Salt and Serenity

Virtuous Green Slaw

This recipe was adapted slightly from Sue Riedel's original recipe, published in the Feb 5, 2014 issue of the Globe and Mail newspaper.

Serves 4

Dressing:

1 shallot, finely chopped
¼ cup freshly squeezed lemon juice
1 teaspoon honey
1 tablespoon grainy Dijon mustard
¼ cup extra virgin olive oil
½ teaspoon kosher salt
¼ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

Salad:

1 5-ounce box of baby kale *

16 Brussels sprouts

1 Honeycrisp or Granny Smith apple

1/3 cup toasted hazelnuts, coarsely chopped

 $\frac{1}{4}$ cup Parmesan Cheese, shaved from a block of Parmesan. (a vegetable peeler works well for this job)

- 1. Combine all dressing ingredients into a glass jar. Shake well to combine and set aside.
- 2. Coarsely chop baby kale. Place into large serving bowl.
- 3. Cut stems off the Brussels sprouts. Then cut sprouts in half vertically and slice each half thinly into strips. Place the sprouts into the serving bowl.
- 4. Cut apple into matchstick size pieces. Add to bowl.
- 5. Add half the dressing to slaw. Toss to combine and taste to see if you think you need more. Garnish slaw with hazelnuts and Parmesan shavings.

*If you can't find baby kale, use half a bunch of regular curly kale instead. Wash kale, remove tough center ribs and stems. Slice kale into thin strips.