

券 DECEMBER 2014 CELLAR CLUB 券

ROASTED TRIO OF MUSHROOM RISOTTO AND WINTER HERBS

PAIRED WITH 2012 PINOT NOIR FREEDOM HILL, YIELD: 4 ENTRÉE PORTIONS

To Finish:

2 TBSP. BUTTER

1/2 CUP REGGIANO PARMESIANO, GRATED

INGREDIENTS:

1/4 CUP OLIVE OIL

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m cups}$ Assorted Mushrooms, Sliced

(i.e. Chanterelle, Matsutake, Porcini)

2 TRSP. BUTTER

1/2 CUP YELLOW ONION, DICED

1/2 CUP ARBORIO RICE

1/2 CUP WHITE WINE

APPROX. 4 CUPS VEGETABLE STOCK, HOT

1 TBSP. FRESH ITALIAN PARSLEY, CHOPPED

1 TSP. FRESH THYME LEAVES, MINCED

1/2 TSP. FRESH ROSEMARY LEAVES, MINCED

TO TASTE: SALT & PEPPER

METHOD:

- 1. Preheat the oven to 375°F. Mix the sliced mushrooms with 3 tablespoons of olive oil and season with salt and pepper. Place in a single layer on a baking pan and roast until brown and fragrant, about 15 minutes.
- 2. Heat the butter and remaining olive oil in a large, heavy sauté pan.
- 3. Add the onion and cook until clear (do not brown).
- 4. Add the rice and cook until it browns slightly and has absorbed the oil about 3-5 minutes.
- 5. Add the wine and stir until absorbed then begin adding the hot stock 1 cup at a time, stirring constantly until absorbed before adding additional stock to the rice. This process will take 20 minutes or so. Use as much stock as needed to reach the proper consistency.
- 6. When the rice is al dente (to the tooth tender with a firm center), add the roasted mushrooms and stir until heated.
- 7. Remove the pan from the heat and add the butter, cheese, parsley, thyme and rosemary.
- 8. Season with salt and pepper and serve immediately.

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