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INGREDIENTS:

400g chickpeas 75g Belazu smokey flavoured semidried tomatoes Small handful of coriander Small handful of parsley 1 tsp smoked paprika 1 tsp Morrocan ras el hanout spice 1 tsp baking powder ½ tsp bicarbonate soda 40g panko breadcrumbs 4 Flatbreads Small handful of smoked almonds Drizzle of olive oil Salt and pepper to taste For the salad: 2 little gem lettuce, chopped 2 plum tomatoes, sliced 1⁄2 red onion, sliced 1⁄2 cucumber, sliced Small handful of coriander Small handful of parsley Drizzle of olive oil and balsamic vinegar Salt and peoper to taste For the tahini yoghurt: 80g Belazu tahini paste 80g coconut yoghurt 20ml olive oil 1 lemon Salt and pepper to taste

SERVES 4

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- 1. Soak the chickpeas in plenty of water for at least 24 hours.
- 2. For the tahini yoghurt: mix all the ingredients together and check the seasoning.
- 3. For the salad: toss everything together in a salad bowl.
- 4. Roughly chop the coriander including stalks. Remove the stalks from the parsley and roughly chop.
- Drain and roughly chop the smoked tomatoes.
- Drain the chickpeas and pulse in a blender with the coriander and parsley till it resembles the consistency of bulgur wheat.
- 7. Add the rest of the ingredients and mix well.
- 8. Roll the mix into 30g balls and deep-fry at 180 degrees till cooked through completely.
- 9. Lay the flat bread down, top with chopped salad, falafel, pickled red onions, smoked almonds and finally the tahini yoghurt. Season as you wish with salt and pepper.