

Saskatoon Berry Shortbread Cookie

Cooking Instructions

This Shortbread Cookie recipe was submitted by Liz Demers. This recipe won the Camrose 100-mile Cookie Challenge in 2009.

Yields 12-15 cookies.

Ingredients:

- 1 cup (250 ml) margarine
- ½ cup (125 ml) honey
- 2 cups (500 ml) Sunny Boy Organic Unbleached All-Purpose Flour
- 1 egg white
- 2 cups (500 ml) Saskatoon berries
- 2 tbsp (30 ml) honey
- 1 tbsp (15 ml) Sunny Boy Organic Unbleached All-Purpose Flour
- 2 cups (500 ml) sliced almonds

Directions:

- 1. Whip margarine and ½ cup of honey together. Gradually add 2 cups of flour while continuing to beat.
- 2. Beat the egg white with 1-2 tbsp of water. Form balls of dough from the margarine, honey, and flour mixture. Roll them in the egg white mixture, followed by the sliced almonds to coat.
- 3. Place them on a greased cookie sheet and make an indent in the centre with your thumb. Bake at 375°F (190°C) for 12-15 minutes. Reshape the indent while they are cooling, if necessary.
- 4. Combine the fresh/frozen Saskatoon berries with 4 tbsp of water and the 2 tbsp of honey in a saucepan. Heat until the honey has melted. Mash the Saskatoons a little. Add up to 1 tbsp of flour as needed to thicken into a jam-like consistency.
- 5. Put about 1 tsp of filling into the indent of each cookie. Enjoy.