Wild Rice and Carrot Muffins – Gibbs-California Wild Rice

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• Yield: 12 muffins

Ingredients

- 1 cup California Wild Rice cooked
- 3/4 cup <u>all-purpose flour</u>
- 2 tsp <u>baking powder</u>
- 1 tsp <u>cinnamon</u>
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 cup <u>mulk</u>
- 1 tsp sugar
- 1 cup <u>carrots</u> grated
- 3/4 cup whole weat flour
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1/2 tsp nutmeg
- 1 egg lightly beaten
- 1/3 cup vegatable oil
- 1/4 tsp cinnamon

Instructions

- 1. Prepare wild rice and carrots and set aside. Combine flours, baking powder, salt, cinnamon, nutmeg and brown sugar together in a mixing bowl, stirring to blend.
- 2. Add the cooked wild rice to the dry ingredients and toss to coat wild rice.
- 3. In another bowl, combine the egg with the milk and oil; add the grated carrots, then stir these wet ingredients into the dry ingredients, mixing just enough to blend well. Do not over-mix.
- 4. Divide batter evenly between 12 lightly buttered and floured (or paper muffin cup-lined) 2½-inch muffin cups.
- 5. Mix 1 tbsp. sugar with 1/4 tsp cinnamon for topping and sprinkle this over muffin batter.
- 6. Bake at 400° 20 to 25 minutes.
- 7. Remove muffins from pans and cool on wire racks.
- 8. **For frosted muffins:** to make frosting, blend 1 (3-oz.) pkg. cream cheese, softened to room temperature with 1 cup sifted powdered sugar, blend until smooth by hand or with mixer. When muffins are cool, spread frosting on tops.

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