Ribolita (White Bean & Tuscan Kale Soup)



Ingredients

- 3 cups cooked cannellini beans
- 1 bunch of cavolo nero (Tuscan Kale) washed and chopped
- 2 litres of vegetable stock
- 1 tablespoon of olive oil
- 1 medium sized onion, finely chopped
- 4 celery stalks, finely diced
- 2 potatoes, washed and diced
 - 4 garlic cloves, smashed

 - 2 bay leaves
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 1 tablespoon of smokey paprika
- 1 cup of cherry tomatoes
- 1 teaspoon of oregano
- 1/2 teaspoon of turmeric

Method

- 1. Sauté onion in olive oil then add celery and continue to sauté
- 2 until soft.
- 3. Add potato, kale and garlic and sauté for a further 5 minutes.
- 4. Add stock, beans, tomatoes and herbs to pot and bring to a boil.
- 5. Simmer on a medium heat for 30 minutes allowing flavours to develop and potato to soften.
- 6. Season and serve. You can garnish with fresh herbs like parsley or add some grated pecorino cheese.

