More than 1 hour

Serves 6

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Ingredients:

- Salt and milled pepper
- 2 large T-bone steaks
- Oil and butter, for frying
- 6 rosemary sprigs

Tabbouleh:

- Olive oil
- 2 small onions, chopped
- 400g pearl barley
- 6 cups (1.5L) vegetable stock or water
- Salt and milled pepper
- ½ cup (60ml) melted butter
- ½ punnet (10g) flat leaf parsley
- Juice (60ml) and grated peel of 1 lemon
- 2 Tbsp (30ml) olive oil
- 1 punnet (6) figs, quartered, for serving
- 1 tub (100g) pomegranate rubies, for serving

Method

- 1. Season steaks and set aside at room temperature for about 30 minutes.
- 2. For tabbouleh, heat a little oil in a pot and sauté onion for 5 minutes or until golden.
- 3. Add barley, stock and seasoning.
- 4. Simmer for 20 minutes until tender. Cool.
- 5. Heat a glug of oil in a pan over high heat.
- 6. Fry steaks for 3 minutes per side.

- 7. Add butter and rosemary towards the end of the cooking time.
- 8. Set aside for 10 minutes.
- 9. Toss cooked barley with remaining tabbouleh ingredients.
- 10. Slice steak and serve on barley with figs and pomegranate rubies.

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