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UBC Cinnamon Bun Recipe

YIELD: 18 Large Cinnamon Buns

INGREDIENTS:

Dough

3 cups (750mL) milk

6 tbsp (90mL) butter

6 tbsp (90mL) plus 1 tsp (5ml) granulated sugar

1 tbsp (15mL) salt

½ cup (125mL) warm water

2 envelopes active dry yeast

2 large eggs

9 cups (2.25L) all-purpose flour

Filling

3/4 cup (175mL) melted butter

1¼ cups (300mL) granulated sugar

2 tbsp (30mL) cinnamon

METHOD:

- 1. Scald Milk. Stir in butter, 6 tbsp sugar and salt. Cool to lukewarm.
- 2. Dissolve remaining 1 tsp sugar in warm water. Sprinkle yeast over water mixture. Let stand in a warm place for 10 minutes. Stir.
- 3. In a large mixing bowl, combine lukewarm milk mixture with eggs. Stir in dissolved yeast mixture.
- 4. Add four to five cups of the flour and beat well for 10 minutes. With a wooden spoon, gradually add enough of the remaining flour to make a soft dough.
- 5. Turn out on to a lightly floured surface and knead until smooth and elastic, adding additional flour as needed. This is a soft dough!
- 6. Place dough in a well-greased bowl and roll around to grease all sides of the dough. Cover with a damp cloth and let rise in a warm place until dough doubles in size, about one hour.
- 7. Punch down dough and turn out onto a lightly floured surface. Divide dough in half.

- 8. To fill, roll out each piece of dough into a 9×18 -inch rectangle. Spread 1/4 cup of melted butter evenly onto each rectangle.
- 9. Combine sugar and cinnamon for filling. Sprinkle onto the rectangles. Roll dough up like a jelly roll, starting from the long side. Cut into 2-inch slices.
- 10. Place remaining $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of melted butter into the bottom of a $16\frac{1}{2}$ x $11\frac{1}{2}$ x $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pan. Arrange slices in the pan and cover loosely with greased wax paper.
- 11. Let rise in pan until doubled in size, about 45-60 minutes.
- 12. Preheat oven to 350°F (180°C).
- 13. Bake for 35-40 minutes.
- 14. Remove from oven and immediately invert onto a serving tray.