

PUB-STYLE SHEPHERD'S PIE

with White Cheddar & Thyme Mashed Potatoes

HALL OF FAME



PREP: 15 MIN COOK: 50 MIN CALORIES: 830

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In step 6, you'll be spreading the mashed potatoes over the beef filling. We like using a rubber spatula, but if you don't have one, the back of a spoon and some artistry will get the job done just as well.

BUST OUT

- Peeler
- Medium pot
- Strainer
- Potato masher
- Medium pan
- Kosher salt
- Black pepper
- Cooking oil (1 TBSP | 1 TBSP)
- Butter (2 TBSP | 3 TBSP)
 Contains: Milk

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*Ground Beef is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 160°.



1 PREP

- Heat broiler to high. Wash and dry produce.
- Dice **potatoes** into ½-inch pieces. Strip **thyme leaves** from stems; roughly chop leaves. Trim, peel, and halve **carrot** lengthwise; slice crosswise into ¼-inch-thick half-moons. Finely dice **celery**. Halve, peel, and finely chop **onion**.



2 MAKE MASHED POTATOES

- Place potatoes in a medium pot with enough salted water to cover by
 2 inches. Bring to a boil and cook until tender, 15-20 minutes.
- Drain and return potatoes to pot. Mash with sour cream, 2 TBSP butter (3 TBSP for 4 servings), and 1 tsp chopped thyme until smooth and creamy, adding splashes of water as needed. Season generously with salt and pepper.
- Keep covered off heat until ready to serve.



3 START FILLING

- While potatoes cook, heat a drizzle of oil in a medium, preferably ovenproof, pan (use a large pan for 4 servings) over medium-high heat. Add carrot; season with salt and pepper. Cook, stirring, until slightly softened, 2-3 minutes.
- Add celery, onion, and a large drizzle of oil; season with salt and pepper.
 Cook, stirring, until veggies are just tender, 5-7 minutes. TIP: If veggies begin to brown too quickly, add a splash of water.
- Stir in garlic powder and 2 tsp chopped thyme; cook until fragrant, 30 seconds.



4 COOK BEEF

- Add beef* to pan with veggies; season with salt and pepper. Cook, breaking up meat into pieces, until browned and cooked through, 4-6 minutes.
- Add **tomato paste** and **flour**; cook, stirring, until thoroughly combined, 1 minute.



5 FINISH FILLING

- Gradually pour ½ cup water (¾ cup for 4 servings) into pan with beef mixture.
- Stir in stock concentrates and bring to a boil. Cook until mixture is very thick, 1-2 minutes. Turn off heat.
- Taste and season with **salt** and **pepper**. TIP: If your pan isn't ovenproof, transfer mixture to a baking dish now.



6 FINISH & SERVE

- Top **beef filling** with **mashed potatoes** in an even layer, leaving a 1-inch border around edge of pan. Evenly sprinkle with **cheddar**.
- Broil until browned, 3-4 minutes. TIP: Watch carefully to avoid burning.
- Serve directly from pan.