Passion Meringue Pie

Sweet Pastry

100g sugar

200g butter (unsalted)

300g flour

Rind of 1 lemon

egg yolks

Mix butter with sugar, add lemon rind, add egg yolks. Add flour and mix quickly (do not over-mix!). Refrigerate for about one hour. Roll out and line tartlet mold. Bake until golden brown (fill tartlet with grease paper and rice etc.)

Passion Curd

Zest of 2 lemons

8oz sugar 10oz water

10oz passion fruit concentrate

2oz corn starch 2oz butter 6each egg yolks

Boil water, passion concentrate, sugar and lemon zest.

Thicken with corn starch (mix with some of the water before boiling it). Allow to boil for about 30 seconds. Remove from stove, add butter and the yolks (1 at the time). Put back on stove and allow to thicken whilst stirring it constantly. Pour into pre-baked tartlet shells and allow to cool completely.

Meringue

6 egg whites pinch Cream of Tartar 4 tbsp granulated sugar

Place egg whites into a very clean bowl. Add cream of Tartar and begin to whip. Slowly add sugar. Whip until very stiff.

To finish: pipe meringue on top of passion fruit tart (either with a plain nozzle or you may choose to

just spoon it on). Brown with a blow torch or in a very hot oven.

