

The Lowdown in Lobsterville

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COOKIE RECIPES

Here they are – the long awaited Christmas Cookie Recipes.

Simplest (and extremely tasty)

Chinese Noodle Cookies

Simply melt semi-sweet chocolate chips in a double boiler then stir in “Chinese” noodles in the amount desired. If you like more chocolate – stir in less noodles or vice versa. Very tasty morsels.

Traditional Christmas Cookies

Shortbread

4½ cups Flour
1½ cups Powdered Sugar
1 lb Butter
1 Egg Yolk
Garnish (Sprinkles, etc)

Beat egg yolk and butter together. Mix in powdered sugar then flour. Should be a firm dough. Roll to about 1/4” thick – cut into shapes as desired. Sprinkle with sprinkles as desired. Bake at 300 for 15 to 20 minutes. Remove promptly as cookies will darken after removed from the oven. Enjoy.

Our thanx goes to Mayor Lobster Louie for the Chinese Noodle recipe. This recipe was so simple yet tasty that we had to share it with you. And Johnny Big Claw shared his Shortbread cookie recipe with us. Mr. Big Claw seems to have a never ending supply of abilities. We here at The Lowdown hope that these delicious holiday cookies become a holiday tradition in your family. And we also wish to thank all of you who dropped of cookies for us to try. Your bribes, er, samples were thoroughly appreciated.

CLAW OF ATLANTIS

Now that Peetee the Peekytoe is in custody, it was thought that we would have recovered the Claw by now but Peetee is one tough crab to crack. We here at the Lowdown have learned that a deal is in the making where Peetee would reveal the location of the relic in exchange for his freedom. Oh the moral implications. Is it more important to bring the culprit or culprits to justice or is it more important to recover the Claw? Was Peetee acting alone? If Peetee regains his freedom, will there be more trouble in the future? Tis, indeed, a complicated situation. What happened to “the good old days” in Lobsterville when all we had to worry about was where the next party was going to take place and if we would have enough finger steaks to feed the hungry crustaceans that gathered.

CLAWS AND TAILS

Ice Skating is scheduled to begin the first Sunday of January and continue each Sunday thereafter for six weeks. We will be organizing at Lobster Sands and skating at just offshore. The lessons will start at 2:00 p.m. See you there.

Our Thanksgiving distribution of Homes for Hermie crabs was exceedingly successful. The Hermie crabs are happy and I believe that we earned a few “good” points. Thanx to all who participated.

Don't forget the upcoming Valentines contest. Start planning now for your one-of-a-kind valentine. The artist who creates the best valentine will get an all expense paid weekend for two to the local landfill. What more could you want?

JUST FOR THE FUN OF IT

Try your hand at this little circle word puzzle.

X	V	W	D	T	A	I	L	Q	D	P	W	N
M	C	A	E	G	P	A	K	Z	P	H	R	S
Y	L	C	R	U	S	T	A	C	E	A	N	W
C	A	O	C	W	M	T	X	B	D	F	G	I
L	W	Q	R	E	T	P	R	N	W	H	J	M
E	S	X	U	V	L	Y	T	A	C	M	K	M
A	H	C	S	H	E	D	L	M	P	N	U	E
N	U	W	H	P	S	K	X	Z	Q	S	B	R
T	M	D	E	I	L	A	R	V	A	E	X	E
E	A	B	R	M	C	E	K	W	D	A	L	T
N	I	M	X	Y	H	K	A	B	U	O	Y	S
N	N	Z	J	C	F	J	D	O	E	C	G	H
A	E	V	N	X	G	P	W	D	K	E	U	E
E	D	I	B	M	O	L	T	Y	X	A	G	L
A	P	C	L	Q	R	Y	X	M	Z	N	P	L
B	N	S	C	A	V	E	N	G	E	R	Y	Z

ANTENNAE	CRUSTACEAN	SCAVENGER
BODY	LARVA	SHED
BUOY	MAINE	SHELL
CHICK	MOLT	SWIMMERETS
CLAW	OCEAN	TAIL
CRUSHER	PINCHER	TRAP



HE is the reason for the season.