

# WATERMELON SALAD

Serves: 6

# **Ingredients:**

## **Balsamic Vinaigrette**

- · 1/4 cup white balsamic vinegar
- · 3 tablespoons finely diced shallots
- · 2 tablespoons roasted garlic\*
- · 2 tablespoons honey
- · 1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice
- 1 cup extra virgin olive oil
- Coarse salt and freshly ground black pepper, to taste

#### **Pickled Onions**

- 1/2 cup fresh or frozen raspberries
- 11/2 cups water
- 1/4 cup sugar
- · 2 tablespoons grenadine syrup
- · 1 tablespoon salt
- 1/4 pound red onions, sliced into 1/4-inch-thick rings

#### Watermelon Salad

- · 4 cups cubed seedless watermelon
- 3 cups baby arugula
- 1/4 cup white balsamic vinaigrette
- Coarse salt and freshly ground black pepper, to taste
- 1/4 cup pickled onion
- 1/4 cup balsamic glaze
- 1/2 cup crumbled feta cheese

## **Directions**

### For balsamic vinaigrette:

- Combine white balsamic vinegar, shallots, garlic, honey, and lemon juice in a blender. Blend until well combined.
- With blender running, slowly drizzle in olive oil. Blend until thickened. Season to taste with salt and pepper.

#### For watermelon salad:

- Divide watermelon among plates. Toss arugula with white balsamic vinaigrette in a medium bowl and lightly season with salt & pepper.
- Top each portion of watermelon with arugula. Top each serving with 2 to 3 picked onion rings, then sprinkle with feta. Drizzle with balsamic glaze.

