Featured Ingredient... Cranberries





CRANBERRY ORANGE ENERGY MUFFINS

INGREDIENTS

- 1½ cups all-purpose flour
- ½ cup rolled oats
- 1 tsp baking powder
- ½ tsp baking soda
- ½ tsp salt
- ½ cup sugar or honey
- 1 cup fresh or frozen cranberries (chopped if large)
- Zest of 1 orange
- ½ cup orange juice
- 2 large eggs
- ½ cup full-fat Greek yogurt or sour cream
- ½ cup canola oil, coconut oil, or melted butter
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- Optional: ¼ cup chopped nuts or white chocolate chips for extra calories

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat the oven to 375°F (190°C). Grease or line a 12-cup muffin tin.
- 2.In a large bowl, whisk together flour, oats, baking powder, baking soda, salt, and sugar.
- 3. In another bowl, mix orange juice, zest, eggs, yogurt, oil, and vanilla.
- 4. Add the wet ingredients to the dry and stir until just combined. Gently fold in cranberries (and nuts or chips, if using).
- 5. Spoon into muffin cups and bake for 18–22 minutes, until golden and a toothpick comes out clean.
- 6. Cool and enjoy!

CF NUTRITION TIPS

- Spread with cream cheese or nut butter before eating for extra fat and calories.
- Add 2 tablespoons of powdered milk to the batter for more protein.
- For extra vitamin absorption, pair with a high-fat snack or enzyme dose as prescribed.

