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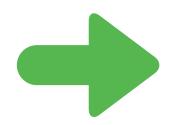
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## BREAKFASTIDEAS

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# banana quinoa pancakes

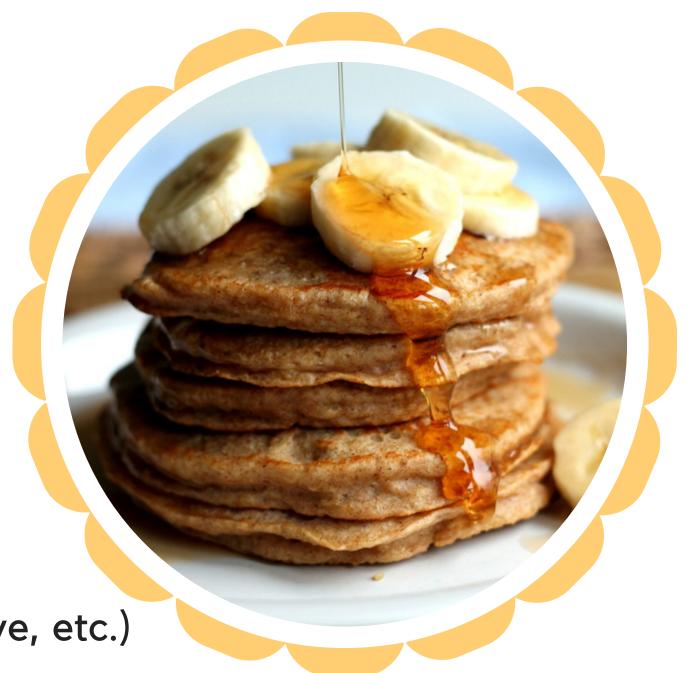
gluten & dairy free // no refined sugar // makes 7-8

#### INGREDIENTS

1 cup quinoa flour
2 tsp baking powder
2 tsp ground cinnamon
1/4 tsp salt
3/4 cup milk alternative (coconut, soy milk, hemp milk, etc.)
1/4 cup applesauce

1/2 medium banana, mashed 1 tbsp oil (grapeseed, coconut, olive, etc.)

1 tbsp vanilla extract



#### **DIRECTIONS**

- In a large bowl combine quinoa flour, baking powder, cinnamon and salt.
- In a small bowl, whisk together milk, applesauce, mashed banana, oil and vanilla.
- Add the wet ingredients to the dry ingredients and stir well. Batter should be creamy and smooth (if not, add a little more of your chosen milk alternative).
- Heat a large non-stick skillet over medium-low heat. Pour 1/4 cup of batter for each pancake and flip when bubbles appear on the surface.
- Flip and cook until golden brown on the other side.
- Serve with maple syrup and enjoy!

\*Leftover pancakes can be stored in an airtight container or bag and kept frozen. When ready to eat, simply place in the toaster to warm up.\*



## chia seed breakfast bowl

gluten & dairy free // no refined sugar // makes 2 bowls

#### **INGREDIENTS**

2 tbsp chia seeds

0.5-1 tbsp freshly ground flax seed

2 tbsp hemp hearts

1 tsp cinnamon

11/4 cup milk alternative (coconut,

soy milk, hemp milk, etc.)

Toppings of your choice; apple slices,

banana, blueberries, strawberries,

raspberries, sunflower or pumpkin seeds, pomegranate seeds, walnuts, OPTIONAL drizzle

of honey (manuka is best for added antimicrobial benefits) or

100% maple syrup

### DIRECTIONS

- In a small bowl, add the chia seeds, hemp hearts, flaxseed and cinnamon and whisk in the milk alternative.
- Place it in the refrigerator for 15-20 minutes (you may notice it solidifies faster than that)
- Top with your choice of toppings and enjoy!





# paleo lemon blueberry scones

gluten & dairy free // no refined sugar // makes 9 scones

## **INGREDIENTS**

3 cups almond flour
1 tsp baking soda
1/8 tsp salt
zest of 1 lemon
2 eggs
2 tbsp honey
2 tbsp fresh lemon juice
3/4 cup fresh blueberries



#### **DIRECTIONS**

- Preheat oven to 325 degrees.
- Add the almond flour, baking soda, salt, and lemon zest to a large bowl and stir to combine.
- Make a well in the center of the flour mixture and add the wet ingredients. Starting in the centre, stir the dough until well combined. Fold in the blueberries.
- Using a large ice cream scoop, drop the scones into a baking sheet lines with parchment paper. Lightly wet hands and gently flatten the tops of the scones. They should be about 1 inch thick.
- Bake 18-20 minutes or until tops are golden brown.
- Let cool on wire rack and enjoy!





Source: naturalcareclinic.ca

# paleo vanilla granola

gluten & dairy free // refined sugar free // makes 4 cups

#### INGREDIENTS

1/2 cup raw pecans 1/2 cup raw hazelnuts 1 cup raw almonds 1 cup raw walnuts 1/4 cup raw sunflower seeds 1 tbsp golden flax seeds 2 tbsp coconut oil, melted 1 tbsp cinnamon 3/4 cup honey, melted 1-1.5 tbsp vanilla



## **DIRECTIONS**

1/2 cup raisins

- Soak all nuts in enough water to cover. Mix in 1 teaspoon of salt. Cover and soak overnight, changing the water one time. Soak the sunflower seeds in a separate bowl, following the same procedure.
- Drain the nuts and seeds and place on a paper towel to absorb the remaining water. Keep half of the sunflower seeds separate. Place all nuts and 1/2 of the sunflower seeds in the bowl of a food processor. Grind them until they resemble the size of oats. Add in coconut oil, cinnamon, honey, vanilla, & salt. Pulse until combined.
- Add the last half of the sunflower seeds and the flax seeds. Pulse once or twice, until they are roughly chopped and combined.
- Remove the blade, then mix in the shredded coconut with a spoon. Turn the mixture out onto 3 parchment-covered dehydrator trays. Spread evenly into a thin layer and bake in your oven at its lowest setting for 2-3 hrs, or until completely dried and free of all moisture.
- Stir in the raisins, then let cool completely before storing in an airtight container for 2-3 weeks.

Source: naturalcareclinic.ca

# ketogenic protein bread

gluten & dairy free // refined sugar free // makes 1 loaf

## **INGREDIENTS**

1 cup almonds
4 eggs
1/4 cup ground flax seeds
1 tbsp whole flax seeds
1/2 tsp sea salt
1/3 tsp baking soda
2 tsp honey
1/2 tsp apple cider vinegar
1 tbsp coconut oil for greasing



#### **DIRECTIONS**

- Preheat oven to 150 Celsius. Beat eggs in a medium bowl; set aside.
- Blend almonds in a food processor until smooth. Transfer almonds to a large bowl and add all remaining ingredients (except eggs).
- Add eggs to other ingredients and mix until well combined.
- Grease a 7x3.5" loaf pan with coconut oil. Pour mixture into loaf pan and bake in pre-heated oven at 150 degrees Celsius for 35-40 mins.
- Allow bread to cool on a wire rack before cutting into 13 equal slices. Wrap individual slices in tin foil and store in airtight container in your refrigerator.





Source: tarladalal.com

## smoothie basics

build a nutrient-balanced, immune-boosting smoothie



#### **INGREDIENTS**

#### ONE FULL CUP OF VEGETABLES

Try leafy greens like spinach, kale, or swiss chard

#### FRESH OR FROZEN FRUIT

Blueberries, acai, banana, strawberries - get creative!

#### **PROTEIN**

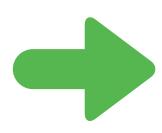
1-2 scoops of your favourite vegan or whey protein powder, depending on your dietary needs

#### **HEALTHY FATS**

l avocado and your choice of coconut oil (2 tbs), coconut milk or yogurt (1/2cup), nut butter (2tbs) or nuts (1/4cup) LIQUIDS

1 to 2 cups of water or unsweetened almond milk - adding less liquid will give you a thicker "smoothie bowl" you can eat with a spoon!





Source: MEGA