CRISPY BEEF BRISKET AND HEIRLOOM TOMATOES WITH BURRATO AND BASIL OIL

- 1 pound precooked beef Brisket, cut into 1/2- inch cubes
- · 3 pounds heirloom tomatoes, sliced
- 4 burrata balls (2 ounces each)
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon cracked black pepper
- 1/4 cup balsamic syrup

Basil Oil

- 1 cup packed fresh basil leaves
- 1/2 cup fresh baby spinach
- •1/2 cup olive oil

- 1. Heat 5 cups vegetable oil in a 6-quart stock pot to 375°F. Deep fry beef Brisket for 2 to 3 minutes until crispy. Drain on paper towel; season with salt and pepper, as desired.
- 2. Place basil and spinach in food processor bowl. With motor running, slowly drizzle oil through opening in cover, processing until smooth. Strain oil mixture through a fine mesh strainer or cheesecloth. Cover and refrigerate until ready to use.
- 3. Shingle tomatoes on large platter. Top with burrata and brisket. Season with salt and pepper, as desired. Garnish with balsamic and Basil Oil, as desired.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Course <u>Dinner, Entrees, Lunch</u>

Cuisine <u>American, Italian, Seasonal Summer</u>

Category <u>Salads</u>