

# Wild Thymes & Cool Breezes

ENJOY A REFRESHING COCKTAIL MIDST THE COOL, DESERT AND COASTAL BREEZES.

# **INGREDIENTS**

<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz. Fresh lime juice

1 oz. BPT simple syrup see recipe below

2 ea. Mint sprigs 1 ¾ oz. Nolet's Gin

3 dashes Bitter Truth grapefruit bitters

1 oz. Trader Joe's or Gosling's Ginger Beer

Garnish w/lime wheel speared with a mint sprig

### **RIMMER**

3 parts Superfine sugar 2 parts Kosher salt Chipotle powder to taste / smell

### **BPT SIMPLE**

Muddle fresh thyme and black pepper corns (about 2 tbsp. for 12oz of syrup)

Mix 1:1 simple

1 part sugar

1 part boiling water

Pour hot simple over muddled spices

Let steep until cool

Strain and refrigerate

# **METHOD**

- Add the lime juice, simple syrup, and a mint sprig to a shaker tin
- Muddle well
- Rim glass
- Add the gin, grapefruit bitters and ice to the cocktail shaker
- Shake well
- Double strain into highball glasses over fresh ice. (Double strain will eliminate shards of mint in the final presentation)
- Top off with a splash of ginger beer
- Garnish with the remaining mint spring and lime wheel



# MISE EN PLACE

TOOLS YOU WILL NEED TO MUDDLE AND ASSEMBLE



## IN PREPARATION

- Prepare the rimmer
- Prepare the BPT simple syrup
- Juice the lime
- Rinse and dry the mint

# **FOR STARTERS**

- Cutting board wood or plastic
- Countertop trash bin (for scraps and such)
  - can be just a bowl or plastic bag
- Chef's knife or pairing knife
- Towel or wipes

### PROPORTIONS FOR BATCHING

- 2 parts fresh lime juice
- 3 parts BPT simple syrup
- 7 parts gin
- 4 parts ginger beer

# **GIN ALTERNATIVES**

- 1. Nolet's
- 2. Tanqueray rangpur
- 3. Gordon's
- 4. Taquila silver

## **ESPECIALLY FOR TODAY**

- Measuring cup with ounces
- Citrus juicer or fork to extract juice
- Shaker tin
- Muddler
- Strainer
- High ball glass or 16 oz. Glass



