When it comes to choosing healthy proteins, lean Australian lamb is a delicious and healthy choice for beefing up your high quality protein needs.

With Australian lambs raised predominately on pasture, Australian lamb products are lean and naturally contain 13 essential nutrients required for good health, including **Iron, Zinc, Omega-3 and B vitamins**.
Lamb is also one of the best sources of well absorbed iron (otherwise known as heme-iron) and zinc, more effective than the iron and zinc found in plant-based foods.

**IRON MEANS BRAIN POWER**

Iron is important for energy, brain function, healthy growth and development particularly in babies, toddlers and children, and zinc is important for a healthy immune system.

Not only is Australian lamb lean (when trimmed of visible fat), because it is pasture raised, it is a valuable source of Omega 3 fatty acids, the same ‘healthy’ fat found in fish.

**USDA DIETARY GUIDELINES**

The latest dietary guidelines from USDA recommend eating 3 to 6 ounce portions of lean (less than 10% fat) or extra lean (less than 5% fat) meats—enjoy 3 to 4 times per week with vegetables for a satisfying, tasty meal which will help to meet your daily iron and zinc requirements.

So when you’re choosing meats and high-quality proteins to feed your family, make the natural choice for a healthy and balanced diet—pasture-raised lamb from Australia.
MEDITERRANEAN CHOPPED SALAD WITH BRAISED LAMB

Looking for a quick solution to weeknight dinner? Make use of leftover cooked lamb in this veggie-rich chopped salad with Greek flavors.
FOR THE DRESSING

In a large bowl, combine all the ingredients and mix well. Refrigerate until ready to use.

FOR THE SALAD

In a large mixing bowl, combine the romaine, lamb, tomato, onion, cucumber, beans and olives. Drizzle ½ cup of the dressing around the edges of the bowl to encourage even distribution of dressing and mix it all together well. Divide the salad between 4 plates and serve immediately.

INGREDIENTS

TAHINI-MINT DRESSING

- ½ cup Greek yogurt
- ¼ cup tahini
- 3 tablespoons water
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon apple cider vinegar
- 2 teaspoons fresh mint leaves, chopped
- 2 teaspoons spice rub for lamb
- 1 teaspoon honey
- 1 small clove minced garlic

SALAD

- 2 large heads washed and chopped romaine lettuce (12 cups)
- 1 pound Australian lamb cooked and shredded
- 1 cup diced tomato
- 1 cup red onion
- 1 cup diced cucumber
- 1 cup canned garbanzo beans, drained and rinsed
- ½ cup kalamata olives, chopped

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NUTRITION FACTS (SERVING SIZE: 4 OUNCES)

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