

Junior Cooking Edition

Home on the Range

Make A Date With Dates
This holiday season make a date with California dates, using them in a variety of festive treats. Whole dates, date halves, pieces, or slices add a naturally sweetened touch to breads, cakes, muffins, and tortes.

The use of date pieces and slices is an important market for California dates. Research on date slices and pieces for use in baking and ready-to eat products was funded by a federal marketing agreement and order program through assessments on date handlers.

The marketing order covers four varieties of dates produced in California—Deglet Noor, Zahidi, Khadrawy, and Halawy. It is administered by the California Date Administrative Committee, composed of growers and handlers, which recommends to the Secretary of Agriculture regulations to apply under the order.

Dates must meet grade,

size, and inspection requirements under the marketing order to ensure the highest quality products for consumers. Import regulations require imported dates to meet comparable grade standards.

With an adequate supply of dates on hand, a little imagination and ingenuity can bring "oohs" and "aahs" from holiday guests enjoying delicious date-filled baked goods.

California dates can be used in other delights as well. Try a pumpkin-date torte, date cake (using dates in place of candied fruit), or date muffins. Whatever way you chose to use dates this holiday season, be assured that family, friends, and guests will return for more.

Brown Sugar Cookies
Two-thirds cup butter or margarine

1 1/2 cups brown sugar firmly packed

2 eggs unbeaten

1 teaspoon vanilla

1 tablespoon vinegar

1 cup evaporated milk

2 1/2 cups sifted flour

1 teaspoon baking soda

1/2 teaspoon salt

1 cup chopped walnuts

Cream butter and brown sugar until light. Add eggs and beat well. Add vanilla and vinegar to milk. Sift dry ingredients and add alternately with milk to creamed mixture. Fold in walnuts. Drop by teaspoonfuls about 2" apart on a greased baking sheet. Bake in moderate oven until delicately browned. Let cool and frost with brown butter frosting made from browned butter and confectioners sugar and garnish with nuts.

Mary Oberholtzer
age 15
Richland

xxx

Molasses Cookies

3 cups shortening melted

4 cups granulated sugar

1 cup molasses

4 eggs

5 teaspoons baking soda

8 cups flour

1 teaspoon ginger

4 teaspoon cinnamon

2 teaspoons salt
Form 1 inch balls and roll in sugar. Bake at 375 degrees.

Martha Smucker
age 9
Lancaster

xxx

Chewy Peanut Butter Bars

One-third cup shortening

1/2 cup peanut butter

1/4 cup packed brown sugar

1 teaspoon vanilla

1 cup granulated sugar

2 eggs

1 cup flour

1 teaspoon baking powder

1/4 teaspoon salt

1 can flaked coconut

Cream shortening, peanut butter, eggs and sugar. Add vanilla. Slowly add flour, baking powder and salt. Mix in coconut if desired. Bake at 350 degrees for 20-25 minutes or until light brown.

Mabel Hoover
age 13
Myerstown

xxx

Chopped Beef Potpourri

3/4 pound chopped ground beef

3 medium onions, sliced

One-third cup barley

1 pint or 1 can tomatoes

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon ground pepper

1/2 teaspoon whole black peppers

3 carrots sliced

3 potatoes sliced

1 quart water
3 stalks of celery diced
Brown ground beef and sliced onions in large saucepan. Add remaining ingredients, simmer and cover for one hour.

Shirley Nolt
age 11
Ephrata

xxx

Pecan-Honey Balls

Cream 1 cup butter with 1/4 cup honey adding 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon grated orange rind, 2 teaspoons vanilla, 3 cups flour and 1 cup chopped nuts.

Mix thoroughly, take small pieces of dough and make into balls. Place on greased cookie sheets and bake in slow oven till light tan. Roll in powdered sugar while warm.

Mary Ann Brubaker
age 11
Leola

xxx

Gelatine Cheese Cake

Crumb crust:

1/2 pound graham crackers, crushed

1 stick butter or margarine

1 tablespoon sugar

Combine ingredients; reserving some for topping. Press remaining mixture into a 9 inch square pan.

Filling:

1 package lemon gelatine

1 cup hot water
1-8 ounce package cream cheese
1 large can evaporated milk, chilled
1 cup sugar
Dissolve gelatin in hot water and cool. Whip chilled milk until thick. Combine all ingredients. Pour into crumb crust and sprinkle top with reserved crumbs. Chill until firm.

Esther Stoltzfus
age 13
Leola

xxx

Best Pumpkin Custard

2 eggs

2 cups sieved pumpkin

1/2 cup sugar

1 tablespoon flour

1/4 teaspoon salt

1/2 cup ground coconut

dash of cinnamon and nutmeg

1 cup milk

8 marshmallows

Beat eggs in a baking dish add other ingredients in order listed. Mix well before and after adding milk. Bake at 350 degrees for one hour adding marshmallows the last 30 minutes. Delicious hot or cold.

Marlene N. Shirk
age 11
East Earl

POLE STRUCTURES

• FARM • URBAN • COMMERCIAL

Thrive Center
ENVIRONMENTAL BUILDINGS

• Gestation • Farrowing
• Nursery / Finishing

HUSKEE-BILT
Construction Co.

For Information Write or Phone



MERVIN MILLER
R D 2, LITITZ PA
626-5204

UNCLAIMED FREIGHT COMPANY and LIQUIDATION SALES

CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR'S EVE CLOSING 5 P.M.

STEREO MANUFACTURER MOVING BUSINESS PURCHASED 2 TRAILER LOADS - COMPONENTS, CONSOLES AND SPEAKERS. TOO MANY TO LIST - ON FLOOR NOW SAVINGS 50% AND UP.

LIQUIDATING FOR DISTRIBUTORS

7 - QUAD SETS - Discrete & Matrix - AM-FM Stereo - 8 Track - 4 Speakers - Top Name Brand. Reg \$429.95 OUR PRICE \$189.95

4 - STEREO COMPONENTS - AM-FM Stereo-Phono Reg. \$409.00 OUR PRICE \$219.95

20 - STEREO COMPONENTS - AM-FM Stereo - 8 Track - Phono w-Air Suspension Speakers. Reg \$369.95 OUR PRICE \$169.95

MANY MORE COMPONENTS & CONSOLES TO CHOOSE FROM

12 - 25" CONSOLE COLOR T.V.'S Reg \$669.95 OUR PRICE \$449.95

8 - STEREO COMPONENTS - AM-FM Stereo - 8 Track - MPX - Rating R.M.S. Reg \$279.95 OUR PRICE \$149.95

7 - STEREO COMPONENTS - AM-FM Stereo - 8 Track - MPX - Rating R.M.S. Reg. \$309.95 OUR PRICE \$169.95

150 - CAR 8 TRACKS and Car 8 Tracks with AM-FM Stereo 1/2 PRICE

8 TRACK TAPES - Reg. \$4.89 ea. OUR PRICE \$2.00 ea.

100's - SPEAKERS for Component and Console Stereos

SOFA BED & CHAIR SETS Reg. \$289.94 OUR PRICE \$139.95

Liquidating 2 TRAILER LOADS OF FURNITURE for local manufacturer. SOFAS Reg. \$469.95 OUR PRICE \$199.95.

17 - CHAIRS Reg \$219.00 OUR PRICE \$40.00.

400 - RECLINERS - Dealer Refused From Up State - 50 Percent to 60 Percent OFF RETAIL PRICE.

PINE DRESSERS & CHEST - Reg \$329.00 OUR PRICE \$100.00 ea.

Big Selection of LAMPS - 1/2 PRICE

10 - ARTIFICIAL CHRISTMAS TREES

Liquidating 200 WATCHES - All Will Be Sold Under (Wholesale)

200 - KITCHEN SETS - Glass - Metal - Wood (Most of these sets were refused from local stores)

100 - FOLDING CARD TABLE CHAIRS - Reg \$24.95 OUR PRICE \$9.50 ea.

8 - BUNK BED SETS - Reg \$289.95 OUR PRICE \$149.95

15 - BUNK BED SETS - Maple & Pine - Reg. \$339.95 OUR PRICE \$179.00 and \$189.00.

WASHERS - DRYERS - STOVES - REFRIGERATORS FROM WAREHOUSE PURCHASE.

60 DOZEN GOLF BALLS - 50 PERCENT OFF

SOME CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS & LIGHTS. BAR STOOLS & BARS - GUN CABINETS - HUTCHES & BUFFETS - END TABLE SETS.

RUSTIC PINE CHEST - Reg. \$229.00 OUR PRICE \$55.00.

BEDROOM SUITES

24 - FULL SIZE SEWING MACHINES - Light Weight - Not Cast Iron - Built-in Button Holer - Built-in Blind Stitch with true stretch stitch Built-in Reg. \$309.95 OUR PRICE \$109.95 with portable case.

19 - SEWING MACHINES - Fully Automatic - Light Weight - Nationally Advertised at \$389.95 OUR PRICE \$179.95

MANY SEWING MACHINE CABINETS TO CHOOSE FROM AT SAVINGS TO TALK ABOUT.

7 - POOL TABLES w-solid slate tops - 3 SIZES

5 - DISHWASHERS

DIGITAL CLOCKS - with AM-FM Radio Reg. \$49.95 OUR PRICE \$29.95

DIGITAL CLOCKS - with AM-FM Stereo Reg. \$129.95 OUR PRICE \$59.95

CASSETT RECORDERS with Condenser Mike Reg. \$89.95 OUR PRICE \$39.95

CASSETT RECORDERS w-Condenser Mike Reg. \$69.95 OUR PRICE \$29.95

MIRACLE KNIFE Reg \$2.89 OUR PRICE 50 Cents.

MICRO-WAVE OVENS

BIKES - BOYS' & GIRLS' - 10 SPEED & 3 SPEED

60 - GRANDMOTHER & GRANDFATHER CLOCKS - 40 PERCENT TO 50 PERCENT OFF

51 - PINE ROCKERS Reg. \$139.00 to \$189.00 OUR PRICE \$79.95. Rockers cancelled from local store - we purchased

55 - HIDE-A-BEDS - Hercules Reg. \$289.95 OUR PRICE \$169.95.

OFFICE DESK - Reg \$269.95 OUR PRICE \$125.00.

MEN & WOMEN ELECTRIC SHAVERS - CALCULATORS - PERFUME - AFTER SHAVE LOTION - PICTURES - RAIN SUITES - BOX SPRING & MATTRESS - DEACON BENCHES

DUE TO SO MANY DEALER CANCELLATIONS WHICH WE PURCHASED FROM THE COMPANIES AND FREIGHT COMPANIES, THE ITEMS ARE TOO MANY TO MENTION ALL OF THEM, COME IN AND SEE.

IF YOU DON'T SEE IT - ASK FOR IT
FULL WARRANTY FINANCING THRU BANK.
ACCEPTANCE COOPERATIONS. CREDIT CARDS LAYAWAY

CORNER OF HEMPLAND RD. AND CENTERVILLE ROAD, NEXT TO 84 LUMBER, LANCASTER, PA

HOURS:

MON.-SAT. 10 A.M. to 9 P.M.
PHONE 397-6241



Peaceful as a

snowy landscape. Lively as a playful fawn is the Christmas we wish for you. We are ever grateful to you for your thoughtful consideration and gracious patronage.

PHILIP LEBZELTER & SON CO.

[Independent Goodyear Dealer]

1062 Manheim Pike • Lancaster, Pa 17604
Phone 397-5161

