

# **BLUEBERRY-LAVENDER FAUXJITO**

Mojito lovers, prepared to be charmed by this twist with fresh blueberries sweetened by a lavender simple syrup.

## **Ingredients**

Simple Syrup
½ cup sweetener: honey, coconut or raw sugar
½ cup water
1 tablespoon lavender buds

#### Drink

2-3 tablespoons lavender syrup, or more to taste
6-8 mint leaves,
3-5 slices of lime,
¼ cup blueberries, plus a few for garnish plain or lime flavored sparkling water ice

## Instructions

Simple Syrup

Combine sugar/sweetener, water, and lavender in a small saucepan. Mash lavender buds to release
flavor. Bring to a simmer over medium heat. Cook for 5 minutes, or until sugar is dissolved and mixture
has thickened. Remove from heat and strain out lavender. Let cool. Store in a sealed container in the
refrigerator for a maximum of two weeks.

### Drink

• In a tall glass, add syrup, blueberries, 5-6 mint leaves, and 3 limes. Use a muddler or a wooden spoon to mash the flavors. Add ice and then top with sparkling water. Stir and garnish with mint, lime slice, and a few berries.

