SCONES RECIPE

As demonstrated by Maria Brennan of The Victorian Bakery

Preheat your oven to 400-450F.

2 lbs All-Purpose flour

6 ozs butter, very cold

2 ozs sugar

.5 ozs (1/2 oz) baking powder

Pinch of salt

4 ozs dried fruit

1 lb milk

3 eggs, beaten

beaten egg and sugar in separate bowls for dipping scones

Place your flour, butter, sugar, baking powder and salt in a bowl. Rub in the butter.

Add dried fruit.

Add milk and egg mixture and use your hand or a bowl scraper to bring the dough together.

Tip the dough out onto a floured surface and flatten.

Cut with a scone cutter.

Dip scones in beaten egg first and then in sugar.

Bake for 20-30 minutes, depending on your oven.