

Loacker Recipe Inspirations

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Chocolate wafer biscuits are flaked into the crust of this quintessential west coast dish, adding even more of the flavour Canadians know and love!

Ingredients

- 1 package Loacker Double Chocolate Quadratini, crushed
- 1 cup butter, softened + 2 TBSP for topping
- 5 TBSP cocoa powder
- 1 egg, beaten
- 1 cup shredded coconut
- ½ cup almonds, finely chopped
- 2.5 TBSP whipping cream
- 2 TBSP vanilla custard powder
- 2 cups icing sugar
- ½ cup semi-sweet chocolate

Directions

- 1. In the bottom of a double boiler over medium heat, bring 2 cups of water to a simmer.
- 2. In top of the double boiler, combine ½ cup of butter, cocoa powder and half of icing sugar; place over simmering water.
- 3. Continue to stir until butter has melted and mixture is smooth.
- 4. Add egg to the mixture and stir until thick.
- 5. Remove top of double boiler from heat and stir in crushed Quadratini, coconut and almonds.
- 6. Pour into parchment paper-lined 8-inch square baking dish. Press firmly to create an even layer and set aside.
- 7. In a separate bowl, cream together ½ cup of butter, cream and custard powder.
- 8. Gradually add in the remaining icing sugar and beat until light and fluffy.
- 9. Pour over the bottom later, smoothing top with spatula.
- 10. In a clean double boiler, melt chocolate and remaining butter together.
- 11. Once melted, remove from heat and cool slightly; pour over custard layer.
- 12. Cover and refrigerate until cold.

^{**} Tip: If you don't have a double boiler, half fill a saucepan with water and heat over medium heat until water begins to simmer. Then, place a metal or glass bowl over the simmering water and proceed as directed.