

# DINNER, DECONSTRUCTED

Considered one of Whistler Blackcomb's best-kept secrets, Whistler Creekside is a relaxed, family-friendly destination minutes away from bustling Whistler Village. Don't miss a visit to Aura at Nita Lake Lodge while visiting the charming ski town. Situated next to Nita Lake with views of glacial waters and tree-covered mountains, Aura offers an unforgettable West Coast dining experience **Claudia McNeilly**



**BRAISED BEEF SHORT RIBS WITH THYME JUS FROM AURA AT NITA LAKE LODGE, WHISTLER, B.C.**

Sautéed crispy brussels sprout leaves provide an enticingly crunchy texture.

Rich thyme jus fortified with red wine, shallots and reduced veal stock finishes the short rib masterpiece.

Quality Alberta AAA short ribs are seasoned, seared and braised in veal stock and red wine before being trimmed into individual portions.

Baby carrots gain a luscious, candy quality after being blanched in emulsified butter and housemade chicken stock.

Micro rosemary flowers picked from the restaurant's rooftop garden enliven the dish with an unexpected hint of citrus flavour.

Executive chef James Olberg simmers each portion in veal jus to further tenderize the meat.

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