

Obsession CHOCOLATES



Doctors report that chocolate is good for your heart. Chef Rebecca Flynn agrees!

As owner of Obsession Chocolates, a handcrafted truffle company in Eau Claire, Flynn has seen firsthand how chocolate can touch the heart.

“Chocolate is an experience to be enjoyed by the senses: sight, touch, smell and, of course, taste,” says Flynn. “When someone bites into a truffle, they can’t help but smile.”

A Shop with Heart

Obsession Chocolates’ handmade truffles (they have over 30 flavors!), candies, and sauces are available in their quaint European-style café on Water Street in Eau Claire, on their website, and through retailers across the country. In addition to truffles, they also have a variety of other culinary treats, such as candied orange peel, chocolate sauces, cookies, cupcakes, muffins, and more.



The blend of fresh, unusual ingredients makes their creations special. They use fine chocolate from around the world and organic cream, butter, fruit, and honey. To add a delightful punch, they flavor their truffles with rare liqueurs and exotic fresh herbs and leaves. While fine ingredients may be more expensive to use, Flynn knows that it is well worth it.

“Fine chocolate begins with quality ingredients,” says Flynn. “Each truffle is an edible piece of art and must be made with care.”

Chocolate-Covered Weddings

If only every wedding decision could be made over coffee and chocolate. That’s exactly how Flynn plans wedding details with her brides. Flynn does everything she can to make the meetings special and fun. She even has a knack for guessing what flavor will be each guest’s favorite.

“The best days are those spent with brides – talking about their wedding and how our chocolates can become a part of it,” says Flynn. “It’s also fun to have the groom join in the fun and incorporate flavors that he likes as well.”

Obsession Chocolates makes special events memorable. Their artfully wrapped chocolates not only taste great, the presentation adds to the overall décor. Their unique gift boxes are designed to accent the tablescape or wedding theme. For an added touch, they enhance the favors with personalized ribbon, a quote, poem, or picture. The result: a whimsical, elegant, and decadent treat that will impress every guest. And starting at less than \$3 a piece, they can create affordable to extravagant wedding favors, and everything in between

Flynn also has a variety of ideas for brides looking for a nontraditional, unique dessert. Their wedding cake truffle

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is substantial enough to serve as alternative to wedding cake. The truffles can be placed on a tower in the center of each table to serve a dual purpose – décor and dessert!

“At a recent wedding we created molded chocolate cups filled with chocolate mousse,” says Flynn. “They were so elegant and received rave reviews.”

With the recent addition of pastry chef Lindsey Rossmer, a graduate of Le Cordon Bleu College of Culinary Arts in Minneapolis, Obsession Chocolates is now a dessert bakery. In addition to many baked goods, they create small specialty wedding cakes. They feature a specialty Swiss buttercream frosting and also have an alternative to fondant, a much tastier rolled white or dark chocolate.

Gifts from the Heart

Obsession Chocolates makes gift-giving easy. Give your wedding party boxes of chocolate – a gift that they’ll actually use! A box of truffles also serves as a great token of appreciation for your shower hostess, a wedding vendor that exceeded your expectations, or your parents. They are

also a great way to welcome your wedding guests by having wrapped truffles placed on their hotel pillows.

With Obsession Chocolates and Chef Rebecca Flynn by your side, your wedding guests are sure to feel special. Flynn wears her

heart on her sleeve and truly wants the best for her customers. She has a passion not only for chocolate, but for making people feel good.

So, chocolate really is good for the heart – in more ways than one.



From Rebecca’s Heart...

“Chocolate is rewarding, but shouldn’t be a reward. We should treat ourselves to chocolate every day, but it shouldn’t be considered just a treat. Chocolate fills your mouth, your senses, and your soul.”

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