

Kid's KOrner



"If you're a winter sports enthusiast, then color us on days there is no snow or ice. If you ice skate, don't do it alone and be careful on which spots you choose to skate."



"Skiing is a lot of fun, so color me too. Unless you know how to ski, don't ski alone. Remember to dress warm, because if you're like me, you fall down a lot."

Most snowmen are made by rolling one large and one not quite so big ball of snow and adding sticks and coal for facial features.

Why don't you try making snowmen with personalities? Instead of the normal two balls, roll up three and stack them one on top of the other, making each smaller as you go.

Instead of a carrot for a nose, how about a piece of celery or string bean. Next add eyes of coal or stones or even walnuts.

Make a witch by adding a broom held up by arms of twigs. To finish it give her an ugly nose by using a potato nose and a black painted hat.

To make a clown, add large pieces of coal or apples to his stomach to take the place of large fluffy buttons. Make a big red frown or smile with cherries and use an onion dipped in food coloring for the nose.

Can you think of other characters to make? How about a doctor or a pirate complete with a patch? Try a cowboy and a spaceman. Fill your yard with these odd characters.

When you go inside after all this fun, warm up with these goodies:

HOT FUDGE PUDDING

Sift into bowl
2 cups sifted flour
1 teaspoon salt
4 teaspoons baking powder
1 cup sugar
2 tablespoons cocoa
1 cup milk
4 tablespoons butter

Mix well, pour into large buttered baking dish then pour 3 1/2 cups cold water over all. This is good whether served hot or cold, with or without cream. During baking (pudding cake) rises to top, leaving fudge sauce in bottom of pan.

Janice Burkholder, Age 14, Fredericksburg

BEST CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES

2 1/4 cups unsifted flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 cup softened butter
3/4 cup sugar
3/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 eggs
2 cups chocolate chips
1 cup nuts

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. In small bowl, combine flour, baking soda, salt. Set aside. In a large bowl combine butter, sugar, brown sugar and vanilla. Mix until creamy. Mix in eggs. Gradually add flour mixture mix well. Stir in chocolate chips and nuts. Bake 8-10 minutes.

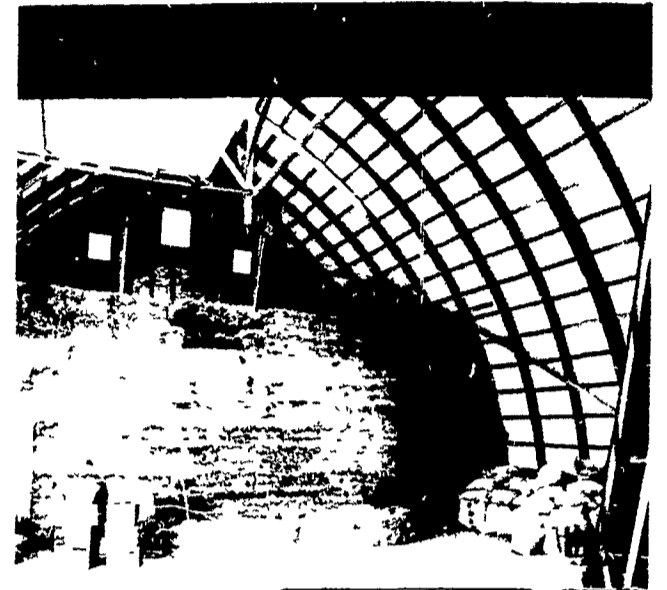
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