Salad of the Imagination

Type: Main/Entree **Serves:** 30 Tastes **Recipe source:** Stephanie Alexander

Fresh from the garden: Lettuce leaves, herbs, beetroot tops, rocket

EQUIPMENT:

Large bowl

Salad spinner

Clean tea towels

Kitchen paper

Measuring cups and spoons

Small bowl

Whisk

Juicer

TO SERVE: 3 salad bowls and 3 tongs

INGREDIENTS:

4 cups mixed salad leaves from the

garden

2 cups mixed small leaves and herbs

3 slices sourdough

Dressing:

Juice of one orange

₹ cup Extra virgin olive oil

Salt

Pepper

Garlic clove

What to do:

- Make sure the sink is clean and fill with cold water and tip all the salad leaves and large herbs into the sink to soak for a few minutes
- Swish leaves gently in sink and lift into the draining board of the sink.
- Rinse the sink, add fresh water and return the leaves to the sink. Swish the leaves
 again in clean water drain the water and then lift out small handfuls at a time and
 place onto sink drainer. Pick out any yellow or slimy leaves and discard rough stalks
 on herbs
- Tear any very large leaves into smaller pieces. Working in batches very gently dry the leaves in the salad spinner then onto clean tea towel to absorb any extra water.
- Divide dried leaves into 3 salad bowls and make dressing.

DRESSING:

- Juice the orange and put juice into a small bowl. Peel and crush garlic and add to juice.
- Add oil and whisk lightly to combine
- Season with salt and pepper