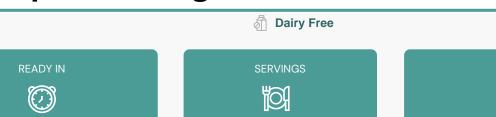


Red Bean Meatballs with Spicy Sauce (Polpette di Fagioli Rossi in Salsa Picante)



LUNCH MAIN COURSE MAIN DISH DINNER

(6)

533 kcal

Ingredients

45 min.

30 ounce beans red canned
O.3 cup canola oil
1 large eggs
1 large egg white
1 clove garlic cloves peeled
4 tablespoon olive oil extra-virgin

8 ounce pancetta cut into 1/4-inch dice

	6 servings sea salt as needed	
	0.8 cup semolina flour	
	1 tablespoon tomato paste	
	1 cup vegetable broth	
Equipment		
	food processor	
	bowl	
	frying pan	
	baking sheet	
	paper towels	
	sauce pan	
	mixing bowl	
Directions		
Ш	In a small saucepan combine vegetable broth, bell pepper, celery, 3 tablespoons olive oil, chili peppers, tomato paste, garlic clove, and a pinch of salt. Bring to a boil. Lower heat and simmer about 10 minutes.	
	Remove pan from heat. Discard garlic clove. Brown the pancetta dice in a medium saucepan set over medium-high heat, about 8 minutes.	
	Drain away most of the fat. In a food processor pulse the beans 8 or 10 times, scraping the sides of the bowl once or twice. They should remain quite chunky.	
	Remove half the beans to a large mixing bowl. Puree the remaining beans, then scrape them into the same bowl with the chunky beans. To the bean bowl add the browned pancetta and about 1-tablespoon of its fat, the remaining olive oil, egg white, ¼ cup (or less depending on wetness of mixture) semolina flour and about ¼ teaspoon salt; blend the mixture together with your hands. Do not overmix. Form this mixture into thirty 1-tablespoon sized balls. They will be sticky, but be diligent.	
	Put the remaining semolina flour into a shallow bowl. Lightly beat the whole egg in another shallow bowl. Dip 1 ball into the egg, letting excess drip away, then dredge it in the semolina flour to lightly coat on all sides.	

Transfer to a baking sheet. Repeat with remaining balls. In a large non-stick or cast iron skillet, heat the canola oil over medium-high heat. Fry the balls, in batches, rolling them around in the skillet as they cook to brown well on all sides. About 3 to 5 minutes per batch. remove them as they finish to a paper towel lined tray. Season them with salt while still warm. Reheat the sauce.
Serve red bean meatballs in shallow bowls drizzled with some of the sauce.
Nutrition Facts

PROTEIN 12.42% FAT 59.16% CARBS 28.42%

Properties

Glycemic Index:37.67, Glycemic Load:15.29, Inflammation Score:-5, Nutrition Score:16.030434846878%

Flavonoids

Apigenin: 0.01mg, Apigenin: 0.01mg, Apigenin: 0.01mg, Apigenin: 0.01mg Luteolin: 0.01mg, Luteolin: 0.01mg, Luteolin: 0.01mg, Myricetin: 0.01mg, Myricetin: 0.01mg, Myricetin: 0.01mg, Myricetin: 0.01mg, Myricetin: 0.01mg, Quercetin: 0.01mg, Quercetin: 0.01mg, Quercetin: 0.01mg

Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 532.72kcal (26.64%), Fat: 35.22g (54.18%), Saturated Fat: 7.4g (46.25%), Carbohydrates: 38.07g (12.69%), Net Carbohydrates: 29.62g (10.77%), Sugar: 3.35g (3.73%), Cholesterol: 55.95mg (18.65%), Sodium: 1006.07mg (43.74%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: O% (100%), Protein: 16.63g (33.26%), Selenium: 31.8µg (45.43%), Fiber: 8.45g (33.81%), Vitamin B1: 0.43mg (28.74%), Manganese: 0.57mg (28.32%), Phosphorus: 253.55mg (25.35%), Vitamin E: 3.43mg (22.84%), Folate: 79.76µg (19.94%), Vitamin B2: 0.31mg (18.37%), Vitamin B3: 3.58mg (17.88%), Vitamin K: 18.42µg (17.55%), Iron: 3.13mg (17.41%), Potassium: 532.09mg (15.2%), Magnesium: 59.79mg (14.95%), Copper: 0.28mg (14.13%), Vitamin B6: 0.26mg (13.1%), Zinc: 1.68mg (11.18%), Vitamin B5: 0.66mg (6.61%), Calcium: 53.7mg (5.37%), Vitamin B12: 0.27µg (4.47%), Vitamin A: 183.12IU (3.66%), Vitamin C: 1.87mg (2.27%), Vitamin D: 0.32µg (2.12%)