

<u>Buttermilk Apple-Parmesan Muffins</u> Makes 12 standard muffins

2 cups all-purpose flour
2 tablespoons sugar
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon baking soda (bicarbonate of soda)
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup buttermilk

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1 egg

1 small apple (preferably Dudley apples from one of <u>Bayfield</u>'s orchards)

1/2 cup Parmesan cheese

Preheat the oven to 400 degrees. Butter or spray muffin tins

In a medium bowl, stir and toss together the flour, sugar, baking powder, baking soda and salt. Set Aside. In a small bowl whisk together the buttermilk, oil and egg until smooth. *Note: these will bake far more evenly if you have ALL ingredients at room temperature before putting in the oven.* Add the combined dry ingredients, along with the finely chopped apple and the parmesan cheese. Stir until just blended.

Spoon into the prepared muffin tins, filling each cup about 3/4 full. Bake until a toothpick or knife comes out clean – about 20 minutes. Cool before removing from tins.

Enjoy!