BEEF KIELBASA - Serves 4

Chef Clayton Allen, Soter Vineyards

Approx. 3# Beef Chuck, 90/10 (90% lean and 10% fat) (1293 g) 12 Oz. (322 g) Pork Fatback 1.5 Oz. (40 g) Salt 1/4 Oz. (8 g) Sugar 1/4 Oz. (8 g) Black Pepper, ground 1 tsp (3 g) Mustard Powder 1/2 tsp (1 g) Oregano 2 Oz. (41 g) Milk Solids 1/2 Oz. (8 g) Garlic cloves

- -Mix all ingredients in a large bowl and let sit overnight in the refrigerator.
- -Using a meat grinder, grind the beef and pork with a medium die once through, and then take half of the grind and send though once more. Keep the ground meat as cold as possible.
- -In a large mixer, mix the meat using the paddle attachment on medium and add 3 ounces of ice water while it mixes.
- -If you can, put it into casings using a sausage stuffer, and poke a few small holes through the casing with a paper clip and hang overnight before smoking. If not, feel free to freeform the grind into a link or patty to grill!
- -For smoking, smoke at 150F for 2 hours, and then 200F for 1 hour. Until the internal temperature is 155F.