# **Smoothology 101** [Core] Chiropractic and Wellness Daryl C. Rich, D.C., C.S.C.S., A.R.T.

# [LivFit] Eating Principles

- 1. Healthy Natural Ingredients—Food by God, Not by Man
- 2. Low Sugar, High Protein
- 3. Fat will not make you Fat
- 4. The Darker the Better
- 5. Big Breakfast, Snack, Normal Lunch, Snack, Small (no carb) Dinner

# **Smoothie Shopping List**

- 1. A high quality blender
- 3. Greens

- 6. "Milk"

2. Fruits

5. Protein

4. Fats

7. Additions

# **The Recipes:**

#### **Green Surprise Smoothie**

2 cups of romaine lettuce spinach (the "surprise")
½ cup coconut milk or almond milk or low-sugar plain yogurt 1 scoop vanilla or chocolate whey protein 2-3 tbsp cocoa powder ½ cup of ice

#### Directions

Put the lettuce or spinach in the blender with the coconut or almond milk. Blend until greens are fully mixed. Add cocoa powder and whey protein, and mix until well blended.

#### **Berry Smoothie**

large handful of berries (any mixture of strawberries, blueberries, blackberries, or raspberries)
 cup coconut milk, almond milk, or low-sugar yogurt
 - 2 cup filtered water

1 scoop vanilla whey protein Optional nutritional boosters: hemp seeds, flax oil, coconut oil ½ cup of ice

#### Directions

Put all ingredients in a heavy-duty blender, and blend to desired consistency. You may add additional water if necessary.

### **Butter Cup Shake**

1 cup coconut milk, almond milk, or low-sugar yogurt
 1-2 tbsp nut butter (almond butter, organic peanut butter, cashew butter)
 2-3 tbsp cocoa powder
 1 scoop chocolate or vanilla whey protein
 ½ cup of ice

### Directions

Put all ingredients in a heavy-duty blender, and blend to desired consistency. Optional nutritional boosters: hemp seeds, flax seeds, coconut oil, cocoa nibs

### Vanilla Bean Shake

1 frozen banana, sliced (peel bananas and freeze whole)

1 cup coconut milk, almond milk, or low-sugar yogurt

1 scoop vanilla whey protein powder

#### Directions

Put all ingredients in a heavy-duty blender, and mix to desired consistency. Optional nutritional boosters: greens powder, spinach, hemp seeds, flax seeds Variation: For chocolate banana smoothie, use chocolate whey protein.

## **Chocolate Cappuccino Crunch Shake**

1/2 cup coconut milk
1/2 tsp vanilla
1-2 tbsp cocoa powder
2 packets Stevia (or adjust to your taste)
3-5 coffee beans (if you have a

powerful blender like a Vitamix, you can just throw them in. Otherwise grind with a coffee grinder or small spice grinder.) 1/2 cup ice

Directions

Blend everything until frothy and the coffee beans and ice are incorporated. Optional: For an extra healthy boost, you can add greens powder, fresh greens, or cabbage.

#### **Pumpkin Spice Smoothie**

1/2 cup of almond milk, coconut milk, or low-sugar yogurt
¼ cup of canned pumpkin
1-2 tsp of pumpkin pie spice
1 scoop of vanilla or chocolate whey protein
½ cup of ice

#### Directions

Put all ingredients into a blender, and mix to desired consistency. Variation: Use ¼ cup almond milk with ¼ of black coffee, and add cocoa nibs.

## **Berries + Greens Shake**

1 cup frozen berries (blueberries,	2 cups coconut milk
raspberries, etc.)	1 tablespoon coconut oil
1 to 2 loosely-packed cups of spinach	2 scoops whey protein powder

Directions: Blend until smooth.

## Keepin' It Smooth

1 avocado 5 ounces frozen peaches 1 handful of raspberries 1 handful of hemp seeds unsweetened almond milk

Directions: Blend and Enjoy!

### **Favorite Green Shake**

3 cups spinach
1 cup frozen blueberries (or raspberries, blackberries,etc.)
1 tablespoon flax oil
1 tablespoon powdered greens 2 dates 2 scoops whey protein powder optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed

1 cup almond milk 2 scoops of whey protein powder 2 dates or a few drops of stevia to taste

Directions: Blend until creamy.

## **Morning Mocha**

1 cup strong coffee (cooled)stevia to taste2 tablespoons cacao powder½ cup of ice1 handful of raw almonds½ cup of ice1 scoop of whey protein powderDirections: Blend until smooth

## **Sweet Green Smoothie**

6 ounces water
2 giant handfuls of spinach
1 peach, pitted
2 scoops of whey protein (ideally vanilla flavor)
optional: 1 tablespoon ground flax seed
½ cup of ice

Directions: Blend all ingredients until smooth and enjoy this amazing and detoxifying meal.

#### **Euro Nut**

1 tablespoon vanilla extract 2 dates or stevia to taste 2 tablespoon raw cacao 2-4 tablespoon hazelnut (almond or peanut) butter unsweetened coconut milk ice 2 scoops whey protein powder (ideally chocolate flavor) optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed

Directions: Blend until creamy!

#### **Coconut Chai Shake**

Directions: Blend until smooth and creamy.

#### The Pits

4 peaches 1 avocado 12 cherries, pitted ice unsweetened almond milk (enough

Directions: Blend it up, baby!

## **Fall Berry Shake**

2 cups almond milk (fresh or storebought) ¼ cup shredded coconut
2 scoops of whey protein powder (ideally vanilla flavor)
½ cup of ice optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed

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1 cup frozen raspberries 1 tablespoon carob powder 1 teaspoon cinnamon ¼ teaspoon nutmeg (freshly grated is the best, but already ground powder works too) Directions: Blend and enjoy!

## Malted "Milk" Shake

1 cup coconut water
½ cup coconut meat (fresh is best or use flakes with extra ¼- ½ cup of water)
1 tablespoon almond butter
3 dates, pitted or stevia to taste
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
Directions: Blend all ingredients until smooth and enjoy! ¼ teaspoon steviapinch of sea salt½ cup of ice

pinch of sea salt 2 scoops of whey protein powder ½ cup of ice optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed

## The Great Detox Shake

1 cup of warm green tea 2 tablespoons coconut oil ¼ avocado a couple dashes cinnamon

Directions: Blend until creamy.

## **Cinnamon Rolls for Breakfast**

½ cup almonds and 1 cup water OR	1 tab
1 cup almond milk	stevi
1 cup coconut water	2 sco
1 teaspoon cinnamon	½ cu
1 pinch sea salt	optio
2 teaspoons vanilla extract or powder	
3 pitted dates	

dash of stevia 2 scoops of whey protein powder optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed

1 tablespoon pecans stevia to taste 2 scoops of whey protein powder ½ cup of ice optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed

Directions: Blend all ingredients until smooth and creamy.

## **Sweet Protein Shake**

 cup nuts (pecans, walnuts, or almonds)
 Your choice of almond/coconut milk (just enough to cover nuts in the base of the blender)
 5-10 drops stevia extract (to taste)
 teaspoon vanilla extract
 2-3 cups frozen fruit (blueberries, raspberries, blackberries, or peaches) 1 apple 1 ripe pear 2 scoops of whey protein powder ½ cup of ice optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed Directions: Blend all ingredients until smooth.

## **Green Berry Shake**

¼ cup unsweetened almond milk

- a handful of blueberries
- a handful of pineapple
- 1 tablespoon powdered greens
- 1 tablespoon raw cacao powder

Directions: Blend and enjoy!

# **Detoxifying Dandelion Shake**

3 cups dandelion greens

- 2 cups coconut water
- 1 peach, pitted
- 2 scoops of whey protein powder (ideally vanilla flavor)
- 1 tablespoon ground flax seed
- ½ cup of ice

Directions: Blend until smooth.

# **Full All Day Shake**

1 tablespoon powdered greens frozen blueberries handful of kale (washed, stems removed) unsweetened almond milk (enough to make it "pour-able") 1 tablespoon almond butter (optional) 2 scoops of whey protein powder (ideally chocolate flavor) ½ cup of ice optional: 1 tablespoon ground flax seed

Directions: Blend until smooth.

# **Purple Haze Smoothie**

6 ounces blackberries 2 cups of pineapple (fresh or frozen) water (just enough to blend- it's best thick and creamy) 2 scoops of whey protein powder ½ cup of ice optional: 1 tablespoon ground flax seed

Directions: Put all ingredients in the blender and mix until smooth

# **Complete Breakfast Shake**

coconut water 1 cup fresh (or frozen) berries 1 tablespoon coconut oil 2 dates 1 cup of spinach or kale optional: 1 tablespoon coconut oil ½ cup of ice 2 whey protein powder (ideally vanilla flavor) 2 scoops of whey protein powder (ideally vanilla flavor) ½ cup of ice optional: 1 tablespoon ground flax seed

Directions: Blend until creamy and delightful!

# **Almond Butter and Jelly Shake**

1 to 1½ cups almond milk
1 handful of frozen blueberries
1 to 2 tablespoons of almond butter (or cashew butter) optional: 1 small handful of cherries, pitted
a handful of ice
2 scoops of whey protein powder (ideally chocolate flavor) optional: 1 tablespoon ground flax seed
Directions: Blend until creamy and delicious!

# **Perfect Morning Shake**

6 ounces of water 3-4 ounces of nut or rice milk ½ of an avocado 2 teaspoons organic almond butter a pinch of sea salt ½ cup of ice Directions: Blend until smooth and creamy.

2 scoops of whey protein powder optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed optional: sweetener to taste (stevia) optional: 1 tablespoon carob

## **Peaches And Cream Shake**

1 cup frozen peaches
 2 cups coconut milk
 2 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
 1 teaspoon freshly grated ginger
 2 scoops of whey protein powder (ideally vanilla flavor)
 optional: 1 tablespoon ground flax seed
 optional: Top with a few sprinkles of toasted (or raw) coconut for extra crunchy treat.

Directions: Blend until smooth and creamy.

# **Cinnamon Berry Shake**

½ cup frozen blueberries
2 dashes cinnamon
1 tablespoon almond butter
8 ounces of water
2 scoops of whey protein powder (ideally chocolate flavor)
optional: 1 tablespoon ground flax seed

Directions: Blend until creamy!

# **Peach Apple Cobbler**

¼ cup pecans (whole or crushed)
1 cup coconut water
2 apples cored and sliced into chunks (leave the peel on for added fiber and nutrients)
1 cup frozen or fresh peaches tablespoon fresh lemon juice
 teaspoon vanilla powder or extract
 teaspoon cinnamon
 teaspoon ginger powder
 Pinch of sea salt
 scoop of whey protein (vanilla)

Directions: Blend all ingredients together until creamy and enjoy!

# The Grasshopper Shake

1½ cups warm peppermint tea
1 heaping tablespoon cacao powder (You can use carob or unsweetened Dutch chocolate powder instead of cacao if you want)
1 tablespoon melted coconut oil
2 tablespoon whole cashews
2 teaspoons greens powder
¼ teaspoon stevia pinch of sea salt

Optional: 2 scoops whey protein (ideally chocolate flavor) Optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed

Directions: Pour the warm tea into a blender. Add cacao powder, cashews, greens, salt and stevia and blend for 45seconds or until cashews are broken down. While blending, drizzle in the melted coconut oil. Serve in a mug for a nourishing and warm drink.

# **Chocolate Covered Blueberries**

1 large handful of frozen blueberries
1 handful of spinach
dash of cinnamon
1 tablespoon of raw cacao
2 tablespoons almond butter
½ cup coconut milk
Directions: Blend and enjoy!

# Erin's Pina Colada

1/3 cup of fresh pineapple
¼ cup of unsweetened coconut flakes
½ cup of coconut milk
1 cup of ice
1 scoop of vanilla whey protein
Directions: Blend until smooth and enjoy! dash of stevia as needed 2 scoops of whey protein ½ cup of ice

Optional: 1 tablespoon ground flaxseed