

2 cups

EASY PUMPKIN RAVIOLI



SERVES: 6 (2 large ravioli each) Prep Time: 20 min. Cooking Time: 47 min.

low-sodium organic vegetable broth

CONTAINER EQUIVALENTS (per serving): 1½

⅓ cup	chopped Parmesan cheese rind

unsalted organic grass-fed butter 1 Tbsp.

fresh sage leaves

100% pure pumpkin puree ½ cup part-skim ricotta cheese ½ cup 8 Tbsp. grated Parmesan cheese, divided use

raw honey 1 tsp.

½ tsp. sea salt (or Himalayan salt),

divided use

1/4 tsp. ground black pepper

large egg white

2 Tbsp. water

Whole wheat flour

24 wonton wrappers

Hot water

SPECIAL EQUIPMENT:

Cheesecloth Kitchen string

- 1. Wrap cheese rinds in cheesecloth (or a coffee filter). Tie ends tightly with kitchen string.
- 2. Heat broth to boiling in medium saucepan over high heat. Reduce heat to low. Add cheese rinds; steep in broth for at least 30 minutes. Carefully squeeze cheesecloth before removing and discarding cheese rinds.
- 3. Heat butter and sage over medium-low heat in small skillet (or saucepan) for 4 to 5 minutes, or until butter begins to brown and sage leaves stop sizzling. Remove from heat. Place sage leaves on a paper towel; reserve brown butter. Set aside.
- 4. Place pumpkin, ricotta, 2 Tbsp. grated Parmesan cheese, honey, ¼ tsp. salt, and pepper in food processor; pulse until smooth. Transfer pumpkin mixture to a resealable plastic bag. Set aside.
- 5. Combine egg and water in a small bowl: whisk to blend. Set aside.
- 6. Lightly dust a cutting board with flour and lay out 12 wonton wrappers.
- 7. Snip off one corner of plastic bag (filled with pumpkin mixture) with a pair of scissors. Pipe approx. 1 Tbsp. pumpkin mixture into center of each wrapper.
- 8. With a pastry brush (or the tip of your finger), apply a thin layer of egg mixture to the outer edge of each wrapper.
- 9. Top each with a second wrapper, press down with fingertips around the edges to seal, squeezing out as much air as possible.
- 10. Heat water to boiling in large saucepan. Season with remaining 1/4 tsp. salt.
- 11. Add ravioli; cook for 2 minutes. Carefully remove ravioli with slotted spoon.
- **12.** To serve, place two ravioli in a shallow bowl. Top with 3 Tbsp. broth. Garnish each bowl with 1 fried sage leaf, 1 Tbsp. grated Parmesan cheese, and ¼ tsp. brown butter.

RECIPE NOTES:

- Wonton wrappers are used in Chinese cooking and can be found in many grocery stores. Look for wrappers that are approx. 3½ inches square. The larger wrappers are called egg roll wrappers and you can use them in a pinch. Just make sure you cut them to wonton wrapper size.
- You can substitute canned sweet potato for pumpkin in these raviolis.
- If you carefully wrap uncooked ravioli in parchment paper and plastic wrap, you can store them in the freezer for up to 2 months. Cook from frozen as in the directions above, but add an extra minute to the cook time.

NUTRITIONAL INFORMATION (per serving): Calories: 195 Total Fat: 7 g Saturated Fat: 4 g Cholesterol: 22 mg Sodium: 679 mg Carbohydrates: 24 g Fiber: 2 g Sugars: 2 g Protein: 10 g