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World's Best Cookie

(paired with the Sweet Tequila Squeeze)

Prep & Cook Time: 45 minutes

Makes: 20-25 cookies



Ingredients:

- 1½ cups all-purpose flour
- ¼ tsp salt
- ¾ tsp baking powder
- ½ tsp baking soda
- ½ cup unsalted butter, softened
- ½ cup vegetable shortening
- ½ cup sugar
- ½ cup molasses
- ½ tsp vanilla extract
- 2 eggs
- 1 cup dark chocolate chips
- 1½ cups old-fashioned oats
- 1 cup shredded coconut
- 1 cup chopped pecans
- 1 cup dried fruit

Directions:

1. Preheat oven to 325°F.
2. In a mixing bowl, whisk together flour, salt, baking powder, and baking soda.
3. Use a mixer to beat the butter and shortening until smooth; add in the sugar, molasses, vanilla, and eggs. Beat at a low speed until everything is incorporated.
4. Add flour mixture and beat slowly until incorporated.
5. With a rubber spatula, fold in the chocolate, oats, coconut, nuts and dried fruit. The dough is now ready for scooping.
6. On a lined cookie tray place dough balls 2 inches apart for baking.
7. Bake at 325°F for 15 minutes, rotating the tray at the midway point.
8. Remove the baking sheet from the oven and let cool for 5 minutes.

Sweet Tequila Squeeze

Ingredients:

- 4 oz. tequila
- 2 tbsps wild flower honey
- 4 slices serrano chili
- 2 tbsps raw sugar
- 1 oz. lime juice
- 4 oz. orange juice
- 12 oz. tonic water
- 12 cups crushed ice
- 2 lime wedges

Prep Time: 2 minutes

Makes: 2-3 servings

Directions:

1. In a tall shaker glass, combine the tequila, honey, *continued* ▼ on page 20



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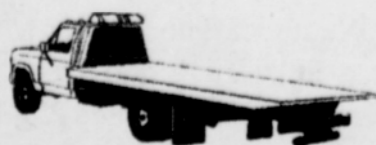
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