



Scarborough Maine Lions Club

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Roast Beef Dinner Saturday, March 2nd

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Recipe of the Month

Chocolate Grand Marnier Cake

Chocolate Cake
1-½ c sifted all-purpose flour
2 tsp cocoa
1 tsp baking soda
pinch salt
1-¼ c sugar
½ c (1 stick) unsalted butter
1 tsp vanilla extract
1 egg
1 c milk

Chocolate Ganache
2 lb semi-sweet chocolate, chopped
4 c heavy (whipping) cream
¼ c sugar
½ c Grand Marnier or other orange-
flavored liqueur
½ c strawberry preserves

Garnish
8 fresh strawberries
4 oz semisweet chocolate
cocoa for dusting
confectioners' sugar for dusting

To make the cake: Preheat the oven to 350° F. Grease and line two 8-inch cake pans with parchment paper. In a medium bowl combine the flour, cocoa, baking soda, and salt. In the bowl of an electric mixer combine the sugar and butter and cream together until fluffy. Add the vanilla extract. Beat in the egg and continue to beat at medium speed for 3 to 4 minutes. Gradually beat in the blended dry ingredients. With the mixer running, gradually add the milk and beat until smooth. Pour the batter into the prepared pans. Bake for 30 minutes or until a toothpick inserted in the centers comes out clean. Remove from the oven and cool on a wire rack for 30 minutes. Remove the cakes from the pans, lift off the parchment paper, and let cool completely.

To make the ganache: In a medium saucepan combine the chocolate, cream and sugar. Bring to a boil over medium heat and cook, stirring constantly, until the chocolate is melted, and the mixture is smooth. Let cool.

To serve: In a small, heavy pan over low heat melt ¼ cup of the ganache. Dip the fresh strawberries in the melted ganache, and set aside on a wire rack to cool. Sprinkle one cake liberally with Grand Marnier. Spread with the strawberry preserves. Place the remaining ganache in a pastry bag fitted with a large fluted tip and pipe a spiral of ganache on top of the preserves. Top with the second cake. Sprinkle the top with Grand Marnier and pipe ganache over the entire outside of the cake. With a spatula, spread the ganache evenly over the cake. Pour the remaining melted ganache on the top of the cake. Place the cake in the refrigerator to chill. Shave the remaining four ounces of chocolate: Pull a vegetable parer over the chocolate, or pull the chocolate over the broad cutter of a food grater. Transfer the chilled cake to a serving plate. Pipe a fluted ring of ganache around the bottom of the cake. Arrange the largest shavings in rosettes on top of the cake, pressing them into the ganache covering. Garnish the top with the chocolate-dipped strawberries. Press the remaining shavings around the cake to cover it. Dust with cocoa and confectioners' sugar. Serves 12.



Quizzes

1. Who was the only woman to win a gold medal for the United States in the 1968 Winter Olympics..
2. Identify the only summer Olympics in which the host country failed to win a gold medal.
3. Name the only American figure skater to win two Olympic titles.
4. Who was the only man to win a gold medal in both the Summer and Winter Olympics?
5. Who is the only set of twins to win medals in the same Olympics in the same event?

World's Stupidest Criminals

Having broken into a Hong Kong garment factory and found nothing worth stealing, burglar Yu Kin-fong left a note saying: "Put some money here next time or I'll set fire to your factory. You make me do this for nothing. I can't even find 10 cents." He was tracked down and sentenced to 3 years in December 1994.

A house in Gilroy, California, was broken into in October 1987. The burglar hung new curtains, made the bed, dumped the trash, did the dishes, stacked newspapers, put away the ironing board and put dirty clothes in a hamper. Nothing was taken except the old curtains. A note was found, saying: "Dear Sir, I hope you don't mind. I cleaned your house. Don't worry, I won't take anything because my father is a Duke in Spain. Don't worry, I'll clean your house for as long as you live here." It was signed "Prince Eddie." A few days later, it was announced that police would not seek charges against a "mentally disturbed youth."

In Boynton Beach, Florida, Nathan Radlich, 74, returned home in May 1993 and found his bathroom window missing. None of the obvious things like electronic gadgets had been stolen, but he found his fishing-tackle box thrown on the bed with the lid open. The box had contained the cremated remains of his sister Gertrude, who had died three years

March Calendar



3/2	8-10:am	Roast Beef Dinner morning help needed
	3-7:30pm	evening help –everyone don't forget your pies
3/7	7:p	regular dinner meeting speaker/ Gerry Butts
3/14	6:30pm 7:pm	Finance Committee meeting Board of directors meeting
3/21	7:pm	regular dinner meeting/spouses night speaker/ Ed Connolly

March Anniversaries

3/31 Kay and Peter Hansen



March Birthdays

3/8 Peter Hansen

3/31 Kay Hansen



Service Anniversaries

3/16 Kippy Mitchell 35 years

3/23 Ed Blanchard 2 years

February Eyeglass Count

Wal-Mart Recycling Mailbox

2/9 17 pair eyeglasses

2/23 14 pair eyeglasses

Jan took from other recycling boxes

2/10 306 pair eyeglasses



previously. Police guessed that the thief had mistaken the wrapped grayish-white powder for cocaine. How Nathan felt about his sister going up someone else's nose, or why he kept her ashes with his fishing tackle, is not recorded.

Recipe of the Month

1 lb skinless, boneless chicken breasts or thighs, rinsed and cut into ¾-inch pieces
 4 c chicken broth
 2 c bias-sliced carrots
 1 large onion, chopped
 2 tbsp grated gingerroot
 3 cloves garlic, minced
 2 stalks lemongrass, cut into 1-inch pieces, or 1 tsp finely shredded lemon peel
 ½ tsp crushed red pepper
 1 15-oz can unsweetened coconut milk
 1 medium red, yellow, and/ or green sweet pepper, cut into ½-inch pieces
 1 4-oz cans straw or button mushrooms, drained
 ¼ c snipped cilantro
 ? c chopped roasted peanuts

In a 3-½, 4, or 5 quart crock-pot combine the chicken, broth, carrots, onion, gingerroot, garlic, lemongrass or lemon peel, and crushed red pepper. Cover; cook on low-heat setting for 6 to 7 hours or on high-heat setting for 3 to 3-½hours. If necessary, skim off fat. Stir coconut milk, sweet pepper, mushrooms and cilantro into chicken mixture. Cover; let stand 5 to 10 minutes. Remove and discard lemongrass, (if using). Ladle soup into bowls. Sprinkle peanuts over each serving.
 Makes 6 servings.



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Jokes

What does a newborn duck become when it first jumps into the pond?
Wet.

Lillian said to Dorothy, "My friend, Wilma is so naïve! She thought a tadpole is what you use to hold up small telephone wires." Dorothy said, "So what does it hold up?"

What geometric shape is like a missing parrot?
A polygon.

What kind of cat eats with its feet?
All of them, they're attached.

Answers

1. Peggy Fleming.
2. Canada failed to win any gold medals at the 1976 Montreal games.
3. Dick Button, who won gold medals in both the 1948 St. Moritz and the 1952 Oslo games.
4. Eddie Egan of the United States. At the 1920 Summer Olympics in Antwerp, Belgium, he won the light heavyweight boxing division. In the 1932 Winter Olympics in Lake Placid, Egan, as a member of the U. S. bobsled team, won his second gold medal.
5. In Alpine skiing at the 1984 Winter Olympics in Sarajevo, Phil Mahre took a gold medal in the slalom, while his twin brother Steve took a silver in the same event. Phil beat his brother by just 0.21 seconds!

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