Quesadilla de Gambas y Chorizo

Yield: 2 serves | Prep: 10 min | Cook: 15 min | Source: thestranger.online

This wonderful flavour packed Mexican joy imparts its pleasure the moment it is front of you, not just the sight but the aroma; all before actually tasting this pure delight.

Ingredients

- 1 tbsp oil (olive)
- ½ onion (red, sliced)
- 1 pepper (orange, sliced)
- 75 g chorizo (finely diced)
- 1 garlic clove (minced)
- 1 tbsp chipotle (paste)
- ½ tsp cumin
- ½ tsp coriander (ground)
- 100 g prawns (king, chopped)
- 1 lime (juiced)
- 2 tortillas (large)
- 1 Guacamole (fresh, optional)

Notes

Historically a corn tortilla was used but it is equally acceptable to use a flour tortilla.



Instructions

- **1.** Heat the oil in a heavy pan or skillet over a medium low heat. Fry the onion and pepper for 10 minutes.
- **2.** Add the chorizo and fry for another 5 to 7 minutes, this will allow the oils in the chorizo to leak out into the onion and pepper.
- **3.** Stir in the garlic, chipotle paste, cumin, ground coriander and prawns, and cook for a further 2 minutes. Add the lime juice and season according to taste.
- **4.** Spread the mixture over 1 tortilla and top with the second tortilla. If any more than a residue of oil remains in the skillet or pan simply wipe with a piece of kithen roll.
- **5.** Heat the pan over a medium high heat. When you can smell the oil from the cooking the pan is hot enough to add the quesadilla and cook on each side for 1-2 mins. Cut into four and serve with guacamole, or as you desire.
- **6.** An alternative is to fill 1 tortilla and fold it in half, cutting it into 2 pieces before serving.