

RECIPES

Oatmeal-Lentil Jam-Filled Slab Scones

INGREDIENTS:

¼ cup red lentils

2 cups all-purpose flour

1 ½ cups whole wheat flour

½ cup quick or old fashioned oats

¼ cup sugar

1 Tbsp baking powder

½ tsp salt

½ cup butter, cut into pieces

1 ½ cups buttermilk plus ¼ cup

¾ cup jam or preserves (favorite flavor)

2 Tbsp granulated sugar

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees
- 2. In a small saucepan, cover the lentils with water and bring to a boil. Cook without stirring for 10-12 minutes, or until just tender. Set aside.
- 3. In a large bowl, combine the flours, oats, sugar, baking powder and salt. Blend in butter using a pastry cutter or fork.
- 4. Add the cooked lentils and 1 ½ cups buttermilk, and stir just until the dough comes together. Divide the dough in half, and on a lightly floured surface roll each piece into a 10 inch square. Spread the jam on a strip down the middle third, and fold each half over it, overlapping like a letter. Brush the tops with the extra buttermilk and sprinkle with sugar (optional).
- Transfer to a baking sheet and bake for 25-30
 minutes, until golden. To serve, cut into thick slices,
 or triangle shaped wedges by cutting at alternating
 angles.

Makes 16 servings

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