Palak Paneer

INGREDIENTS

- 1 bunch silverbeet or 2 bunches English Spinach
- 1 large onion
- 3 cloves garlic
- 1 chilli roughly chopped (optional)
- 10 fresh curry leaves
- 1 tsp cumin seeds
- 1 tsp ground coriander
- 2 cm nob of ginger grated
- 1½ tsp garam masala
- Salt and chilli to taste
- Splash of oil
- Splash of lemon juice

1 serve of paneer (find paneer recipe here)

Optional

Serve with rice or roti and you can make a tomato coriander chilli lemon juice salad.

METHOD

- 1. Roughly chop the onion and garlic. Wash the silverbeet well and cut off the bottom stalks, you can leave the central one. Roughly chop the silverbeet.
- 2. Place the splash of oil in a saucepan and add the onion and garlic, and cook for a few minutes. Then add the ginger, chilli (if using), cumin, coriander and garam masala, with a gigantic pinch of salt, cook for a few minutes.
- 3. Then add the silverbeet or spinach and $\frac{1}{2}$ cup water. Give it a good stir and pop the lid on the saucepan.
- 4. Bring to the boil then simmer for 15 minutes. Checking to ensure the pot doesn't run dry. So stir now and again.
- 5. Take saucepan off the heat and then, using a stick blender, blend everything. It doesn't need to be smooth. Stir in the splash of lemon juice and season with salt.
- 6. Mix in the cooked paneer and serve with rice or roti and you can make a tomato coriander chilli lemon juice salad.