## **Christmas Pudding Bonbons**

Makes 90 bonbons Prep Time: 2 hours Freeze Time: 2 hours

## Ingredients:

2 lbs whole chestnuts (or  $1\frac{1}{2}$  lbs packaged), roasted and/or steamed until tender

1 lb medjool dates, pitted

1 c fruitcake-style mixed fruit

2 T sherry or brandy

¼ t vanilla bean paste or extract

½ t ground cinnamon

1/4 t ground clove

1/4 t ground nutmeg

¼ t ground ginger

32 oz dark or bittersweet chocolate, chips or chopped

8 oz white chocolate, chips or chopped

1 T coconut oil

1 c powdered sugar, divided

Red and green food coloring

## **Directions:**

- 1. Process the chestnuts until almost a smooth, hummus-like consistency. Add the next eight ingredients and process until well amalgamated and begins to form a ball.
- 2. Using scant teaspoonfuls, roll filling into 1" balls and place on a lined tray. Freeze until solid.
- 3. Melt dark chocolate and dip centers, placing back on the tray to set.
- 4. Combine white chocolate and coconut oil and melt. Drip onto bonbons.
- 5. Combine ½ c powdered sugar with each of the food colorings (adding water, one drop at a time, if necessary) to form a thick icing. Decorate bonbons with a holly design.

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Nutrition Facts	
Servings 90.0	
Amount Per Serving	
calories 117	
% Daily Value *	
Total Fat 4 g	6 %
Saturated Fat 2 g	12 %
Monounsaturated Fat 0 g	
Polyunsaturated Fat 0 g	
Trans Fat 0 g	
Cholesterol 0 mg	0 %
Sodium 3 mg	0 %
Potassium 81 mg	2 %
Total Carbohydrate 21 g	7 %
Dietary Fiber 1 g	5 %
Sugars 13 g	
Protein 1 g	1 %
Vitamin A	0 %
Vitamin C	7 %
Calcium	1 %
Iron	6 %
* The Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet, so	

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