

### Debbie's Cheese Ball

8 oz. shredded cheddar cheese  
8 oz. package cream cheese, softened  
1 teaspoon garlic powder  
1/8 teaspoon ground red pepper  
Paprika  
½ chopped pecans (divided)

Process first four ingredients in a food processor or by hand until smooth, stopping to scrape down sides. Mix in ¼ cup chopped pecans. Chill 30 minutes. Shape cheese mixture into a ball, lightly sprinkle paprika as a garnish. Serve with assorted crackers and or vegetables.

**Note:** I use half cheddar cheese and half mozzarella cheese.

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