

METHOD

- 1 Combine garlic, cumin, cloves, curry powder, ginger and cayenne pepper in a small bowl.
- 2 Melt butter in large frying pan over a mediumhigh heat. Add chicken and cook until lightly browned on all sides.
- 3 Place chicken, garlic and spice mix in a large stock pot. Add celery, onion, carrot and leek. Blend well.
- 4 Add a small ladle of stock and cook over low heat, stirring constantly, until vegetables are tender.

- **5** Stir in remaining stock and season with salt and pepper.
- 6 Cover and simmer 30 minutes.
- 7 Add rice to soup and continue cooking for 15 minutes.
- 8 Add apples and yoghurt. Simmer for 10 minutes.
- 9 Add lemon juice, then stir in cream.
- 10 Taste and adjust seasoning.
- **11** Pour into serving bowls and sprinkle with parsley and almonds.

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