

Gingersnap Pumpkin Pie

Recipes

Ingredients

1-1/2 cups finely crushed gingersnaps (about 32 cookies)
1/4 cup butter, melted
4 ounces cream cheese, softened
1 tablespoon sugar
1-1/2 cups whipped topping
1 cup cold 2% milk
2 packages (3.4 ounces each) instant butterscotch pudding mix
1/2 cup canned pumpkin
1/2 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
Additional whipped topping, optional

Directions

Preheat oven to 375°. In a small bowl, combine cookie crumbs and butter. Press onto the bottom and up the side of an ungreased 9-in. pie plate. Bake 8-10 minutes or until crust is lightly browned. Cool on a wire rack.

For filling, in a small bowl, beat cream cheese and sugar until smooth. Fold in whipped topping. Spread over crust.

In a small bowl, beat milk and pudding mixes 1 minute. Stir in pumpkin, pie spice, vanilla and cinnamon. Spread over cream cheese layer. Cover and refrigerate overnight. Garnish with additional whipped topping if desired.



Short Story with A Moral

Cleanliness Starts at Home

A couple moved to an apartment after marriage. From their living room, they had a clear view of the neighbor's wash-line.



Every day, the wife would complain about how dirty the neighbors' clothes were, even after washing. The husband always listened but ignored these complaints, until one he had heard enough of this talk.

The next day, the wife saw that the clothes on the line were clean. Astonished, she discussed this difference with her husband.

In turn, her husband told her that he had cleaned their living room windows so, now she could see the actual tidiness of the washed clothes.

Story Moral:

We can only see clear pictures if we enjoy unbiased vision.

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October 2021 Newsletter

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK: OCTOBER 3 - 9, 2021

NFPA announces "Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety" as theme for Fire Prevention Week 2021

SAFETY SOURCE - JUNE 08, 2021 BY SUSAN MCKELVEY

As the official sponsor of Fire Prevention Week™ for more than 95 years, NFPA has announced "Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety™" as the theme for Fire Prevention Week 2021, October 3-9. **From beeps to chirps, this year's campaign works to better educate the public about the sounds smoke alarms make, what those sounds mean, and how to respond to them.**

According to the latest NFPA "Smoke Alarms in the U.S." report, **working smoke alarms in the home reduce the risk of dying in a reported fire by more than half.** However, almost three out of five home fire deaths occur in homes with no smoke alarms (41 percent) or smoke alarms that failed to operate (16 percent); missing or non-functional power sources, including missing or disconnected batteries, dead batteries, and disconnected hardwired alarms or other AC power issues, are the most common factors when smoke alarms fail to operate.

People tend to remove smoke alarm batteries or dismantle alarms altogether when the alarm begins to chirp as a result of low batteries or the alarm is no longer working properly, or when experiencing nuisance alarms. These behaviors present serious risks to safety that can have tragic consequences in the event of a fire.

This year's Fire Prevention Week theme, "Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety," helps people better understand the reasons smoke alarms may sound and provides the know-how to effectively address them. The campaign also addresses special considerations for the deaf and hard of hearing, along with information about carbon monoxide alarms.

Key messages for "Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety" include:

When a smoke alarm or carbon monoxide (CO) alarm sounds, respond immediately by exiting the home as quickly as possible.

If your alarm begins to chirp, it may mean that the batteries are running low and need to be replaced. If the alarm continues to chirp after the batteries are replaced, or the alarm is more than 10 years old, it is time to replace the alarm.

Test all smoke and CO alarms monthly. Press the test button to make sure the alarm is working.

If there is someone in your household who is deaf or hard of hearing, install bed shaker and strobe light alarms that will alert that person to fire.

Know the difference between the sound of a smoke alarm and a carbon monoxide alarm – three beeps for smoke alarms; four beeps for carbon monoxide alarms.

For more information about Fire Prevention Week, October 3-9, 2021, and this year's theme, "Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety," along with a wealth of resources to help promote the campaign locally, visit fpw.org.

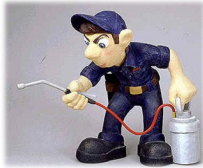
QUARTERLY

PEST CONTROL TREATMENT

February, May, August & November

The **last Tuesday of the month, starting at 10:00 a.m.** Be prepared for this visit to your apartment. Even if you are not at home the treatment will be done.

Remember to report anytime you suspect there is an issue. Being proactive and catching things early is the way to successfully avoid or eliminate any issues. Thank you for your help!



Hooper Office Hours

Tuesdays only - 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
(closed for lunch 12:00 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.)

Call the Fremont Housing Office at 402-727-4848 to put in a Work Order.

You can also tell Office Staff on Tuesdays at the Hooper Office, 402-654-2229.

For Maintenance Emergencies ONLY!

Call - Ed (Maintenance Supervisor) 402-720-1264
or Rita (Executive Director) 402-720-9643.

Hooper Board Meeting Notice

The next Regular Board Meeting is on Wednesday, November 17, 2021.

It will begin at 6:30 p.m.



Holidays and Dates to Remember

October

Tuesday, 5th - World Teacher's Day

Monday, 11th - Columbus Day

Sunday, 31st - Halloween



The Best Halloween Candy of 2021

The Daily Meal

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| 1. Reese's Peanut Butter Cups | 14. Carmel Apple Suckers |
| 2. Snickers | 15. 3 Musketeers |
| 3. Milky Way | 16. Twizzlers |
| 4. Candy Corn | 17. Pop Rocks |
| 5. Pay Day | 18. Tootsie Rolls |
| 6. Kit Kat | 19. Baby Ruth |
| 7. Twix | 20. Starburst |
| 8. Butter Finger | 21. Sour Patch Kids |
| 9. Hershey's | 22. Nerds |
| 10. M&M's | 23. Blow Pops |
| 11. Almond Joy | 24. Skittles |
| 12. Reese's Pieces | 25. Hot Tamales |
| 13. Heath Bar | |



Happy Halloween!!

Where did carving pumpkins come from?

The Irish brought the tradition of carving pumpkins into Jack O'Lantern to America. But, the original Jack O'Lantern was not a pumpkin. Pumpkins did not exist in Ireland. Ancient Celtic cultures in Ireland carved turnips on All Hallows Eve, and placed an ember in them, to ward off evil spirits.

In this way, when did we start carving pumpkins?

It wasn't until Irish immigrants brought the custom of carving jack-o'-lanterns to North America that the more commonly available (and easier to carve) pumpkin came to be used for that purpose, and not until the mid-to-late 19th century that pumpkin carving was an established Halloween tradition.

Also Know, how did Pumpkins become a part of Halloween? He called them "pepons," a Greek word that means "large melons." Over time, the name was changed to "pumpkin." When the colonists arrived in the U.S., they began using pumpkins for food, too. It was the influence of Irish immigrants, however, that made the pumpkin a part of Halloween.

Then, why is it called jack o lantern?

Its name comes from the phenomenon of a strange light flickering over peat bogs, called will-o'-the-wisp or jack-o'-lantern. The name is also tied to the Irish legend of Stingy Jack, a drunkard who bargains with Satan and is doomed to roam the Earth with only a hollowed turnip to light his way.

What is the meaning behind pumpkin carving?

To keep the wandering spirit of Stingy Jack away from their homes, the 19th century Irishmen would carve pumpkins, gourds, and other veggies, put a light inside, and place them outside their home. The Irish took to carving scary faces into their squashes and pumpkins, to frighten Stingy Jack away.



Remember to think of your fellow tenants and clean up after yourself when you are finished in the Laundry Room. Your help is appreciated by All!!