

Brick Grilled Chicken and Blackberry Barbeque Tortilla Wraps

Serves 6

"This is one of my favorite recipes to make with my four sons. It's easy to prepare and the boys love to help out – stirring the sauce, placing the bricks on the chicken, assembling the ingredients in the wrap, and, of course, eating what they've made." *John Besh*

For the chicken breast

- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 4 boneless chicken breasts, skin-on and split

Salt

Freshly ground pepper

For the blackberry barbeque sauce

2 tablespoons olive or canola oil

1/2 cup blackberry jam

- 1 tablespoon peeled fresh ginger, minced
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 green onion chopped
- 1 teaspoon crushed red pepper flakes
- 1/4 cup white vinegar
- 1/4 cup chicken broth
- 1/4 cup ketchup

Salt

Freshly ground pepper

- 2 ripe avocados, peeled and sliced (optional)
- 1 bunch cilantro (optional)
- 1 head of Bibb lettuce
- 12 flour tortillas
- 3 bricks, each wrapped in aluminum foil

Directions:

- 1. Preheat grill to high. Place aluminum foil-wrapped bricks in grill, and preheat along with grill.
- 2. Rub the chicken breasts with olive oil and season both sides with salt and pepper. Arrange the chicken breasts on the hot grill, skin side down. Place a preheated brick on top of each chicken breast. Cover and grill until the skin is crispy and brown, about 12 to15 minutes.
- 3. For the blackberry barbeque sauce, heat the canola oil in a medium saucepan over moderate heat. Add the blackberry jam, ginger, garlic, green onion, crushed red pepper flakes, vinegar, chicken broth, ketchup, and a pinch of salt. Increase the heat to high, bring to a boil, then reduce the heat to medium-low and simmer for a couple of minutes. Season the sauce to suit your taste with salt and pepper. Set aside and use either hot or cold.
- Transfer the breast to a platter and slice. Baste the cooked chicken with the sauce using a spoon or basting brush.
- 5. Place the tortillas on the grill until warm.
- Serve the chicken, remaining sauce, lettuce, fresh cut avocado, cilantro and warm tortillas on a platter to be served in the middle of the table.