# Homemade Stracciatella with La Bomba Calabrese, Fresh Oregano



# & Lemon

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Have you ever made stracciatella? It's so simple - just two ingredients! Tear up fior di latte, stir in pure cream, add a tiny pinch of salt, then let it chill overnight. Use it anywhere stracciatella is called for - pizza, focaccia, veggie sides, sandwiches. I love it as an appetiser with flatbread or focaccia. So simple, so delicious - just letting those fantastic ingredients shine.

**SERVES** 6-8 | **TOTAL TIME** 15 minutes (plus overnight chilling)

#### **INGREDIENTS**

# **Homemade stracciatella** (make the day before serving)

- 250g fior di latte (fresh mozzarella)
- 125ml (1/2 cup) pure cream
- Small pinch flakey sea salt

#### To serve

- La bomba Calabrese (I've used Bippi Italian Bomba Spread)
- Fresh oregano leaves
- Zest of 1 lemon
- Extra virgin olive oil
- Freshly cracked black pepper

## **METHOD**

#### Homemade stracciatella

- 1. In a small bowl, tear the fior di latte into small pieces.
- 2. Add the cream and a small pinch of salt.
- 3. Stir to combine, cover, and refrigerate overnight.

### To serve

- 1. Scoop the stracciatella onto a serving plate.
- 2. Spoon over a few tablespoons of la bomba Calabrese
- 3. Sprinkle with fresh oregano leaves, lemon zest, and freshly cracked black pepper.
- 4. Drizzle with extra virgin olive oil and serve with flatbread, focaccia, or pita chips.

**Variation:** For a delicious twist, layer charred broccolini over the stracciatella before adding the la bomba Calabrese, oregano, lemon zest, and black pepper. Finish with a drizzle of olive oil. Serve as a vegetable side or with fresh pita or flatbread for rolling.

### **NOTES**

**Overnight is best:** The stracciatella develops the perfect creamy texture and flavour if left in the fridge overnight.

Fresh is key: Use the freshest fior di latte and cream you can find for the best taste.

Make ahead: The stracciatella will keep for up to 3 days in the fridge, stored in an airtight container.

Serving ideas: Try it with roasted cherry tomatoes, grilled zucchini, or as a topping for pizza.

Bomba spice levels: The Bippi Italian Bomba Spread packs a gentle heat - adjust the amount to your taste.



### Find the recipe and watch the video online:

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