## Wild Mushroom Beef Stew

Total Recipe Time: High Setting: 6-1/2 hours; Low Setting: 9-1/2 hours

2 pounds beef Stew Meat, cut into 1-inch pieces
1/4 cup all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon pepper
1/2 teaspoon dried thyme leaves, crushed
3/4 cup ready-to-serve beef broth
1/4 cup tomato paste
1/4 cup dry red wine
2 cloves garlic, minced
1 pound red-skinned potatoes (1-1/2-inch diameter), cut into quarters
8 ounces assorted mushrooms, such as shiitake, cremini and oyster, cut into quarters
1 cup baby carrots
Fresh parsley (optional)

- 1. Combine flour, salt, pepper and thyme in small bowl. Place beef in 4-1/2 to 5-1/2-quart slow cooker. Sprinkle with flour mixture; toss to coat.
- 2. Combine broth, tomato paste, wine and garlic in small bowl; mix well. Add to beef. Add potatoes, mushrooms and carrots; mix well.
- 3. Cover and cook on HIGH 5 to 6 hours, or on LOW 8 to 9 hours, or until beef and vegetables are tender. (No stirring is necessary during cooking.) Stir well before serving. Garnish with parsley, if desired.

## Makes 6 servings

**Nutrition information per serving:** 306 calories; 9 g fat (3 g saturated fat; 4 g monounsaturated fat); 73 mg cholesterol; 644 mg sodium; 25 g carbohydrate; 3.1 g fiber; 29 g protein; 7.3 mg niacin; 0.7 mg vitamin B<sub>A</sub>; 2.3 mcg vitamin B<sub>12</sub>; 4.3 mg iron; 6.6 mg zinc.

This recipe is an excellent source of protein, niacin, vitamin B<sub>6</sub>, vitamin B<sub>12</sub>, iron and zinc; and a good source of fiber.

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