Whole 30 Freezer Cooking Plan

This freezer cooking plan will prepare up to 14 meals for at least 4 people.

Recipes:

- Spicy Southwest Chicken, 2 batches
- <u>Salsa Verde Chicken</u>, 2 batches
- Homemade Spicy Turkey Sausage with Garlic and Basil, 2 batches cooked
- <u>Baked Chicken</u> for salads and soups, 2 batches
- Beef and Eggplant Stew, 2 batches (It's easier to use two slow cookers for this.)
- Quick Meat Sauce for Pasta, 2 batches
- Roasted Vegetable Soup with Fresh Oregano, 2 batches
- Hamburger Patties for the Freezer, 2 batches
- Mamabars, 2 batches

Notes:

- You will need to substitute coconut aminos for soy sauce (or omit it entirely) and use olive oil instead of vegetable oil.
- The pasta sauce will need your seasoning mix of choice. If you don't have a
 favorite, you can mix up a batch of <u>Jamie's Spice Mix</u>.
- Make sure the ingredients of the salsa verde comply with Whole 30 diet.

Equipment needed:

- two slow cookers
- food processor
- at least one big stockpot, two is ideal
- freezer ziptop bags for marinated chicken, baked chicken, turkey sausage patties, and hamburger patties
- plastic or glass containers with lids for stew, pasta sauce, soup, and Mamabars

Grocery List

Produce

- 2 tomatoes
- 2 cups cherry tomatoes OR 4 medium tomatoes
- □ 5 onions
- 6 ribs celery
- 4 bell peppers
- 1 jalapeno pepper
- 3 heads of garlic you'll need about25 cloves
- 3 limes for juice
- ½ cup fresh cilantro leaves
- 3 eggplant
- 2 large patty pan squash
- about 12 carrots
- 2 cups sliced mushrooms
- ½ cup plus 2 tablespoons chopped fresh basil (if not using dried)
- 2 tablespoons fresh oregano (if not using dried)

Meat / Poultry

- 12 boneless, skinless chicken breasts
- 4 to 6 pounds chicken tenders
- two 20-oz packages ground turkey
- 2 pounds ground beef
- 2 pounds ground meat
- 6 pounds boneless, chuck roast
- 8 large bone-in chicken breast halves

Dry Goods

- olive oil
- coconut aminos
- 4 cups beef broth
- □ 8 12 cups chicken broth
- two 15-ounce cans tomato sauce
- small can tomato paste
- 1 cup salsa verde
- 4 cups deglet noor dates
- 2 cups toasted, slivered almonds
- 1 cup dried, unsweetened cherries

Spices

- fine sea salt
- kosher salt
- ground black pepper
- dried basil (if not using fresh)
- bay leaves
- cayenne pepper
- chili powder
- cumin
- garlic powder
- dried oregano (if not using fresh)
- dried thyme
- sweet paprika
- favorite seasoning blend or ingredients for <u>Jamie's Spice Mix</u> (onion powder, garlic powder, paprika, dried basil, dried oregano, fine sea salt, black pepper, celery seeds, lemon zest, and cayenne pepper)

Prep List:

- 1. Chop vegetables.
- 2. Trim chicken for marinating.
- 3. Trim and chop beef for stew.
- 4. Prepare seasoning mixes.

Cooking Plan:

- Start the Beef & Eggplant Stew in two crockpots. Omit the flour.
- 2. Start the chicken to bake.
- 3. Start the Meat Sauce on the stove top.
- Prepare Southwest Chicken and Salsa Verde marinades. Wrap, label, and freeze. [SOUTHWEST CHICKEN & SALSA VERDE CHICKEN DONE.]
- Meat sauce should be done. Wrap, label, and freeze. [QUICK MEAT SAUCE DONE.]
- 6. Prepare veggies for roasting.
- Bake chicken should be done.Remove and cool.
- 8. Roast the vegetables.
- Shred baked chicken for later use.
 Wrap, label, and freeze. [BAKED CHICKEN/TURKEY DONE].

- 10. Make sausage. You can wrap, label, and freeze uncooked patties, OR bake, cool, wrap, label, and freeze. [SAUSAGE PATTIES DONE.]
- 11. Simmer vegetables for soup. Blend.Cool, wrap, label, and freeze.[VEGETABLE SOUP DONE.]
- 12. Prep hamburger patties with 2 lbs. ground beef to form 8 burgers.Wrap, label, and freeze.[HAMBURGER PATTIES DONE.]
- 13. Prep Mamabars. Wrap, label, and freeze. [MAMABARS DONE.]
- 14. Stew should be done. Cool, wrap, label, and freeze. [BEEF AND EGGPLANT STEW DONE.]