

## **Carrot Muffins**

Prep Time: 15 mins Cook Time: 20 min Serves: 18

## Ingredients:

- 1 2/3 cup whole wheat flour
- 1½ tsp baking soda
- ½ tsp salt
- 2 tsp ground cinnamon
- ¼ cup olive oil
- 1/2 cup honey
- ½ cup unsweetened apple sauce
- 2 eggs
- 1 tsp pure vanilla extract
- 1 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cups finely grated carrots
- 2 tsp fresh ginger, grated (or 3/4 tsp powdered ginger)

## **Instructions:**

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F.
- 2. Line a muffin tin with paper liners.
- 3. In a large bowl, combine flour, baking soda, salt, and cinnamon.
- In a separate bowl combine olive oil, honey, apple sauce, eggs, vanilla extract, carrots, and ginger. Stir to combine.
- Add the wet ingredients to the dry ingredients and stir just until mixture is combined. Be careful not to over mix.
- 6. Fill the muffin tins about half way with the batter.
- 7. Bake for approximately 15-20 minutes until the top springs back when you touch it, and a toothpick or butter knife inserted into the center comes out clean.

