Yakiniku Bison Burger

Pairs With: Strawberry Lemonade

Burger Type: Bison-Wagyu Beef Mix **Bun Type:** Brioche

INTRODUCTION: A little sweet, a little fiery and a whole lot of exotic. This unique burger's got an amazing amount of flavor that compliment each other. It is a celebration for the palate.

Serves: 6 Regular-Sized Burgers

INGREDIENTS:

- 6 slices Gruyère cheese
- 6 Brioche Buns

Asian Slaw:

- 2 TBL rice vinegar or pineapple habanero vinegar
- 1 TBL Honey
- 1 TBL Olive Oil
- a 10 oz. Package of angel slaw mix.

Patties:

- 1 lb ground Bison
- 1 lb ground Wagyu beef
- 1 TBL Back Garlic
- 1 TBL Himalayan sea salt mixed and sprinkled on patties.

Yakiniku Sauce:

- 1/2 cup Ketchup
- 1 cup Tamari Sauce or Soy Sauce
- 1 cup Brown Sugar
- 1 cup Mirin
- $1 \frac{1}{2}$ tsp minced ginger
- 1 1/2 tsp Sambal or red chili paste

• 1/2 cup Kinders Japanese Barbecue Sauce.

Pineapple Fritters:

- 8 slices fresh pineapple 1/4 inch thick, dried with paper towels
- 2/3 cup + 3 TBL coconut milk
- $2/3 \operatorname{cup} + 3 \operatorname{TBL} \operatorname{flour}$
- 1/2 cup coconut, pinch salt
- 1 large egg
- 1 TBL olive oil for frying.

Pappadew Jam:

- 1-14 oz jar pappadew peppers chopped
- 1 bottle Thai Sweet Chili Sauce
- 1 TBL sugar

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Gently mix the ground beef and ground bison and form into 6 patties. Sprinkle with black garlic/ sea salt mix.
- 2. Mix ingredients for Asian slaw and let rest for 20-30 mins, stirring occasionally
- 3. Mix ingredients for Yakiniku sauce except Kinders barbecue sauce in sauce pan and heat til sugar melts. Stir in barbecue sauce and turn off heat.
- 4. Mix pappadew peppers, sugar and sweet thai chili sauce for about 20 mins over medium-low heat. Remove from heat.
- 5. Dry pineapple slices with paper towels. Mix together remaining ingredients except coconut.
- 6. Dip slices into batter and dip into coconut.
- 7. Fry in coconut or canola oil at 375 degrees until golden brown.
- Grill parties on hot grill to internal temperature of 145-150, flipping after 3-5 minutes. Spread both sides of patty with Yakiniku Sauce. Top with cheese during last minute to melt.
- 9. Assemble burger: On bottom of bun, cover with a TBL or 2 of Asian slaw. Top with patty and more Yakiniku Sauce, as desired. Top with a Pineapple Fritter. Add some pappadew jam onto the fritter.