

NUTRITION PER SERVING:

CALORIES 232 **PROTEIN** 18 G **CARBOHYDRATE** 25 G **TOTAL FAT** 7 G

PREP TIME: 10 MINUTES COOK TIME: 30 MINUTES

4 SERVINGS YIELD: SERVING SIZE: 1PORK CHOP. ¼ C SAUCE. 2 ORANGE SEGMENTS

FOR PORK CHOPS:

BONELESS PORK CHOPS (ABOUT 4 3 OZ EACH)

1/4 TSP **GROUND BLACK PEPPER MEDIUM**

1 ORANGE, RINSED, FOR 1/4 TSP ZEST (USE A GRATER TO TAKE A THIN LAYER OF SKIN OF THE ORANGE;

½ TBSP SAVE THE ORANGE FOR GARNISH)

FOR SAUCE:

¼ C LOW-SODIUM CHICKEN BROTH

1 MEDIUM APPLE, PEELED AND 1 GRATED (ABOUT 1 C) (USE A GRATER TO MAKE THIN LAYERS OF APPLE)

CINNAMON STICK OR 1/8 TSP 1/2

GROUND CINNAMON 1

BAY LEAF

½ C DRIED CRANBERRIES OR RAISINS

½ C 100 PERCENT ORANGE JUICE



BAKED PORK CHOPS WITH APPLE CRANBERRY SAUCE

...A WONDERFUL FRUIT SAUCE ADDS THE PERFECT TOUCH TO THESE PORK CHOPS—TRY SERVING WITH A SIDE OF BROWN RICE AND STEAMED BROCCOLI

- Preheat oven to 350 °F. 01
- 02 Season pork chops with pepper and orange zest.
- In a large sauté pan, heat olive oil over medium heat. Add 03 porkchops, and cook until browned on one side, about 2 minutes. Turn over and brown the second side, an additional 2 minutes. Remove pork chops from the pan place them on a nonstick baking sheet, and put in the oven to cook for an additional 10 minutes (to a minimum internal temperature of 160 °F).
- Add chicken broth to the sauté pan and stir to loosen the 04 flavorfulbrown bits. Set aside for later.
- Meanwhile, place grated apples, cinnamon stick, and bay 05 leaf in a small saucepan. Cook over medium heat until the apples begin to soften.
- Peel the orange used for the zest, and cut it into eight 06 sections for garnish.
- Serve one pork chop with ¼ cup of sauce and two orange 07 segments.

Serve one pork chop with \(\frac{1}{2} \) cup of sauce and two orange segments.