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A quick guide to SMØRREBRØD

Basic julefrokost for beginners

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Until one master the rules of the smørrebrød, one is not ready to break them.

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Maybe true... Maybe not!

['sil'e-mað]

SILDEMAD

with karrysalat, eggs & onions

What you need...



One slice of rugbrød



Pig fat or Danish butter



Three pieces of pickled herring



Two tea spoons of karrysalat



Three to four onion rings



Half a boiled egg

What you do...



Cut a slice of rugbrød



Put fat or butter on the bread



Place the pieces of herring



Add karrysalat



Add onions



Add the half egg



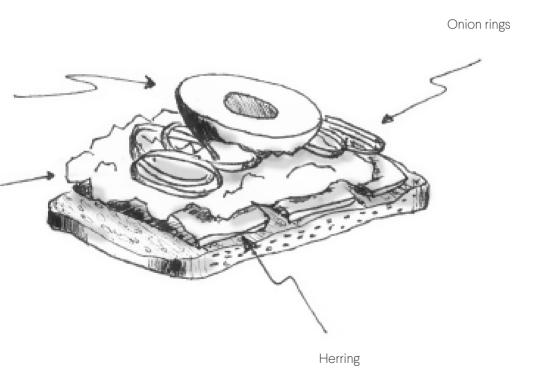
Add salt & pepper

Egg



Back in the days people used to be able to walk from Denmark to Sweden, because the sea was so full of herring.

It's a fact!



['fesg'e-fi'l'a']

FISKEFILLET

with lettuce, remoulade & lemon slices

What you need...



Pig fat or Danish butter

One leaf of lettuce

One fried fish fillet

Three tea spoons of remoulade

Two slices of lemon

What you do...

Cut a slice of rugbrød

Put fat or butter on the bread

Place the lettuce on the bread

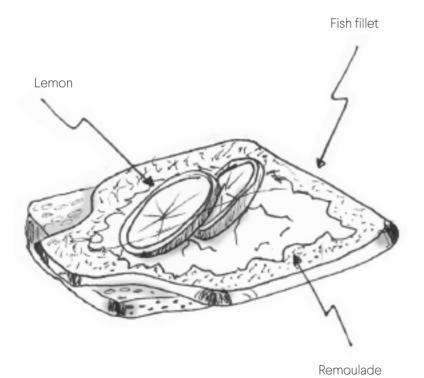
Place the fried fish fillet

🚔 🛮 Add remoulade

Add the lemon slices on top

"We know, it looks like a cutting board on top of another cutting board, but it is not"

Okay..!



[fl'a'sge-st'i']

FLÆSKESTEG

with red cabbage, pickled cucumber & orange slices

What you need...



Pig fat or Danish butter

Two slices of flæskesteg

Three table spoons of red cabbage

Five slices of picked cucumber

Two slices of orange

What you do...

Cut a slice of rugbrød

Put fat or butter on the bread

Place the flæskesteg on the bread

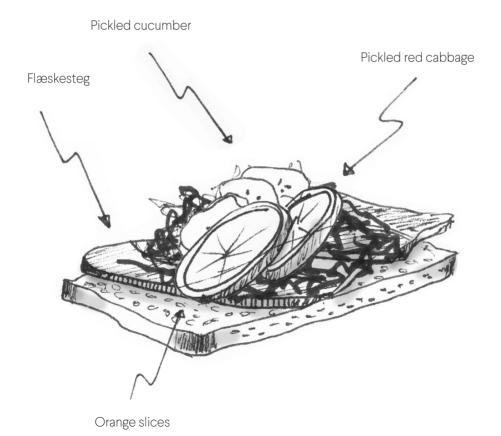
Add the red cabbage

Add pickled cucumbers

Add the orange slices on top

Flæskesteg is so tasy that danes also use the word **steg** as a synonym for really attractive people.

Not recommended for Pick Up Lines!



[lew'po,sdaj']

LEVERPOSTEJ

with fried champignon & bacon

What you need...



Pig fat or Danish butter

Three table spoons of warm leverpostej

Two table spoons of fried champignon

Three pieces of fried bacon

What you do...

Cut a slice of rugbrød

Put fat or butter on the bread

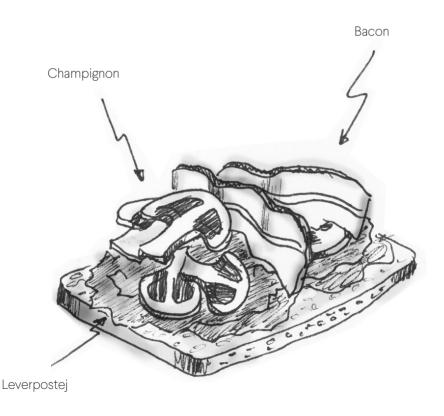
Add the warm leverpostej on the bread

Add the fried champignons

Add the bacon pieces

In the 1940's the Danish state standardized the ingredients to prevent production of low quality leverpostej.

That's how serious we are about leverpostej..!



['sylde]

SYLTE

with dijon mustard and pickled beetroot

What you need...



One slice of rugbrød



Pig fat or Danish butter



Two slices of high quality sylte



Two tea spoons of dijon mustard



Two large pieces of pickled beetroot

What you do...



Cut a slice of rugbrød



Put fat or butter on the bread



Add the slices of sylte



Evenly spread the dijon mustard on top

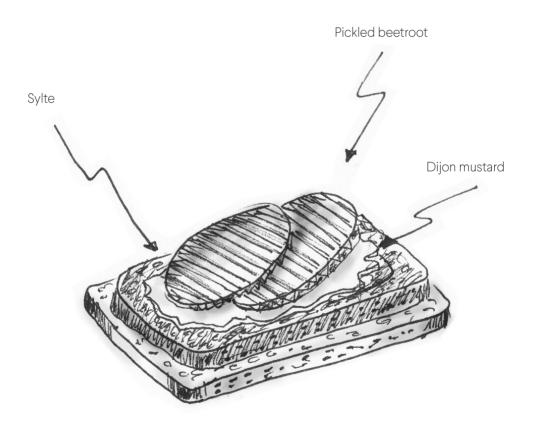


Add the pieces of pickled beetroot



You might wonder what sylte is actually made of. Try it first, enjoy the rich flavours of Danish Christmas.

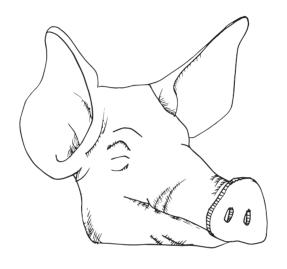
You will find the answer on the following page!





Advent calendars are **so** Danish. Every child has at least 5 that they open everyday.

Now it's your turn, open up and find out what sylte is made of!



Don't worry...

It's a no-brainer!

['fri-ka-del'r]

FRIKADELLER

with dijon mustard and pickled beetroot

What you need...



One slice of rugbrød



Pig fat or Danish butter



Two frikadeller



Two table spoons of cucumber salad

What you do...



Cut a slice of rugbrød



Put fat or butter on the bread



Slice both frikadeller in two pieces



Add the fridadelle slices on the bread

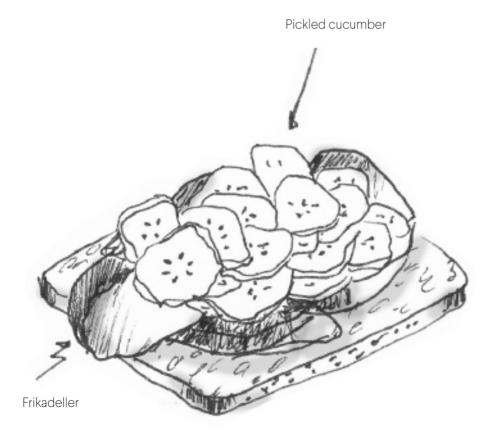


Add the pickled cucumbers



In Danish frikadeller is also the name of Princess Leia's unique hair style.

May the frikadelle be with you!



Enjoy the rest of your evening, go easy on the snaps, and Merry Christmas from us at

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