

## **Whipped Ricotta Salad**

Adapted from Save it Forward Suppers by Cyndi Kane

### **Ingredients:**

1 16-oz package of whole milk ricotta  
salt  
1 ½ cups large diced tomatoes or halved cherry tomatoes  
1 cup large-diced, peeled cucumber  
¼ cup slivered red or white onion  
¼ cup basil leaves sliced thin into ribbons  
2 Tbsp bottled vinaigrette

### **Instructions:**

Whip ricotta with ¾ teaspoon salt in a food processor or mixer until light & fluffy, about 3-4 minutes. Spread the ricotta out on a platter. Toss the rest of the ingredients with the vinaigrette and spread on top of the cheese, leaving a margin around the edges of plain ricotta. Drizzle with honey if desired. Use crusty bread to scoop up the cheese & tomatoes.

Another good version of this recipe:

<https://www.foodnetwork.com/recipes/giada-de-laurentiis/whipped-ricotta-salad-2371057>