## Wagyu and Mushroom Wellington









## Makes 4 servings

Wagyu bottom round (sliced)

180 g

Shiitake mushrooms (or other mushrooms) 6 (50 g)
Shimeji mushrooms 50 g
Enoki mushrooms 50 g
Prepared puff pastry

25×20 cm sheet Butter 2 and 1/2 tablespoons Kabosu citrus (or lemon)

Eggplant 2 (140 g)
Tomatoes 2 medium (400 g)
Watercress 8 sprigs
Salt 3 pinches
Pepper 3 pinches

Mushrooms and Wagyu combine to give deep flavor to this Wellington, which is splendid for a party.

- 1. Chop the shiitake, shimeji, and enoki mushrooms. Season with salt and pepper, and saute the mushrooms.
- Saute the slices of Wagyu round until lightly browned, about 1 minute.
- 3. Line a half round (cylindrical) loaf pan with aluminum foil. Roll out puff pastry until thin and drape over the aluminum foil. Fill the pastry with consecutive layers of meat, mushrooms, and a second layer of meat and mushrooms, finally topped with a layer of meat. Fold the sides of the pastry over the middle to enclose the filling. Bake in a 230°C oven for 20 minutes.
- 4. Soften the butter to a mayonnaise-like consistency, and whisk or fold in the kabosu juice and grated kabosu rind. Season with salt and pepper. Transfer the butter to cling film and roll into a log. Refrigerate to harden.
- Chop eggplants into slices at an angle. Season with a pinch of salt and pepper, and saute. Chop the tomatoes into large dice and saute.
- Arrange eggplant around border of plates, topping with tomatoes. Slice the Wellington after it has baked, and arrange two slices in the middle of each plate.
- Cut the butter log into slices and arrange on the plates with sprigs of watercress.