Make your own Madeleines!

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Ingredients:

3 free-range eggs
130g sugar
200g plain flour
10g baking powder
1 unwaxed lemon, finely
grated zest only
20g honey
4 tbsp milk
200g butter, melted and
cooled



Method:

Make in two batches unless you happen to own multiple madeleine tins!

Beat the eggs with the sugar until pale and frothy. Put the flour and baking powder into a separate bowl and add the lemon zest.

Mix the honey and milk with the cooled butter, then add to the eggs. In two batches, fold in the flour. Cover and leave to rest in the fridge for a few hours, or overnight.

When you are ready to bake, preheat the oven to 190C/375F/ Gas 5. Butter and flour a 12-shell madeleine tin or small muffin tin.

Put a heaped tablespoon of batter into each madeleine shell/ section of tray and, if adding raspberries, press one into the batter of each cake

Bake for five minutes and turn the oven off for one minute (the madeleines will get their signature peaks), then turn the oven on to 160C/325F/Gas 3 and bake for a further five minutes. Transfer the madeleines to a wire rack and leave for a few minutes until cool enough to handle. Meanwhile, wash and dry the tin, then repeat the baking as for the first batch.



