

# February Recipes



## **Citrus Coleslaw**

(Makes 4 servings, 1 C.)

## **Ingredients:**

3 cups green cabbage, shredded

¼ cup celery, chopped

¼ cup carrots, shredded

1 medium orange, peeled and membranes removed, chopped

¼ cup green pepper, chopped

¼ cup low-fat mayonnaise

1/2 Tablespoon vinegar

2 teaspoons sugar

½ teaspoon celery seed (optional)

#### **Directions:**

- 1. Wash hands with soap and water.
- 2. Gently rub produce under cold running water before preparing ingredients.
- 3. Combine all vegetables and fruit in a medium bowl. Set aside.
- Whisk together mayonnaise, vinegar, sugar, and (optional) celery seed in a small bowl.
  Pour over cabbage mixture and toss to coat.
- 5. Chill until ready to serve.

Source: Illinois Extension

# **Simple Serving Tips:**

Orange-Pineapple Smoothie Bowl: Peel 2 oranges and separate them into segments, laying segments flat on a parchment lined pan. Place pan in freezer for at least 2 hours. Combine frozen oranges, 2 C. frozen pineapple chunks and ¼ C. vanilla Greek Yogurt in a blender. Blend until smooth. Place the thick mixture into 2 bowls and enjoy plain or add your choice of toppings: sliced fruit, nuts, and/or granola.

# **Roasted Sweet Potatoes With Navel Orange**

(Makes 4-6 servings)

## **Ingredients:**

2 lbs. sweet potatoes

Zest of 1 navel orange Juice of 1 navel orange

1 tablespoon olive oil

1 teaspoon chopped fresh thyme

½ teaspoon ground cinnamon

¾ teaspoon sea salt, divided

1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper

### **Directions:**

- 1. Heat the oven to 425 degrees F. Lightly grease a large, rimmed baking sheet with olive oil.
- 2. Trim the ends off of the sweet potatoes and cut each potato into cubes or chunks that are similar in size to ensure even baking.
- 3. Place the potatoes in a large bowl. Add the orange zest, orange juice, olive oil, thyme, cinnamon, ½ teaspoon of the salt and the black pepper. Stir to coat the potatoes well.
- 4. Using a slotted spoon, transfer the potatoes to the baking sheet, leaving behind and discarding any excess juice. Spread the potatoes in a single layer.
- 5. Bake for 15 minutes. Stir the potatoes. Bake for an additional 10 to 15 minutes, until the potatoes are browned and reach your desired tenderness.
- 6. Sprinkle with the remaining salt to taste. Serve warm.

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