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White Chocolate Protein Cake Pops

Cake Ingredients:

Vanilla protein powder, 30 g Organic stevia blend, 3 tbsp Coconut flour, 2 tbsp Tapioca starch, 2 tbsp Baking powder, 1/2 tsp Baking soda, 1/4 tsp Egg whites, 1/4 cup Nonfat plain Greek yogurt, 3 tbsp Unsweetened applesauce, 2 tbsp Vanilla extract, 1 tsp Butter extract (optional), 1/2 tsp

Frosting Ingredients:

Nonfat plain Greek yogurt, 2 tbsp Organic stevia blend, 1 tbsp Vanilla extract, 1/4 tsp Butter extract (optional), 1/4 tsp

Coating Ingredients:

Melted white chocolate, divided, 1 oz. Coconut oil, 1 tsp Beetroot powder (or red food coloring), 1/2 tsp Sprinkles (optional)

Directions:

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 F.
- 2. Whisk together dry ingredients for cake in a medium mixing bowl.
- 3. Add wet ingredients and mix to combine.
- 4. Lightly coat a 7x5-inch or 6-inch round baking dish or pan with cooking spray.
- 5. Pour batter into prepared dish and bake for 20-25 minutes until a toothpick or knife inserted comes out clean. Set cake aside to cool.
- 6. Stir together frosting ingredients until smooth.

- 7. Crumble cake into a medium mixing bowl and mix in frosting.
- 8. Press cake mixture into a heart-shaped cake-pop mold coated with cooking spray, or simply roll into five 2-inch balls. Insert candy sticks and place in the freezer.
- 9. Melt 3 tablespoons white chocolate chips with beetroot powder and coconut oil using a double boiler. If you don't have a double boiler, simply fill a small saucepan 1/3 to the top with water, nest a small metal mixing bowl (or another saucepan) inside, and bring water to a simmer over medium heat. Stir chocolate as it begins to melt.
- 10. Remove cake pops from mold and roll in melted chocolate.
- 11. Melt remaining tablespoon of white chocolate and drizzle over coated pops. Garnish with sprinkles immediately (if desired).
- 12. Store in the fridge up to one week or in the freezer up to one month.