Mushroom Ragu Linguini

INGREDIENTS

(Serves 4-6)

1 onion

■2 garlic cloves

■ 2 tablespoons olive oil

2 tablespoons butter (or another 2 of olive oil to make it vegan)
800g mushrooms of your choice, chopped. I used mainly chestnut,
a few shiitake, oyster and ceps

■1 tbsp tomato puree

1 tbsp fresh thyme leaves

1 mushroom stock cube

200ml warm water

3 1 tsp salt

Extra mushrooms to serve (optional)

METHOD

Finely chop the onion, celery and garlic. Put it in a large pan with the olive oil and cook on a medium heat for about 10 minutes till softened but not browned

Add the butter (or extra oil), tomato pure and mushrooms.

Increase the heat and cook for about 10 mins, stirring occasionally

Add the salt and thyme and cook for another couple of minutes

Dissolve the mushroom stock cube in the warm water and add this

Lower the heat and simmer for about 25 minutes.

Check for seasoning. Stir through freshly cooked pasta
I like to serve it with extra mushrooms because I love them but just delicious as it is or with some grated Parmesan