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## **Southwest Quinoa Bowl**

Serves 1

1/2 cup quinoa, cooked

1/4 can black beans, rinsed and drained

1/4 cup corn, fresh or frozen

1/4 cup cherry tomatoes, sliced in half

1/4 cup cubed Pepper Jack cheese

1/4 avocado, diced

1/4 teaspoon paprika

1/4 teaspoon cumin

1/4 teaspoon chili powder

kosher salt and pepper, to taste

### garnish with:

2 tablespoons olive oil lime slices & cilantro leaves

### Directions:

- Cook the quinoa according to the package instructions.
- 2. In a large lunch container, carefully layer cooked the quinoa, black beans, corn, tomatoes, cheese, and avocado.
- 3. Sprinkle the quinoa with the paprika, cumin, chili powder, salt and pepper.
- 4. Before leaving for the day, or before eating, drizzle the quinoa with olive oil.
- Garnish with a squeeze of fresh lime juice and cilantro.

## Easy Curry Chicken Salad Serves 6

1 rotisserie chicken, shredded 1 cup grapes, halved 1/2 cup shallot, diced 1/2 cup sliced almonds 1/2 cup green onions, sliced

### dressing:

1 cup Greek yogurt 2 tablespoons whole grain dijon mustard 2 tablespoons curry powder kosher salt, to taste pepper, to taste

### Directions:

- Shred the rotisserie chicken into small pieces, removing the skin into a large bowl.
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- 2. Mix the dressing ingredients together in a small bowl.
- 3. Add the grapes, shallot, almonds, green onion, and dressing to the chicken and stir until combined.
- 4. Serve with toasted bread, in a wrap, or on lettuce leaves.

# **Egg Salad with Hummus**

Serves 2-3

6 eggs, boiled, peeled and chopped 2 stalks celery, sliced 1/4 red onion, diced finely 2 tablespoons parsley, chopped

# dressing:

1/2 cup hummus

2 tablespoons tahini

2 tablespoons olive oil

2 tablespoons red wine vinegar

1/4 teaspoon celery salt

1/4 teaspoon kosher salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper

## Directions:

- 1. Prepare the boiled eggs. Place the eggs in a medium-sized sauce pan and cover with cold water. Bring to a boil, then cover with a tight-fitting lid and turn off the heat. Set a timer for 12 minutes. Then, run cold water over the eggs until they are cooled. Peel, and chop roughly for the egg salad.
- 2. Make the dressing by mixing all ingredients together in a small bowl.
- 3. Add the celery, onion, parsley, and dressing to the chopped eggs and stir.
- 4. Serve with crackers, on toast, or in lettuce leaves.