

"BLUEBERRY BLISS CHOCOLATES"

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50 calories each and 12 servings

FREE of: Dairy, Soy, Nut, Gluten, & White Sugar

Ingredients

Filling / Ganache

- 3/4 cup dark chopped chocolate-Fair Trade, Organic + Dairy Free
- · ¼ cup unsweetened rice milk
- 2 t organic coconut sugar
- ½ t coconut oil
- 1/8 t fine sea salt

Toppings

- ¼ cup unsweetened coconut flakes
- ¼ cup crushed dried blueberries*
- ¼ cup crushed dried raspberries*
 *Add coconut sugar if needed

Dipping

½ cup dark chopped chocolate- Fair Trade, Organic & Dairy Free 12 all medium same sized organic blueberries

Items Needed

Sauce pan w/lid, spatula spoon for mixing and scraping, small container with lid, parchment paper, display tray/platter for chocolates glass bowl (used as a double boiler), mortar & pestle, melon scoop, dipping fork and spatula knife, latex gloves, measuring spoons and cup



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Steps

**Step 1 can be done ahead of time. Wear cooking gloves. You can replace the blueberries with your fruit of choice.

1.

In small sauce pan **add** rice milk, coconut oil, coconut sugar and sea salt. **Heat** to a simmer, put lid on. Do not boil. **Put** the chocolate in the microwave for 1 min. When fully melted, **add** the ingredients from the sauce pan. Pour mixture (will be glossy + shiny) into low and wide container with a lid. **Smooth** and even out. **Place** in the refrigerator until hardened.

2.

Wash your blueberries and let dry. Use mortar & pestle to make dried fruits into small flakes. Add the chocolate into a double boiler. After it melted, gently dip the blueberries into the chocolate. Remove with dipping fork/spatula and place on parchment paper to dry. If they are not drying quickly, place in the refrigerator to speed up the process. When everything has hardened, remove from refrigerator. With the melon scoop, scoop up the filling and roll in your hands to make a ball. Flatten it out and place chocolate covered blueberry in the center. Gently roll back into a ball. Place on parchment paper. Repeat until all the filling is used up

3.

Set up your different toppings in dishes. Take one chocolate piece at a time and gently **roll** in your hands for about 10 seconds. The warmth will make the topping to stick to the chocolate. **Roll** it in your topping of choice. **Arrange** on a platter. **Store** them in the refrigerator in an air tight container until serving. Since they contain fresh fruit, consume within 2 days.