

HOSTESS CUPCAKE COOKIES

High-Protein / Low-Carb / Keto-Friendly / Sugar-Free

Recipe by Deedee @eatswithdeedee and featured on MariGoldFoods.com

"I wanted to make a chocolate cookie and knew these would be super yummy!" - Deedee (@eatswithdeedee)

INGREDIENTS:

Chocolate Cookies

- 1/2 C butter, softened
- 1/2 C sweetener (I used half granulated & half golden)
- 1egg
- 1/3 C Cocoa powder
- 2 Scoops MariGold Rich Chocolate Malt Whey Isolate Protein Powder
- 1 TSP Vanilla
- 13/4 C Almond Flour (if you have Lupin flour you can use both combined 11/4 C almond & 1/2 C Lupin which is what I did)
- 1 TSP baking powder
- Dash of salt

Chocolate Ganache

- 1/3 Cup heavy cream
- 1/2 Cup sugar-free chocolate chips

DIRECTIONS:

- 1. FOR THE COOKIES: Mix butter and sweetener until fluffy.
- 2. Add in egg yolk & vanilla and mix until combined.
- 3. Add in all other ingredients and mix.
- Bake on a parchment lined cookie sheet at 350 for about 10-12 minutes. Let cool completely, then add frosting if desired
- 5. FOR THE GANACHE: Heat cream in microwave until bubbling hot.
- 6. Add chocolate chips and cover. Let sit 5 mins.
- 7. Whisk together until it thickens up & let cool to room temperature. It will keep thickening as it cools.



