Tomatoes (425g)	Beef Stock Powder (Tablespoon/ Cubes)	Garlic (Tablespoon)	Corn Flour (Tablespoon)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
1	2	1	1	2
3	6	3	3	4
5	8	4	5	4
10	15	6	10	4



TIP

To avoid lumps, mix flour with a little water and then stir while pouring in to stew.

Kangaroo Tail Stew











Frozen Mixed





		Kangaroo Tail	Onion	Potato	Vegetables (2kg)	Baked Beans (420g)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)	
	10 people	1	2	2	1	2	2	
	30 people	3	5 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	3	6	4	
	50 people	5	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	5	10	4	
	100 people	10	15 (3kg)	20 (4kg)	10	20	4	





Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



4
Add some water to cover the top of the meat and bring to the boil.



2 Heat the oil in a pot, add kangaroo and onion. Fry until brown.



5
Turn heat down to low and simmer for 1½ - 2 hours.



Add vegetables and baked beans and stir.



6 Serve with rice, pasta or bread. See 'Basics' section for rice and pasta recipes.



Fried Rice















	Rice - Long Grain (1kg)	Ham	Frozen Peas and Corn (500g)	Onion	Capsicum	Egg (Raw)
10 people	1	500g	1	2	1	3
30 people	3	1kg	3	5 (1kg)	3 (500g)	6
50 people	5	2kg	5	10 (2kg)	5 (1kg)	12 (1 Dozen)
100 people	10	5kg	10	15 (3kg)	10 (2kg)	24 (2 Dozen)





This recipes uses rice. Cook the rice using the recipe found on page 70 of this book.



4
Allow the cooked eggs to cool and chop into pieces.



Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



5
Fry onions in oil with capsicum, carrot, peas and corn. Add diced ham and eggs.



3
Beat eggs together in a bowl and add to hot pan with oil. Cook until solid and then remove.



6
Stir through the cooked rice and soy sauce. Serve.







Carrot	Soy Sauce (Tablespoon)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
2	2	2
6 (1kg)	6	4
10 (2kg)	10	4
20 (4kg)	15	4

Mince with Vegetables and Pasta





10

100 people



Chopped

10





Frozen Mixed

10



Powder

15



6

		Beet Mince (kg)	Iomatoes (800g)	Onion	Vegetables (2kg)	(Tablespoon/ Cubes)	Garlic (Tablespoon)	
	10 people	1	1	2	1	2	1	
	30 people	3	3	5 (1kg)	3	6	3	
	50 people	5	5	10 (2kg)	5	8	4	

15 (3kg)





Gather all ingredients.



4 Add pasta.



2 Heat oil in a pot. Add mince and onion and fry until brown.



5
Add enough water to cover ingredients and bring to the boil.



3 Add tinned tomatoes, vegetables, beef stock, garlic and stir.

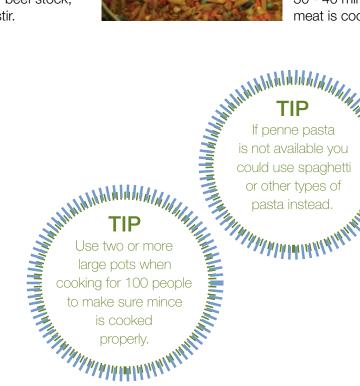


6
Turn heat down low and simmer for 30 - 40 minutes or until meat is cooked. Serve.

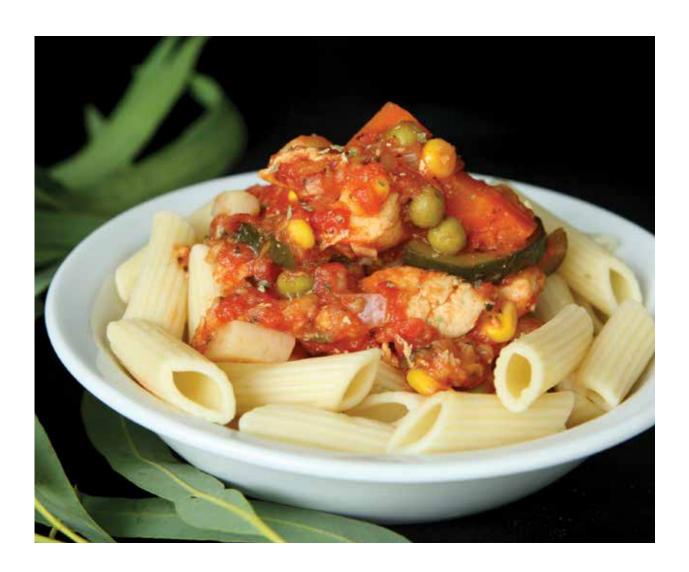


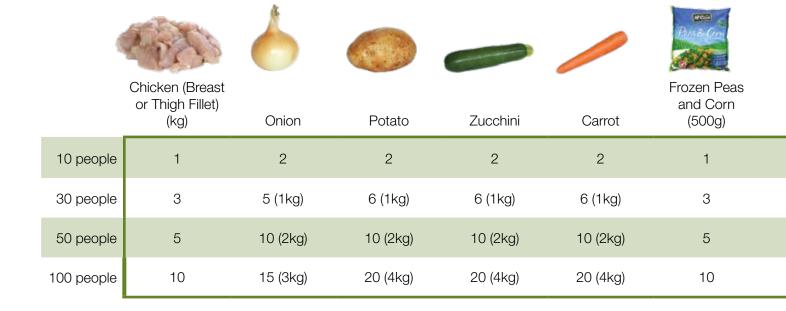


Pasta (500g)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
1	2
3	4
5	4
10	4



Chicken Casserole









Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



4
Add the vegetables and tinned tomatoes to the pot.



Dice up chicken into bite size pieces.



Add the mixed herbs and garlic to the pot. Stir all ingredients together and simmer on low heat for 1 hour or until chicken is cooked. Stir occasionally.



3
Heat the oil in a pot.
Add chicken pieces and onion and fry until brown.



6 Serve with rice, pasta or bread. See 'Basics' section for rice and pasta recipes.







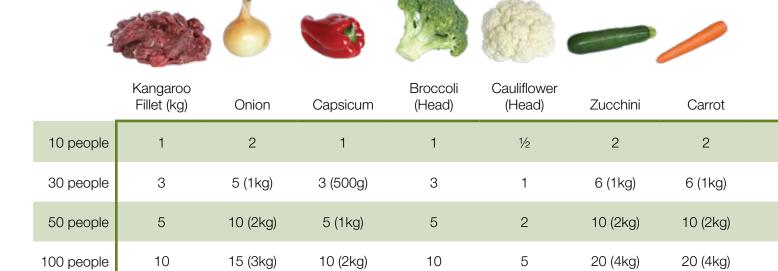


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Chopped Tomatoes (800g)	Garlic (Tablespoon)	Mixed Herbs (Tablespoon)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
1	1	1	2
3	3	3	4
5	4	4	4
10	6	6	4



Kangaroo in Oyster Sauce with Stir Fried Vegetables









Chop vegetables and gather all ingredients.



Add vegetables to a pot with vegetable oil and stir through with a little water.



Mix the thinly sliced kangaroo fillet with the ginger, garlic, herbs, cumin and soy sauce. Allow to marinate for 30 minutes.



5
Add kangaroo fillet to the pot with vegetables.



3
Heat a pan with oil to a high heat and add kangaroo fillet.
Stir quickly, allowing it to brown. Remove kangaroo fillet from the pan and set aside.



6
Stir in the oyster sauce.
Serve with rice, pasta
or bread. See 'Basics'
section for rice and
pasta recipes.











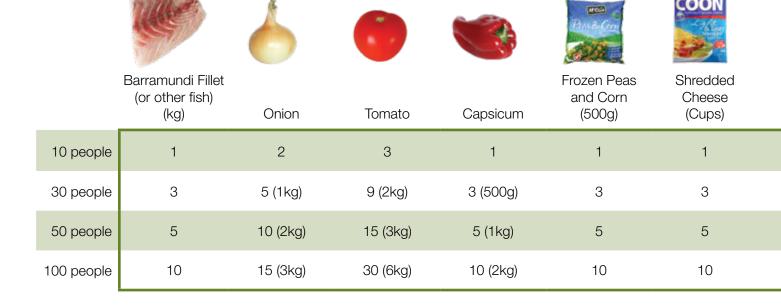


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Garlic (Tablespoon)	Ginger (Tablespoon)	Mixed Herbs (Tablespoon)	Cumin Powder (Optional) (Tablespoon)	Oyster Sauce (Cup)	Soy Sauce (Cup)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)
1	1	1	1	1	1	2
3	3	3	3	3	3	4
5	5	5	5	5	5	4
6	6	6	6	6	6	4

Baked Fish Fillets









Slice vegetables and gather all ingredients.



4 Pour a small amount of lemon juice over the fish fillets.



Cut fish fillets into single serve portions. Lay fillets on a tray sprayed with vegetable oil.



5 Sprinkle shredded cheese over the top of each portion.



3 Cover fish with the sliced onion, tomato, capsicum and the peas and corn.



6
Place in the oven at 180°C for 30 - 40 minutes or until the fish is cooked. Serve with salad and rice, pasta or bread. See 'Basics' section for rice and pasta recipes.





Lemon Juice (Tablespoon)

Vegetable Oil Spray

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Rissoles















	Beef Mince (kg)	Onion	Carrot	Egg (Raw)	Frozen Mixed Vegetables (500g)	Bread Crumbs (Cup)
10 people	1	2	2	3	1	1
30 people	3	5 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	9	3	3
50 people	5	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	12 (1 Dozen)	5	5
100 people	10	15 (3kg)	20 (4kg)	24 (2 Dozen)	10	10





Chop onions and carrots very finely.



4 Spray tray with vegetable oil.



2 Gather all ingredients.



5 Roll mixture into rissoles and place on a tray.



Put onions, carrots, vegetables, beef stock powder, bread crumbs, eggs and mince in bowl and mix together.



6
Cook in the oven at
180°C for 35 - 45 minutes
or until cooked. Serve with
gravy and salad or in a
hamburger roll.



Beef Stock Powder (Tablespoon/ Cubes)



Vegetable Oil Spray

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Mediterranean Baked Lamb Chops















		Lean Lamb Chops (kg)	Onion	Capsicum	Mushroom	Zucchini	Chopped Tomatoes (400g)
10	people	2	2	2	10	2	1
30	people	6	5 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	30 (300g)	6 (1kg)	3
50	people	10	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	50 (500g)	10 (2kg)	5
100	people	20	15 (3kg)	20 (4kg)	100 (1kg)	20 (4kg)	10





Trim fat from chops.



4
Place the thinly sliced onions, capsicum, mushrooms and zucchini on top of the chops.



2 Slice vegetables and gather all ingredients.



5
Pour tomatoes over the top and sprinkle with mixed herbs.



3 Lay chops side by side evenly in a baking tray.



Bake in the oven at 180°C for 1 hour or until meat is cooked. Serve with mashed potato or bread.



Mixed Italian Herbs (Tablespoon)

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Ham, Egg & Vegetable Pasta Bake













Frozen Mixed

	Eggs (Dozen)	Ham	Onion	Carrot	Capsicum	Vegetables (500g)
10 people	1	500g	2	2	1	1
30 people	3	1kg	5 (1kg)	6 (1kg)	3 (500g)	3
50 people	5	2kg	10 (2kg)	10 (2kg)	5 (1kg)	5
100 people	10	5kg	15 (3kg)	20 (4kg)	10 (2kg)	10





This recipe uses pasta. Prepare the pasta using the recipe found on page 69 of this book. Cool under cold running water.



4 Mix the ingredients together.



Chop vegetables and ham into very small pieces and gather all ingredients.



5 Spray a deep baking dish with oil spray and pour mixture into the dish. Sprinkle cheese over the top.



Whisk the eggs separately and pour into a bowl that contains vegetables, ham and cooked pasta.



6
Bake at 180°C for
40 - 50 minutes or until
set and brown on the
top. Serve.







Pasta (kg)	Shredded Cheese (Cups)	Vegetable Oil Spray
1	1	
3	3	
5	5	
10	10	







Bread & Butter Pudding











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	Bread (Loaf)	Margarine	Sultanas (500g)	See page 67 (Litre)	Vanilla Essence (Tablespoon)
10 people	1	Thin scrape	1	2	1
30 people	3	Thin scrape	3	6	3
50 people	5	Thin scrape	5	10	5
100 people	10	Thin scrape	10	20	10





Gather all ingredients.



Lay bread down side by side to cover bottom of a tray and sprinkle with sultanas. Repeat the process until tray is full.



This recipe uses custard. Make the custard using the recipe found on page 67 of this book. Add the vanilla essence to the custard and stir.



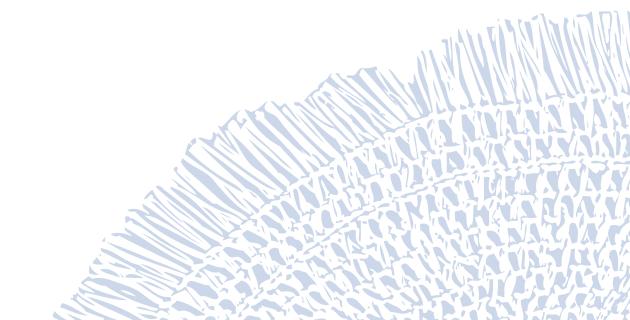
Pour the custard over the top of the bread. Allow it to stand for 10 minutes so that the bread absorbs the custard mixture.



Cut the crusts off the bread and spread each slice with margarine.



6
Bake in the oven
at 180°C for 40 - 45
minutes or until all the
liquid is absorbed.



Apricot Crumble















	Apricot Halves in Natural Juice (800g)	Rolled Oats (Cup)	Sultanas (Cup)	Corn Flakes (Cup)	Shredded Coconut (Cup)	Honey (Tablespoon)
10 people	1	2	1	2	1	2
30 people	3	6	3	6	3	6
50 people	5	10	5	10	5	10
100 people	10	20	10	20	10	20





Gather all ingredients.



4 In a separate bowl crush the corn flakes. Mix with the oats and coconut.



Mix the drained tin fruit with the sultanas.



5 Spread this mixture evenly over the top of the fruit mixture and drizzle honey over the top.



Pour the fruit mixture into a deep baking tray.



Bake in the oven at 180°C for 20-30 minutes or until the top is golden brown. Serve with custard. See 'Basics' section for custard recipe.



Banana and Oat Muffins















	Plain Flour (Cup)	Baking Powder (Tablespoon)	Rolled Oats (Cup)	Egg (Raw)	Sugar (Cup)	Vegetable Oil (Tablespoon)	
10 people	1	1	1	3	1/2	1	
30 people	3	2	3	9	1	3	
50 people	5	4	5	15	2½	5	
100 people	10	6	10	30	5	10	





Gather all ingredients.



4
Add the flour mixture, egg mixture and mashed bananas together and stir.



Put the rolled oats into a bowl and then add the sifted flour and baking powder.



Spray a muffin tray with oil spray or line with paper muffin cases and spoon in the mixture to half full.



In another bowl, beat together the sugar, eggs and oil.



Bake in a pre-heated oven at 180°C for 15 minutes until golden brown. Leave to cool in the tin for a few minutes and then place on a wire rack to cool.





Ripe Banana (Mashed)

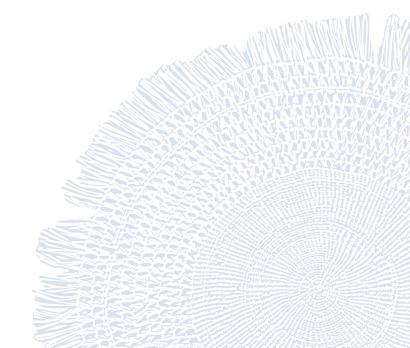
Vegetable Oil Spray

5 (1kg)

15 (3kg)

25 (5kg)

50 (10kg)



Rice Pudding









Rice -



	Milk (Litre)	Vanilla Essence (Tablespoon)	Long Grain (Cup)	Sugar (Tablespoon)
10 people	2 Litres (8 Cups)	2	2	4
30 people	6 Litres	6	6	12
50 people	10 Litres	8	10	20
100 people	20 Litres	15	20	40





This recipe uses milk.
Prepare the milk from powder using the milk from powder recipe found on page 66 of this book.



4 Stir over low heat while adding the rice. Bring to the boil.



2
Gather all ingredients.



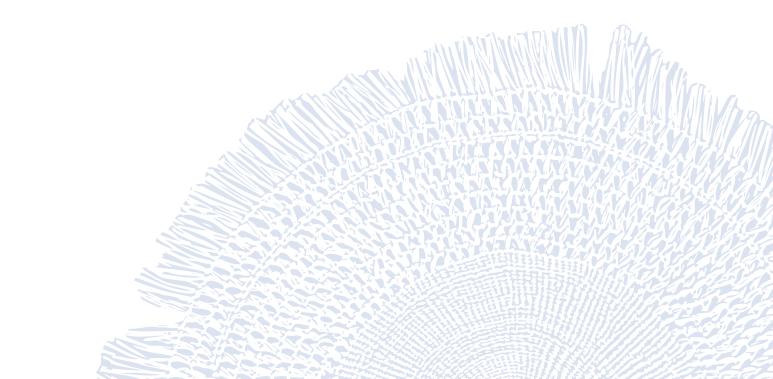
5 Pour milk and rice mixture into a deep baking dish.



Add milk, sugar and vanilla essence to a pot.



6
Bake for about 1 hour at 180°C or until rice is soft.
Stir occasionally.
Sprinkle with cinnamon.





"We have cookbooks from other places but this one will be our own. This one will be from our country."

Wugularr Women's Centre



Milk from Powder





Take one litre of water and 1 cup of skim milk powder.



Mix together with a spoon or a whisk.



Add the skim milk powder to the water.



4
Repeat steps 1 to 3
to make the number
of litres of milk that is
needed for your recipe.





Milk	Water (Litre)	Skim Milk Powder (Cup)
1 Litre	1	1
2 Litre	2	2
3 Litre	3	3
4 Litre	4	4
5 Litre	5	5
10 Litre	10	10

Custard





Gather all ingredients.



Pour the rest of the milk into a large pot. Slowly pour in custard mixture and keep stirring over medium heat.



In a separate container, add the custard powder to a small amount of the milk.



5 Add vanilla essence and sugar.



3 Whisk or stir in the custard powder until there are no lumps.



Stir continuously until custard thickens and then serve.









	Milk Litres	Custard Powder (Cup)	(Tablespoon)	Sugar (Tablespoon)
10 people	2 Litres (or 8 Cups)	1	2	2
30 people	6 Litres	3	6	6
50 people	10 Litres	5	8	10
100 people	20 Litres	10	15	20

White Sauce





Make the milk by adding the skim milk powder to the water and stirring.



4 Add the flour while stirring.



Chop onion and gather all the ingredients.



5Pour in the milk and the chopped onion and keep stirring.



3
Melt the margarine in a pot over low heat.



Turn down the heat and keep mixing until smooth and thickened. For a cheesy white sauce mix in some shredded cheese until melted.











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Shredded

	Water (Litre)	Skim Milk Powder (Cup)	Plain Flour (Cup)	Margarine (Tablespoon)	Onion	Cheese (Optional) (Cups)
10 people	1	1	1/2	2	1	1
30 people	3	3	1	5	2	3
50 people	5	5	2½	8	3	5
100 people	10	10	5	15	5	10

Pasta





Fill a pot with plenty of water.



4 Check that it is soft and then remove from the heat.



Bring the water to the boil.



5 Drain into a colander.



Add the pasta to the boiling water and stir.
Allow about 10 minutes for pasta to cook.



6 Serve





Pasta	
(1kg)	Water

10 people	1	Use plenty of water to cover pasta – at least ¾ of a pot
30 people	3	
50 people	5	
100 people	10	

Rice - Absorption Method



Measure the amount of water and rice needed for the amount of meals you are cooking.



4 Bring the rice to the boil.



Place the water in a pot and bring to the boil.



Remove from heat and place the lid onto the pot and stand for 20 minutes.



Add the rice to the water and stir.



The rice will be ready to serve.



Rice -

Long Grain



Water

	(Uncooked)	(Litre)
10 people	4 Cups (800g)	2
30 people	12 Cups (2.5kg)	6
50 people	20 Cups (4kg)	10
100 people	40 Cups	20

(8kg)



Rice - Normal





Fill a pot with plenty of water.



4
Turn the heat down and continue to stir every few minutes for about 8 – 10 minutes.



Bring the water to the boil.



5 When soft, drain into a colander.



Add the rice to the boiling water and stir.



6 Serve.



Rice -Long Grain (Uncooked)



Water

10 people	4 Cups (800g)	Use plenty of water to cover rice – at least ¾ of a pot
30 people	12 Cups (2.5kg)	
50 people	20 Cups (4kg)	
100 people	40 Cups (8kg)	



Hard Boiled Eggs





Put cold water into a pot on the stove.



4
Take the lid off and turn the heat down as soon as it starts boiling. Keep the heat on low for over 3 minutes for a hard boiled egg.



Place the eggs into the water.



5
Cool eggs by running under cold water.



3
Put a lid on the pot.
Over high heat bring the water to the boil.



6
Peel eggs and they are ready to mash or cut up for salads or sandwiches.





Sandwiches





Tuna, Cheese and Tomato - toasted



Beef, Pickles and Tomato



Salmon and Salad



Sardines and Tomato



Baked Beans and Cheese



Ham and Salad



Baked Beans and Cheese - toasted



Egg (curried), Lettuce and Mayonaise



Chicken (with the skin removed), Lettuce and Mayonaise



Corned Beef and Salad (Lettuce, Carrot, Tomato, Cucumber, Beetroot and Corn)



Mince with Vegetables - toasted



Cheese, Grated Carrot and Sultanas



Meat Rissoles with Salad - toasted



Chicken and Salad





Banana, Sultana and Peanut Butter



Ham, Cheese and Pineapple - toasted



Canned Apple with Sultanas and Cinnamon - toasted

TIP
1 loaf of
bread usually
makes 10
sandwiches

TIP

Use high fibre
white, wholemeal,
multigrain, raison, fruit or
Jackaroo bread to make
sandwiches. Toasting
sandwiches is great
for a change!

TIP
Carrot, corn,
lettuce, cucumber,
tomato, beetroot and
asparagus are great
vegetables for
salads.

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Snapshots from the Women's Centres

These images were taken by the women's centre workers who were interested in photographing the meals they prepare. Digital camera training was offered by the photographer and the photos were used by the cook and graphic designer when the cookbook was being created.





















"Mibala kukum daga blanga ola ol pipul en ola biginini langa skul. Mibala bin laigim deigimbat ola pitja blanga dijan kuking buk."

> "We cook for the old people and school kids. We enjoyed taking photos for this cookbook."

Food Order

Fresh	Fruit	& Ved	getables
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Quantity	Unit/Size	Description
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Meat

Quantity	Unit/Size	Description

Groceries

Quantity	Unit/Size	Description
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Menu Planner

Copy this form and use it to plan your menu

Day	Meal	Dessert/Fruit	Bread/Rice/Pasta/ Potato/Damper	Other
Monday				
Tuesday				
Wednesday				
Thursday				
Friday				
Saturday				
Sunday				

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