Root Beer Float Cookies

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Ingredients (makes about $3 \frac{1}{2} dz$):

1 stick butter, softened

1 stick margarine, softened

34 cup brown sugar

2 TBSP root beer

2 eggs

2 1/4 cups flour

3 oz box root beer instant pudding mix

1 1/2 tsp baking soda

½ tsp salt

4 squares (2 oz each) vanilla bark

Directions:

- *Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Cover baking sheets with parchment paper. Coarsely chop the vanilla bark.
- *Cream the butter, margarine, brown sugar, and root beer. Once incorporated, beat in the eggs.
- *Carefully at first, beat in the flour, pudding mix, baking soda, and salt. Last, mix in the chopped vanilla bark.
- *Drop onto the baking sheets by scant tablespoons. Bake for 10 12 minutes. Allow to set on the baking sheets for 2 minutes before removing.