## Mojito Mocktail

Ingredients (for 1 serving):

- · 8 fresh mint leaves
- 1 ounce fresh lime juice (about 1 medium lime)
- 1/2-1 ounce simple syrup (depending on sweetness you like, add more or less)
- 4 ounces Topo Chico or another club soda of your choice
- Optional: 1-2 ounces non-alcoholic rum
- · Garnish: fresh lime slices

Place mint leaves and half a lime cut into two wedges into a tall, sturdy glass or pestle and mortar. Muddle to release oils in the mint and lime juice from the lime wedges (if using a pestle and mortar, move the leaves and juice to your serving glass). Fill the glass to the top with ice, add the simple syrup (and non-alcoholic rum, if using), fill with club soda and stir. Add more simple syrup if you like it sweeter. Garnish the glass with a fresh lime slice.

