

### **BLACKENED MAHI MAHI**

Serving Size: 4

#### MAHI MAHI INGREDIENTS

- 4 ea. (7 oz.) Mahi Mahi filets
- 1 Tbsp. Kosher Salt
- · 4 Tbsp. Cajun Spice
- 6 oz. Crawfish tail meat, parboiled, fresh frozen.
  Thaw before cooking
- 4 cups Étouffée Sauce (recipe to follow)
- 2 cups Cooked Jasmine Rice
- 2 ea. Scallions, thinly sliced.
  Chef Tip: Crafish can be purchased online from www.lacrawfish.com

#### MAHI MAHI METHOD

- 1. Preheat the oven to 400 degrees Fahrenheit.
- 2. In a large sauté pan on medium heat, add in oil.
- 3. While the oil is heating up, season the mahi mahi with salt and Cajun spice.
- 4. Put the mahi mahi into the sauté pan and cook 3 minutes on each side
- 5. Place the sauté pan in the oven for 7 minutes.
- After 7 minutes, bring the sauté pan out of the oven. Add the 4 cups of étouffée sauce in the same pan and the thawed crawfish.
- 7. While the crawfish heats up, place a scoop of jasmine rice on one side of each bowl.
- 8. Once the crawfish is heated up, you can pour the sauce in front of the rice and place the mahi mahi and fish over the sauce. Garnish with scallions.







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## **ÉTOUFFÉE SAUCE INGREDIENTS**

- 1 tsp Cooking Oil
- ¾ cup Onions, small diced
- ½ cup Green Bell Peppers, small diced
- ¼ cup Celery, small diced
- ¾ tsp Cayenne Pepper
- ¾ tsp Ground White Pepper
- ¾ tsp Ground Black Pepper
- 1½ tsp Granulated Garlic
- 1 tsp Onion Powder
- 1 Tbsp Paprika
- 3 Tbsp Water
- 2 Tbsp Butter
- 6 Tbsp All-Purpose Flour
- 3 cups Lobster Stock (if not available lobster stock can be substituted with seafood stock from the store)

# ÉTOUFFÉE SAUCE METHOD

- 1. Using a large saucepan, add in oil over medium heat.
- 2. Once oil is hot, add in the vegetables and cook until translucent.
- 3. Add in the water to the small sauce pot. Mix with vegetables.
- 4. Once the base and vegetables are well incorporated, add in spices and flour. Mix well and add the lobster/seafood stock.
- 5. While stirring, bring to a medium boil and then lower the heat and keep stirring with a whisk until it thickens. This step should take about 25 minutes.
- 6. Cool down and store in the refrigerator until ready to use.

