Bread Baking

Materials

- 1/2 cup white sugar 1 1/4 cup vegetable
- 1/2 tablespoons active dry yeast
- 2 cups warm water
 11/2 teaspoons salt
 - oil
 - 5-6 cups flour
- Pour the warm water into a large bowl and dissolve the sugar.
- Stir in yeast. Allow it to proof (until yeast resembles a creamy foam) which should take about 5 minutes.
- Mix salt and oil into the yeast. Mix in flour one cup at a time.
- Knead dough for 7 minutes. Place in a well-oiled bowl, and turn dough to coat.



- Cover with a damp cloth. Allow to rise until doubled in bulk, which will take about 1 hour.
- Punch dough down. Knead for 1 minute and divide in half. Shape into loaves and place into two greased 9×5 inch loaf pans.
- Allow to rise for 30 minutes, or until dough has risen 1 inch above pans. Bake at 350 degrees F (175 degrees C) for 30-40 minutes. Cool, brush with butter and enjoy!

All Buttered Up

Materials

- Heavy Cream
- Mason Jar
- Fine mesh strainer
- Plastic wrap
- Refrigerator
- Pour cream into the jar and screw on the lid.
- Shake jar until butter forms a soft lump, this should take about 15 to 20 minutes.
- Continue to shake until buttermilk separates out of the lump and the jar contains a solid lump of butter and liquid buttermilk.
- Pour contents of the jar into a fine mesh and strain out the buttermilk.
- Remove the lump of butter and wrap it in plastic wrap
- Refrigerate until needed. Enjoy!

