



Oatmeal Fruit Bars

½ cup brown sugar

1 cup flour

¼ tsp baking soda

1/8 tsp salt

1 cup rolled oats

½ cup butter, 1 stick

¾ cup of your favorite fruit jam

Preheat oven to 350. Line an 8X8 pan with foil. Combine sugar, flour, salt and oats in a large bowl. Add stick of butter and with your fingers, work it into the dry ingredients until you have a crumbly mixture with no big lumps. Measure 2 cups of this mixture into the pan and press down to make a crust. Carefully spread the jam on top, leaving space around the edges, about ¼ inch. Sprinkle the rest of the crumb mixture on top and gently press it down onto the jam. Bake 35-40 minutes, until lightly browned. Cool completely before slicing into squares.