Grilled Pork Lettuce Cups with Cola-Pickles

Servings: 4

Amount	Measure	Ingredient – Preparation Method
2	pounds	boneless country style pork ribs
6	tablespoons	gochujang (korean fermented red chile paste)
4	cloves	garlic
3/4	inch	fresh ginger root – peeled and sliced
3	tablespoons	mirin (japanese sweet rice wine)
1	tablespoon	soy sauce
2	teaspoons	sesame oil
16		butter lettuce cups (about 2 heads)
		pickles
1 1/2	CUPS	cola
1/2	CUP	soy sauce
2	tablespoons	chili garlic sauce
1/2	CUP	cider vinegar
2	tablespoons	lime juice
2		red onion - halved and sliced lengthwise

Pork: In a blender, combine red chile paste, garlic, ginger, mirin, soy sauce and sesame oil then puree. Place pork in resealable bag, add marinade, and refrigerate for at least 6 hours.

In a medium saucepan over high heat, combine cola, soy sauce and chili garlic sauce. Bring to a boil and cook, stirring occasionally and adjusting the heat to avoid boiling over, until reduced to 3/4 cup, about 10 to 15 minutes. Remove from heat and stir in vinegar and lime juice. Place onions in a medium bowl and stir in cola mixture. Set aside at room temperature for at least 2 hours, stirring occasionally. Put in refrigerator if pickling longer.

Prepare grill and lightly oil grate. Remove pork from marinade and grill to 145, 4–5 minutes per side. Remove from grill and let rest 3 minutes.

To serve, thinly slice pork, arrange on lettuce leaves, and top with loosely drained pickled onions.