WHEAT MONTANA COOKBOOK


RECIPES FROM OUR BAKERY AND OUR CUSTOMERS USING WHEAT MONTANA PRODUCTS


Welcome to the wonderful extended world of Wheat Montana. This Wheat Montana Cookbook was compiled using recipes gathered from around Montana and across the country from many people who have experienced the great products we produce here on our farm. Some recipes come from folks who have discovered us by way of stopping into our deli and bakery while traveling through Montana from afar. Other recipes come from neighbors who live just down the road, yet rely on the same consistent quality of our products as do baking professionals thousands of miles away. Either a family tradition or a newfound discovery, each recipe is a favorite of the person or family who provided it to us. You'll also find some of Wheat Montana's favorite and most unique recipes here.

The only requirement for recipe submission was that the recipe use one or more of the many premium flours and grains available from our farm: Wheat Montana Bronze Chief, Prairie Gold, Natural White, and 7-Grain Cereal. We have not tested, nor have we altered the recipes in any way except to note where the different brands of our flours should be used.

We hope you enjoy the great tastes we have compiled here in our very first cookbook. It is as much yours as it is ours, since it is our customers who supply the apedial touch and creativity to make our fine products taste even better.

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## ABOUT WHEAT MONTANA

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## PANCAKES \& WAFFLES




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## GOLDEN WHEAT PANCAKES \& WAFFLES

11/3 cups Prairie Gold Flour
3 tablespoons sugar
$3 / 4$ teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons baking powder
3 eggs, well beaten
$11 / 4$ cups milk
3 tablespoons shortening, melted

Stir together dry ingredients. Combine eggs and milk then stir into dry ingredients along with melted shortening, mixing only until blended. (For lighter pancakes, eggs may be separated and the white stiffly beaten. Add yolk to ingredients: fold white into batter just before baking). Fry on lightly greased griddle over low-medium heat until golden brown, then turn. This batter makes excellent waffles as well.

Makes 12 (4 inch) pancakes.

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Wheat Montana
Three Forks, Montana


## BASIC PANCAKE FLOUR MIX

4 cups Prairie Gold Flour
4 cups Natural White Flour
$1 / 3$ cup baking powder
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
4 teaspoons salt
1 $1 / 4$ cups powdered milk

Combine all ingredients thoroughly. Store in an airtight container and use as needed. No need to refrigerate.

## PANCAKES FOR TWO

$11 / 4$ cups basic pancake mix
1 cup water
1 beaten egg
2 tablespoons oil

Mix all ingredients together until smooth. Cook on a hot griddle or skillet until golden brown on both sides.
Makes 4 (5inch) pancakes.
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## WHOLE WHEAT BANANA PANCAKES

## 4 cups Prairie Gold Flour

2 teaspoons salt
4 teaspoons baking powder
2 teaspoons baking soda
2 teaspoons cinnamon
2 tablespoons Wheat Montana Milled Flax Seed
4 cups buttermilk
$1 / 2$ cup olive oil
1-2 ripe bananas, mashed
4 eggs
Mix all ingredients and fry on griddle until golden brown.
Makes 12-14 plate sized pancakes.
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Esther Schmeling
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## bRONZE CHIEF WHOLE WHEAT PANCAKES

## 1 cup Bronze Chief Flour

$1 / 2$ cup Natural White Flour
2 tablespoons brown sugar
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$11 / 2$ cups buttermilk
2 eggs, separated
2 tablespoons oil
Sift together the flours, brown sugar, baking powder, baking soda and salt. In a separate bowl, combine buttermilk, egg yolks, and oil. Add to dry ingredients. Beat egg whites until stiff; fold into batter. Fry pancakes on hot griddle and serve with honey or syrup.

Makes 10 pancakes.
Shared by:
Lena Cleveland
Broadview, Montana


## OVERNIGHT PANCAKES

## Day one:

2 cups Natural White Flour
1 tablespoon sugar
2 cups buttermilk
1 teaspoon salt
$11 / 2$ teaspoons baking powder
Mix together and refrigerate in a covered container overnight.

## Day two:

2 teaspoons hot water with 1 teaspoon baking soda
1 egg, beaten
1 tablespoon oil
In the morning, add to refrigerated mixture. Mix gently, fry on hot griddle.
Makes 10 pancakes.
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## WHOLE WHEAT WAFFLES

1 cup Natural White Flour
1 cup Prairie Gold Flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon sugar
2 cups buttermilk
2 eggs
4 tablespoons butter, melted
Sift together the dry ingredients. In separate bowl, combine the buttermilk and eggs and add to the dry ingredients. Add the melted butter and stir to combine. Cook in preheated waffle iron.

Makes 16 (8 inch) waffles.
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Therese Fairbanks
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## MUFFINS, BISCUITS \& QUICK BREADS



## WHEAT MONTANA 7 GRAIN CARROT MUFFINS

1 cup Wheat Montana 7 Grain Cereal
$1 / 2$ cup raisins
1 cup milk
$1 / 2$ cup shredded carrots
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
$1 / 2$ cup brown sugar
$1 / 4$ cup vegetable oil
2 eggs
1 teaspoon grated orange peel
1 cup Prairie Gold Flour
1 tablespoon baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking soda
In a large bowl combine cereal, raisins, and milk. Stir well, cover and refrigerate 2 hours. Preheat oven to $400^{\circ}$. Combine carrots, sugars, oil, eggs and orange peel. Stir into cereal mixture. Combine dry ingredients and stir into batter until just moistened. Spoon muffin batter into greased muffin tin. Bake in a preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for 20-25 minutes.

Makes 10 muffins.

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Frances Folkvord, Wheat Montana
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## ZUCCHINI LOAF

2 cups Prairie Gold Flour
1 cup Natural White Flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons cinnamon
$1 / 4$ teaspoon baking powder
1 cup sugar
3 eggs
1 cup vegetable oil
3 teaspoons vanilla
2 cups grated zucchini (remove seeds)
1 cup raisins
$1 / 2$ cup nuts
Preheat oven to $325^{\circ}$

Sift together flours, baking soda, salt, cinnamon, and baking powder. Add remaining ingredients and mix well. Put bread batter into 2 ( 4 " $\times 8^{\prime \prime}$ ) greased and floured loaf pans. Bake 1 hour in $325^{\circ}$ oven.

Makes 2 loaves.
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## WHEAT GERM MUFFINS

$1 / 2$ cup canola oil
1 cup brown sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 cup Natural White Flour
$11 / 2$ teaspoons salt
1 cup sour cream
1 cup wheat germ
Preheat oven to $400^{\circ}$
Mix oil and brown sugar; beat in eggs. In a separate bowl, mix baking powder, baking soda, flour and salt. Add flour mixture to egg mixture alternately with sour cream, adding about $1 / 3$ each addition. Fold in wheat germ. Fill paper-lined muffin cups $2 / 3$ full. Bake in a $400^{\circ}$ oven for $15-18$ minutes.

Buttermilk or milk with 2 tablespoons of lemon juice added may be substituted for sour cream.

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## APPLESAUCE-OATMEAL MUFFINS

$1 / 2$ cup canola oil
$3 / 4$ cup brown sugar
1 egg
11/4 teaspoons baking soda
$1 / 4$ teaspoon salt
1 cup Natural White Flour
$1 / 2$ teaspoon cinnamon
$1 / 2$ cup chopped dates or raisins
$3 / 4$ cup applesauce
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 cup quick rolled oats
$1 / 2$ cup chopped pecans
Confectioners' sugar for topping
Preheat oven to $350^{\circ}$
Mix oil and brown sugar until light and fluffy. Add egg and beat well. In a separate bowl, mix baking soda, salt, flour, cinnamon, and fried fruit; add alternately ( $1 / 3$ of each mixture at a time) with applesauce to creamed mixture, stirring well. Add baking powder, oats, and pecans and mix well. Spoon into paper-lined muffin cups. Bake at $350^{\circ}$ for 25-30 minutes. Cool on a rack. Turn out and sift confectioners' sugar over top.

Makes 12-18 muffins.
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## ZUCCHINI-BASIL MUFFINS

2 cups Natural White Flour
$1 / 4$ cup sugar
1 tablespoon baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
2 eggs
$3 / 4$ cup milk
$2 / 3$ cups canola oil
2 cups shredded zucchini
2 tablespoons minced basil
$1 / 4$ cup grated parmesan cheese
Preheat oven to $425^{\circ}$
Combine flour, sugar, baking powder, and salt. In a separate bowl, beat eggs, stir in milk and oil. Mix into dry ingredients. Gently mix in zucchini and basil. Fill paper-lined muffin cups $2 / 3$ full. Sprinkle with parmesan cheese. Bake at $425^{\circ}$ for 20-25 minutes.

Makes 12-15 muffins.
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## FANCY CORN MUFFINS

## 1 cup Natural White Flour

1 cup cornmeal
1 tablespoon baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
$11 / 3$ cups fresh parmesan cheese, finely grated
4 tablespoons butter, softened
$1 / 2$ cup apricot jam
2 eggs
1 (15 ounce) can of creamed corn
Preheat oven to $400^{\circ}$
In a deep mixing bowl, mix together the first 5 ingredients. In a smaller bowl, cream together the softened butter and apricot jam. Add eggs and creamed corn to the liquid mixture, mix well. Pour liquid mixture into the flour mixture. Mix gently using a large spoon. Use only 12-14 strokes, do not over-mix. Spoon batter into greased muffin tins. Bake for 20-25 minutes or until golden brown appears on crowns.

Makes approximately 12 large muffins.
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## WHOLE WHEAT MUFFINS

$3 / 4$ cup applesauce
$3 / 4$ cup sugar
2 eggs, beaten
2 cups buttermilk
4½ cups Bronze Chief Flour
2½ teaspoons baking soda
1 teaspoon salt
Raisins or nuts optional
Preheat oven to $400^{\circ}$
Mix first 4 ingredients together and then add the rest, mixing slightly. Spray paper muffin cups with non-stick cooking spray and line muffin tin. Spoon batter into paper-lined muffin tin.

Bake at $400^{\circ}$ for 20 minutes. Batter will keep in refrigerator for up to 6 weeks.

Makes 24 muffins.
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## SUPER GOOD BRAN MUFFINS

2 cups $100 \%$ bran cereal
$11 / 4$ cups milk
1 cup Natural White Flour
$11 / 2$ teaspoons baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon cinnamon
1 egg
$1 / 2$ cup applesauce
$1 / 2$ cup honey
$1 / 2$ cup raisins
$1 / 4$ cup nuts (optional)
Preheat oven to $400^{\circ}$
Combine bran and milk in large mixing bowl and let stand 5 minutes. While waiting, in a separate bowl mix flour, baking powder, baking soda, and cinnamon. When bran mixture is ready, add the egg, applesauce, honey, raisins and nuts, and stir. Add the flour mixture to the rest of the batter. Bake at $400^{\circ}$ for $18-20$ minutes.

Makes 12 muffins.
Shared by:
Leila Williams
Great Falls, Montana


## RAW APPLE MUFFINS

1 cup sugar
2 eggs, beaten
$1 / 2$ cup oil
2 teaspoons vanilla extract
1½ cups Prairie Gold Flour
12 cup Natural White Flour
2 teaspoons baking soda
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup nuts
4 cups diced, peeled apples
1 cup raisins
Preheat oven to $325^{\circ}$
Mix all ingredients well, add apples and raisins last. Bake at $325^{\circ}$ for 30 minutes, or until golden brown.

Makes 12 muffins.
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Elna Bohnen
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## PUMPKIN BRAN MUFFINS

1 cup wheat bran
$1 / 3$ cup brown sugar
1¼ cups Prairie Gold Flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon ground ginger
1 cup raisins
3 large egg whites
1 cup pumpkin
$3 / 4$ cup buttermilk or yogurt
$1 / 3$ cup molasses
Preheat oven to $400^{\circ}$
Whisk first 7 ingredients together, then add raisins. In a separate bowl, mix remaining ingredients, then combine with flour mixture just enough to moisten. Do not over-mix. Bake at $400^{\circ}$ for 25 minutes.

Makes 12 muffins.
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Theresa Lode
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## BLUEBERRY MUFFINS

2 eggs, beaten
1 cup milk
$1 / 2$ cup canola oil
3 cups Natural White Flour
1 cup sugar
4 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
2 cups blueberries
Preheat oven to $400^{\circ}$
Blend eggs, milk and oil in a large bowl. In a separate bowl, combine flour, sugar, baking powder, and salt. Gradually add flour mixture to liquids. Beat well. Fold in blueberries. Divide batter evenly into paper-lined muffin cups. Bake at $400^{\circ}$ for 20 minutes.

Makes 12 muffins.
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## BANANA-STRAWBERRY MUFFINS

3 cups Natural White Flour
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
1 teaspoon baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$41 / 2$ teaspoons cinnamon
$11 / 4$ cups milk
2 eggs
1 cup (2 sticks) unsalted butter, melted
3 medium sized bananas, mashed
$1 / 2$ cup diced fresh or frozen strawberries
Preheat oven to $375^{\circ}$
Place paper liners in 24 muffin cups. In large bowl, combine and mix flour, sugar, baking powder, salt and cinnamon. Add milk, eggs and melted butter into dry mixture until well blended. Fold in bananas and strawberries. Spoon batter into muffin cups. Bake at $375^{\circ}$ for 20 minutes or until golden brown.

Makes 24 muffins.
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Carol Garlow
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## 7-GRAIN MUFFINS

1 cup Wheat Montana 7 Grain Cereal (soak in sour cream 1 hour)
1 cup sour cream or buttermilk
$1 / 3$ cup oil
$1 / 2$ cup brown sugar
1 egg
1 cup Bronze Chief Flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon salt
Preheat oven to $400^{\circ}$
Mix the oil, brown sugar, and egg together in a large bowl. Sift flour, baking powder, baking soda, and salt in a separate bowl. Stir the flour mixture into the sugar mixture alternately with the 7 grain mixture. Fill greased muffin pan. Bake at $400^{\circ}$ until golden brown.

Makes 12 muffins.
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## ALL-BRAN MUFFINS

1 cup All-Bran
$3 / 4$ cup milk
1 cup Bronze Chief Flour
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons baking powder
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
2 tablespoons oil
1 egg
$1 / 2$ cup raisins (optional)
Preheat oven to $400^{\circ}$
Combine All-Bran and milk. Mix flour, salt and baking powder together. In a separate bowl, mix sugar, oil and egg, beating briskly for 1 minute. Add flour mixture and beat until smooth. Add raisins. Spoon batter into 12cup muffin tin and bake at $400^{\circ}$ for 15-20 minutes.

Makes 12 muffins.
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Deena Gobbs
Townsend, Montana


## WHOLE WHEAT DINNER MUFFINS

## 1 cup Natural White Flour

1 cup Bronze Chief Flour
$1 / 4$ cup wheat germ
3 teaspoons baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$1 / 4$ cup sugar (brown or white, or 2 tablespoons honey)
1 egg
4 tablespoons butter or margarine (melted), or oil
1 cup milk
Preheat oven to $375^{\circ}$
In a large bowl, stir dry ingredients together. In a separate bowl, beat eggs and stir in shortening, sweetener. Mix dry and wet mixtures together. Spoon batter into greased muffin cups. Bake at $375^{\circ}$ for 25 minutes.

Makes 12 muffins.
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Deena Gobbs
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## DAR'S BISCUITS

2 cups Natural White Flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
$1 / 3$ cup canola oil
$2 / 3$ cup milk
Preheat oven to $475^{\circ}$
Mix dry ingredients in bowl. Pour oil and milk into measuring cup, but do not stir. Pour all at once into dry mixture. Stir with a fork until mixture cleans sides of bowl and rounds into ball. Smooth by kneading dough about 10 times without adding flour. Gently roll to about $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ thick. Cut into rounds. Bake at $475^{\circ}$ for 6-8 minutes.

Makes 16 biscuits.
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## BISCUITS SUPREME

2 cups sifted Natural White Flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon cream of tartar
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons sugar
$1 / 2$ cup shortening
$2 / 3$ cup milk
Preheat oven to $450^{\circ}$
Stir dry ingredients into bowl. Cut in shortening until crumbly. Stir in milk until mixture forms a ball. Turn onto lightly floured surface and knead gently 10-12 times. Pat or roll dough $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ thick. Cut with floured biscuit cutter; do not twist cutter. Place rounds on ungreased baking sheet. Bake at $450^{\circ}$ for 10-12 minutes.

Makes 12 biscuits.
Shared by:
Deon Tomsheck
Ethridge, Montana

## QUICK-MIX BISCUIT PLUS MIX

$81 / 2$ cups Natural White Flour (up to half can be Prairie Gold Flour)
1 tablespoon baking powder
1 tablespoon salt
1 tablespoon baking soda
2 teaspoons cream of tartar
$11 / 2$ cups instant dry milk
2 $1 / 4$ cups shortening
In a large bowl, sift together all dry ingredients. Blend well. With pastry blender cut in shortening. Put in a large airtight container. Store in a cool dry place. Use within 11 weeks.

Makes 13 cups.
This mix can be used like Bisquick Mix or other biscuit mix. Use enough liquid to make desired amount of biscuits and bake following general biscuit baking directions.

Shared by:
Velda Hensley Welch
Toston, Montana


## PUMPKIN BREAD

2 eggs
2 teaspoons vanilla
$3 / 4$ cup butter ( $11 / 2$ sticks)
$11 / 2$ cups granulated sugar
$11 / 2$ cups brown sugar
2½ cups Prairie Gold Flour
2½ cups Natural White Flour
3 teaspoons baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking powder
$3 / 4$ teaspoon salt
$11 / 2$ teaspoons cinnamon
$11 / 2$ teaspoons cloves
2 cups raisins
1 cup chopped walnuts
1 cup evaporated milk
1 large can Libby's pumpkin
$1 ⁄ 2$ cup water
Combine eggs, vanilla, butter and sugars. In separate bowl, sift all dry ingredients and add raisins and walnuts. Combine dry mixture with liquids. Fill greased/floured loaf pans $2 / 3$ full. Bake at $350^{\circ}$ for 1 hour, or until done.

Makes 4-5 small loaves.
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Melvena Hartford
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## ZUCCHINI BREAD

13/4 cups Prairie Gold Flour
$2 / 3$ cup oat bran
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
1 tablespoon dry milk
2 teaspoons baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 large eggs (or 3 large egg whites)
1 cup buttermilk
$11 / 2$ cups shredded or puréed zucchini
Preheat oven to $425^{\circ}$. Grease $9 \times 5$ inch loaf pan.
Mix dry ingredients in large bowl. In a separate bowl, lightly beat eggs. Add buttermilk and zucchini. Add liquid ingredients to flour mixture and combine. Don't overbeat! Pour batter into loaf pan. Bake at $425^{\circ}$ for 40 minutes.

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Theresa Lode
Helena, Montana


## CANADIAN BANANA BREAD

1 cup brown sugar
4 tablespoons margarine
1 teaspoon vanilla
3 large, ripe bananas, mashed
2 eggs, well beaten
2 cups Prairie Gold Flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
Preheat oven to $325^{\circ}$
Cream sugar and margarine, then add vanilla, bananas and eggs. Mix together. Combine dry ingredients in separate bowl, then add and mix into liquid mixture. Divide evenly into 2 loaf pans. Bake at $325^{\circ}$ for 1 hour.

Makes 2 loaves.
Shared by:
Valerie Middlemas
Townsend, Montana


## BANANA BREAD

2 tablespoons brown sugar
$1 / 2$ cup butter (1 stick), softened
1 cup sugar
2 eggs, unbeaten
3 ripe bananas, mashed
1 tablespoon buttermilk
$1 / 2$ teaspoon vanilla
1½ cups Natural White Flour
½ cup Bronze Chief Flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking soda
Preheat oven to $350^{\circ}$
Cream together the brown sugar, butter and sugar. Add the eggs, bananas, buttermilk and vanilla, and blend well. In a separate bowl, combine all dry ingredients. Combine all ingredients to make batter. Pour into 2 lightly greased loaf pans. Bake at $350^{\circ}$ for 1 hour.

Makes 2 loaves.
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## WHOLE WHEAT BANANA BREAD

$1 / 2$ cup butter or margarine ( 1 stick), melted
1 cup sugar
2 eggs, lightly beaten
1 cup mashed bananas
1 cup Natural White Flour
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 cup Prairie Gold Flour
$1 / 3$ cup hot water
$1 / 2$ cup chopped nuts
Preheat oven to $325^{\circ}$
Melt butter and blend in sugar. Mix in beaten eggs and mashed bananas, and blend until smooth. Stir together flours, salt, baking soda and salt. Add dry ingredients alternately with hot water to banana mixture. Stir in chopped nuts. Spoon batter into greased $9 \times 5^{\prime \prime}$ loaf pan. Bake at $325^{\circ}$ for 1 hour \& 10 minutes, or until done.

Makes 1 loaf.
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## APPLESAUCE BROWN BREAD

2 cups Prairie Gold Flour
1 cup cornmeal
$3 / 4$ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 cup buttermilk
1 cup dark molasses
$3 / 4$ cup sweetened applesauce
$3 / 4$ cup raisins
Preheat oven to $350^{\circ}$
Combine dry ingredients in large mixing bowl. Add buttermilk and molasses and beat until smooth. Mixture will be thick. Fold in applesauce and raisins. Turn into greased $9^{\prime \prime}$ square baking pan and bake at $350^{\circ}$ for 35 minutes or until done. After cooled, cut into squares.

Makes 16 squares.
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## PRAIRIE BISCUITS

2 cups Natural White Flour
$1 / 2$ cup lard
1 teaspoon salt
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking soda
4 teaspoons baking powder
$3 / 4$ cup buttermilk
In bag of flour, make a "well." Mix in lard (crumble the lard and flour with your hands) and work in salt, baking soda and baking powder. Sprinkle the buttermilk into the dough. Form a ball, knead on a floured surface or in hands. Hand form dough into size of biscuits and bake in a hot dutch-oven over coals, or in a preheated $450^{\circ}$ oven until tan in color.

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## STEAMED BROWN BREAD

1 cup Natural White Flour
1 cup Bronze Chief Flour
1 cup cornmeal
$11 / 2$ teaspoons salt
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 2$ cup molasses
$11 / 2$ cups buttermilk
2 tablespoons shortening, melted
Sift flours, cornmeal, salt and sugar together. In a separate bowl, mix baking soda and molasses. Add buttermilk and molasses mixture to the dry mixture. Add shortening. Mix well. Fill a greased $21 / 2$ quart pudding mold $3 / 4$ full and steam for 3 hours. Remove cover from pan and allow to cool for 20 minutes.

Makes 1 loaf.
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## QUICK OATMEAL BREAD

$11 / 2$ cups quick rolled oats
1 cup Prairie Gold Flour
1 envelope Spiced Apple Cider Mix
2 packets sugar substitute
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 cup buttermilk
1 cup hot water
Preheat oven to $350^{\circ}$
Mix all dry ingredients together. Add buttermilk, then hot water. Spoon into greased loaf pan and bake at $350^{\circ}$ for 25-30 minutes. Raisins or dates can be added, or sprinkle cinnamon on top before baking.

Makes 1 loaf.
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## YEAST BREADS




## WHEAT MONTANA WHITE BREAD

2 tablespoons yeast
$21 / 4$ cups warm water ( $105^{\circ}$ )
7 cups Natural White Flour
4 tablespoons honey
1 tablespoon salt
3 tablespoons shortening
3 tablespoons powdered milk
Dissolve yeast in warm water and let stand 5 minutes. Combine flour, honey, salt, shortening, powdered milk, and yeast. Mix until well developed. Dough should be able to be stretched into a thin, transparent window.

Place dough in oiled bowl and let double in size. Punch down and divide into 2 equal pieces. Flatten each piece and roll into bread loaves. Place into bread pans and let rise until above sides of pan.

Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 25-35 minutes, until golden brown on top. Bread should sound hollow when tapped.

Makes 2 loaves ( 1 ½ lbs).
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Wheat Montana Bakery
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## WHEAT MONTANA WHEAT BREAD

2 tablespoons yeast
$21 / 2$ cups warm water ( $105^{\circ}$ )
3½ cups Natural White Flour
3½ cups Bronze Chief Flour
4 tablespoons honey
1 tablespoon salt
3 tablespoons shortening
3 tablespoons powdered milk
Dissolve yeast in warm water and let stand 5 minutes. Combine flour, honey, salt, shortening, powdered milk, and yeast. Mix until well developed. Dough should be able to be stretched into a thin, transparent window.

Place dough in oiled bowl and let double in size. Punch down and divide into 2 equal pieces. Flatten each piece and roll into bread loaves. Place into bread pans and let rise until above sides of pan.

Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 25-35 minutes, until golden brown on top. Bread should sound hollow when tapped.

Makes 2 loaves ( 1 1/2 lbs).
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## 7-GRAIN WHOLE WHEAT BREAD FOR BREAD MACHINE

$1 / 2$ cup Wheat Montana 7-Grain Cereal
2 cups warm water
$11 / 2$ cup milk
2 tablespoons butter
2 cups Natural White Flour
1 cup Bronze Chief Flour
3 tablespoons honey
1 $1 / 4$ teaspoons salt
2 teaspoons active dry yeast
Soak 7-Grain Cereal in warm water for several hours. Drain well. Carefully measure all ingredients into pan and follow machine instructions.

Makes 1 loaf.
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## DELICIOUS WHITE BREAD

2 packages active dry yeast
$21 / 4$ cups lukewarm water
$1 / 2$ cup nonfat dry milk
2 tablespoons sugar
1 tablespoon salt
$1 / 3$ cup oil
7-7½ cups Natural White Flour
Sprinkle yeast on lukewarm water, stir to dissolve. Add 3 cups flour, dry milk, sugar, salt and oil. Beat with electric mixer at medium speed until smooth (about 3 minutes), scraping bowl occasionally. Gradually add enough remaining flour to make a soft dough that cleaves to the sides of bowl. Cover; let rest for 15 minutes.

Knead on a floured surface until smooth and satiny, about 5 minutes. Divide dough in half; shape each half into a loaf. Let rise until doubled, about 1-1 $1 / 2$ hours. Baked in preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for $30-35$ minutes, or until loaves sound hollow when tapped.

Makes 2 loaves.
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## WHEAT MONTANA FRENCH BREAD

1 tablespoon yeast
$1 \frac{1}{4}$ cups warm water ( $105^{\circ}$ )
3 cups Natural White Flour
1 tablespoon sugar
2 teaspoons salt
OPTIONAL FLAVORS:
2 tablespoons Italian seasoning
$1 / 4$ teaspoon garlic powder
$1 / 4$ cup sun dried tomatoes
Dissolve yeast in warm water and let stand 5 minutes. Add flour, sugar, and salt. Add optional flavors. Mix dough until developed. Dough should be smooth in appearance.

Place dough in oiled bowl and let double in size. Punch down and roll into a long or round loaf. May be divided into 6 equal pieces for hard rolls. Place on baking sheet and let double in size.

Brush with cold water. Bake in preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for $25-30$ minutes. Bread should sound hollow when tapped.

Makes 1-1 $1 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$ loaf, or 6-4oz hard rolls.
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## WHEAT MONTANA BUN DOUGH

2 tablespoons yeast
1 cup warm water ( $105^{\circ}$ )
3½ cups Natural White Flour
$1 / 4$ cup sugar
$1 / 4$ cup shortening
1 teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons powdered milk
1 egg, for a lighter texture (optional)
Dissolve yeast in warm water and let stand 5 minutes. Add flour, sugar, shortening, salt, powdered milk, and egg. Mix dough until well developed. Dough should be able to be stretched into a thin, transparent window.

Place dough in oiled bowl and let double in size. Punch down and divide in 12 equal pieces for hamburger buns or 24 pieces for dinner rolls. Using palm of hand, round each dough piece and place on baking sheet. Let rise until doubled in size.

Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 12-18 minutes, until golden brown.
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## TRADITIONAL WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

1 package active dry yeast
$1 / 3$ cup lukewarm water
1 tablespoon shortening, melted
1 tablespoon honey
1 tablespoon molasses
1 tablespoon salt
3 cups scalded milk
6 cups Bronze Chief Flour
Soften yeast in water. Combine melted shortening, honey, molasses, salt, and milk. Let cool to a lukewarm temperature and combine with yeast mixture. Add enough flour as needed, until it can be handled without sticking to your hands. Shape into 2 loaves and place in greased loaf pans; 4 "x8". Let rise to not quite double in size (1-2 hours). Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 1 hour and 10 minutes.

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## PERFECT BREAD MACHINE RECIPE

$11 / 8$ cups water
3 cups Prairie Gold Flour or Bronze Chief Flour
$11 / 2$ tablespoons sugar
$11 / 4$ teaspoons salt
$11 / 2$ tablespoons butter
$11 / 2$ tablespoons dry milk
1 envelope active dry yeast
Pour water into the bread pan. Add flour, sugar, salt, butter and dry milk. Hollow out the center of the dry ingredients and put in yeast. If yeast contacts the water before kneading, the bread may not rise well. All ingredients should be at room temperature $\left(70-80^{\circ}\right)$. When room temperature is below $65^{\circ}$, use lukewarm water $\left(100^{\circ}\right)$. Activate your bread machine following its instructions.

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## BACON-ONION-OATMEAL BUNS

2 cups boiling water
1 cup rolled oats
2 packages dry yeast; dissolve in $1 / 3$ cup warm water
3 tablespoons oil
$1 / 4$ cup dark molasses
$2 / 3$ cup brown sugar
1 egg
2 teaspoons salt
5-6 cups Natural White Flour
$3 / 4 \mathrm{lb}$ bacon cut into $1 / 4$ " strips; fried, not too crispy
2 cups diced onion; fried in bacon drippings until slightly brown
Pour boiling water over oats. Cool. To oatmeal, add yeast, oil, molasses, brown sugar, egg and salt. Beat in enough flour to make a soft dough. Add bacon, onion, and remaining flour. Knead and let rise until doubled in size, punch down and let rise again. Roll the dough into a long log shape and slice into 30 equal pieces. Place buns on a buttered pan. Let rise until doubled in size.

Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 18-20 minutes. Brush the buns with melted butter as you take them out of the oven.

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## GREATMA'S BUNS

3 cups milk
3 cups boiling water
11/3 cups oil
9 teaspoons yeast
$13 / 4$ cups sugar
4 eggs, beaten
4 teaspoons salt
16 cups Natural White Flour
In a large mixer bowl, combine milk, water and oil. Add remaining ingredients. Mix but do not knead. Let dough rise until doubled in size. Punch it down, then let rise until doubled again. Form dough into $2^{\prime \prime}$ buns and place on a greased baking sheet. Let rise until doubled in size.

Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 10-12 minutes
Makes 7 dozen buns.
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## DOUGH:

13/4 cups Natural White Flour
$11 / 4$ ounce package active dry yeast
1 teaspoon sugar
$3 / 4$ teaspoon salt
$3 / 4$ cup hot water
$21 / 2$ tablespoons olive oil
TOPPING:
$11 / 2$ tablespoons olive oil
$1 / 2$ cup pesto
$1 / 2$ cup crumbled feta cheese
6 sundried tomatoes, diced
In a bowl, combine all dry ingredients. Slowly add to water and oil, stirring to form sticky dough. Turn dough onto lightly floured surface; knead in additional flour as needed until dough is smooth and elastic. Place dough in oiled bowl, turning to coat entire surface. Cover and let rise until doubled in size, about 40 minutes.

Grease 13 " round baking sheet. Punch down dough and let rise 5 minutes. Turn dough onto lightly floured surface. Using floured rolling pin, roll dough into $12^{\prime \prime}$ round. Place onto prepared baking sheet. Build up edges of dough to form crust. Cover and let rise 15-30 minutes. Drizzle with olive oil; add pesto, feta, and tomatoes. Bake in preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes or until lightly brown on top and sides.

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## WHOLE WHEAT ROLLS

2 tablespoons yeast
1 teaspoon sugar
$1 / 2$ cup warm water
2 eggs, beaten
$1 / 2$ cup oil
$1 / 2$ cup honey
1 teaspoon salt
$1 / 2$ cup canned condensed milk
$1 / 2$ cup hot water
3-4 cups Prairie Gold Flour
Soften yeast and sugar in $1 / 2$ cup warm water. Mix together eggs, oil, honey, salt, milk, with $1 / 2$ cup hot water.
Add flour; mix all. Let dough rest for 10-15 minutes. Knead dough, let rise. Punch down, knead again, and let rise until doubled in size. Make into desired size dinner rolls.

Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 20-25 minutes
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## SPROUTED WHEAT BREAD

2-3 days before baking bread: soak $1 / 2$ cup Prairie Gold or Bronze Chief wheat berries in 1 cup cold water for 68 hours in a sprouting jar. Drain well and rinse several times. Invert or place jar on its side in a warm location $\left(70-80^{\circ}\right)$. Water seeds $3-4$ times a day by covering with tap water and then draining well. Your sprouts are ready when they have a $1 / 4 \prime$ top and $1^{\prime \prime}$ roots (about 2 cups).

Baking day: place sprouts in a blender with 2 cups warm water and blend on high until the water looks very milky. Strain this milky water into your bread bowl, reserving the sprouts. Add 1 cup warm water to the bowl. Add 2 tablespoons active dry yeast and let stand until bubbly.

## Add:

$11 / 2$ teaspoons salt
$1 / 3$ cup sugar
$1 / 3$ cup olive oil
1 cup wheat germ
4 cups Bronze Chief Flour
3½-4 cups Natural White Flour
Add 1 cup Bronze Chief Flour at a time, mixing well after each addition. Finish bread dough by adding Natural White Flour 1 cup at a time until dough can be turned onto a bread board and finished by hand-kneading. When the dough is elastic and smooth, place in an oiled bowl and cover. Let rise $1-1 \frac{1}{2}$ hours until doubled in size. Punch down and shape into 2 loaves. Place in greased pans and cover. When loaves have doubled in size, bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 1 hour or until tops are browned and sound hollow when tapped.

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## BUTTERMILK WHEAT ROLIS

1 package active dry yeast
$1 / 4$ cup warm water ( $110^{\circ}$ )
$13 / 4$ cups buttermilk (room temperature)
2 eggs, lightly beaten
$1 / 3$ cup brown sugar
$11 / 2$ teaspoons salt
4 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted and cooled
3 cups Prairie Gold Flour
3½-4 cups Natural White Flour
In a large bowl, dissolve yeast in warm water. Add buttermilk, eggs, brown sugar, salt and butter. Gradually add Bronze Chief Flour and 1 cup Natural White Flour, and beat 5 minutes. Then gradually mix in remaining Natural White Flour to make a stiff dough. Turn out onto floured board, knead until smooth, 10-20 minutes, adding flour as needed to prevent sticking. Turn dough over in a greased bowl, cover, and let rise in warm place until doubled in size. Punch down, knead briefly, and shape as desired.

For rolls, let rise and bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 20 minutes, or until golden brown. For loaves, bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

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## PILGRIM BREAD

2 tablespoons active dry yeast
2 cups plus $1 / 2$ cup warm water ( $110^{\circ}$ )
$1 / 2$ teaspoon sugar
$1 / 2$ cup cornmeal
$1 / 3$ cup brown sugar
$1 / 4$ cup oil
1¼ cups Prairie Gold Flour
$3 / 4$ cups Bronze Chief Flour
$1 / 4$ cup wheat germ
5½-6 cups Natural White Flour
Dissolve yeast in $1 / 2$ cup warm water. Sprinkle sugar over yeast mixture. Bring 2 cups water to boil then pour over cornmeal and brown sugar, and let cool. Mix together yeast mixture, cornmeal mixture, oil, wheat flours and wheat germ. Beat well, 2-3 minutes. Add white flour, kneading until dough is smooth and elastic, 8-10 minutes. Place in a greased bowl, turn to grease top. Let rise in warm place until doubled in size. Punch down, shape into 3 large loaves, let rise in pans until doubled in size. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 35-45 minutes.

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## WHOLE WHEAT SOURDOUGH

1 teaspoon active dry yeast
$1 / 2$ cup wheat germ
1 cup Natural White Flour
1 cup Bronze Chief Flour
2 tablespoons olive oil
1 tablespoon molasses
Dash of salt
$2 / 3$ cup milk or buttermilk
1 cup sourdough starter (recipe below)
$1 / 2$ cup sunflower seeds (optional)
Use this recipe in your bread machine.
Sourdough starter: combine 2 cups milk, 2 cups Bronze Chief Flour, $21 / 2$ teaspoons yeast. Let sit for a week and stir occasionally. Keep in the refrigerator between uses. After using starter in recipe, replenish with equal amounts of flour and milk.

Add the ingredients to the bread machine in the order given. Set the machine on whole-wheat dough. Turn the dough out on a floured board and shape into a medium sized loaf pan. Follow bread machine directions. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

Makes 1 medium sized loaf.
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## BREAD MACHINE BREAD

114 cups warm water
1 tablespoon honey
1 tablespoon molasses
2 tablespoons soft butter (cut in small pieces)
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup Prairie Gold Flour
2¼ cups Natural White Flour
$1 / 4$ cup wheat gluten
2 teaspoons active dry yeast
Put water, honey, and molasses in bread machine container. Add butter pieces to liquid. Add remaining ingredients in order, making sure to keep yeast away from liquid ingredients at beginning. Start bread machine on regular bread cycle.

Makes 1 loaf.
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Laurie Barnard
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## BASIC SWEET DOUGH - WHOLE WHEAT

2 tablespoons active dry yeast
$1 / 2$ cup warm water
1 teaspoon sugar
2 eggs, beaten
$1 / 2$ cup honey
1 teaspoon salt
$1 / 2$ cup shortening
$1 / 2$ cup condensed milk or cream
$1 / 2$ cup hot water
3½-4 cups Prairie Gold Flour
Soften yeast in $1 / 2$ cup warm water and sugar. Combine eggs, honey, shortening, milk, and $1 / 2$ cup hot water. Stir in yeast mixture. Add flour a small amount at a time, beating well. Add only enough flour to make a soft dough. Cover and let rise 10 minutes. Turn onto floured board and knead well. Place dough in a greased bowl. Cover tightly and let rise until doubled in size. Punch down and let rise 30 minutes; punch down then let dough rest for final 10 minutes.

Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 20-25 minutes.
This dough makes great cinnamon rolls. Makes about 2 dozen rolls.
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Deena Gobbs
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## OVERNIGHT BUNS

1 package active dry yeast
$1 / 2$ cup warm water
4 cups hot water
3 tablespoons shortening
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
4 teaspoons salt
3 eggs, beaten
6 cups Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Flour
6 cups Natural White Flour
Allow 5 hours for preparation before overnight rising.
Dissolve yeast in $1 / 2$ cup warm water. Combine in large bowl, 4 cups hot water, shortening, sugar, salt, and eggs. Add yeast when lukewarm. Add flours to make a bread-like dough. Knead dough well and return to greased bowl. Punch down every $1 / 2$ hour for approximately $41 / 2$ hours. Form dough into egg-sized buns. Cover with a damp cloth and let sit in cold oven overnight.

In the morning, bake in a preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for 15-18 minutes until golden brown.
Makes about 8 dozen buns.
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## SWEET BUNS (ZWIEBACK BREAD)

1 teaspoon plus 1 cup sugar
$1 / 2$ cup lukewarm water
2 packages active dry yeast
3 cups milk
$2 / 3$ cup shortening, melted
1 tablespoon salt
2 eggs, beaten
$81 / 3-8 \frac{1}{2}$ cups Natural White Flour
Dissolve 1 teaspoon sugar in lukewarm water. Sprinkle yeast over liquid and let rise in warm place for 10 minutes until foaming.

Scald milk, remove from heat and add melted shortening, 1 cup sugar and salt, stirring to dissolve. When cooled slightly, add eggs and yeast mixture to milk mixture. Slowly add the flour, adding more as needed to keep the dough from being too sticky. Shape dough into a ball and place in a lightly greased bowl. Cover with plastic wrap or towel. Let rise in a warm place for 1 hour. Punch down and knead for 2 minutes. Let rise again until doubled in size.

Pinch off balls of dough about the size of an egg. Place on a greased baking sheet $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ apart. Let rise 30 minutes. Bake in preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 15-20 minutes, until golden brown.

Makes about 5 dozen buns.
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Richard Wevley
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## MOLASSES WHEAT ROLLS

2 packages active dry yeast
$1 / 2$ cup lukewarm water
$11 / 2$ cups milk, scalded
$2 / 3$ cup molasses
2 teaspoons salt
2 eggs, unbeaten
3³/4 cups Natural White Flour
3 cups Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Flour
$1 / 3$ cup oil
Dissolve yeast in warm water. Cool milk to lukewarm and add to yeast. Stir in molasses, salt, and eggs.
Combine flours and add 4 cups of flour mixture to milk mixture. Beat until smooth. Beat in oil, add remaining flour.

Place dough on a floured board. Knead at least 2 minutes, then place in large, greased bowl. Turn dough to grease all sides, cover and let rise in warm place, out of draft, for 1 hour or until doubled in size. Knead to get air out, grease top lightly, cover, let rise again until doubled in size. Punch down and knead. Dough can be divided into 2 loaves or broken into 24 dinner rolls. Placed shaped dough in greased pans. Cover and let rise until doubled in size.

For loaves, bake in preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for 15 minutes, reduce heat to $350^{\circ}$ and bake 30 minutes longer. For rolls, bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 25-30 minutes.

Makes 2 loaves or 24 dinner rolls.
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## BREAD MACHINE WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

1 cup plus $212-3$ tablespoons warm water ( $105^{\circ}$ )
1 tablespoon oil
$11 / 2$ tablespoons honey
1 tablespoon molasses
1 fresh egg
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
3¼ cups Prairie Gold Flour
$1 / 2$ teaspoon bread machine yeast
Add first 6 ingredients in order to bread machine basket. Add flour on top of all ingredients to form a rounded top. Form a small well in the center of the flour and add yeast. Stir gently in basket to mix before starting the cycle. Start machine on regular bread cycle, adding $1 / 2$ teaspoon water if mixture is dry.

Makes 1 loaf ( $11 / 2 \mathrm{lbs}$ )

## VARIATIONS:

Add $1 / 2$ cup raisins after machine mixes for 3-5 minutes, or add about 4 tablespoons of unsalted sunflower seeds.

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## SESAME SUNFLOWER BREAD

$31 / 8$ cups water
$1 / 3$ cup oil
$11 / 2$ teaspoons salt
3 tablespoons sugar
2 cups plus 1-2 cups Natural White Flour
2 cups plus 3 cups Bronze Chief Flour
3 tablespoons active dry yeast
2 eggs
$1 / 3$ cup sesame seeds
$1 / 3$ cup sunflower seeds
Combine water, oil, salt and sugar in a microwave-safe bowl. Warm the mixture in the microwave for 2 minutes. Pour heated mixture into a large bowl and stir in 2 cups of each of the flours and yeast. Mix well by hand or using an electric mixer. Add eggs, sesame seeds, sunflower seeds, remaining 3 cups of wheat flour and remaining 1-2 cups white flour. Knead 10 minutes. Place in greased bowl, let rise until doubled in size.

Divide dough into 3 parts and form into loaves. Place into 3 greased $41 / 2 x 8^{1 / 2 \prime \prime}$ pans. Let rise until doubled in size. Bake in preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

Makes 3 loaves.
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## 7-GRAIN WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

1 cup Wheat Montana 7-Grain Cereal
2 cups plus 3 cups warm water (105-115 ${ }^{\circ}$ )
2 packages active dry yeast
$2 / 3$ cup honey
$1 / 3$ cup butter
4 teaspoons salt
11-13 cups flour; half Bronze Chief Flour, half Natural White Flour
Cook cereal in 2 cups water until done. Dissolve yeast in 3 cups warm water. Combine honey, butter and salt in large bowl. Add cooked cereal to honey mixture and stir until cooled to yeast temperature. Add dissolved yeast mixture. Add flour, stirring in 1 cup at a time. When dough is manageable, turn onto floured surface and knead 3-5 minutes until smooth. Place in greased bowl and turn greased side up, cover with a cloth and let rise until doubled in size.

Punch down, divide into loaves or rolls, place in pan and let rise again until doubled in size. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven until golden brown, approximately 20-25 minutes for rolls, 30-40 minutes for bread.

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## CINNAMON SUNRISE BREAD

2 teaspoons bread machine yeast
2 cups Prairie Gold Flour
11⁄3 cups Natural White Flour
$11 / 2$ tablespoons dry milk
3 tablespoons brown sugar
1 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons butter
2 teaspoons cinnamon
$11 / 3$ cup water
1 cup raisins
Combine all ingredients except raisins in bread machine basket. Add the raisins after the rest of the ingredients have mixed for a while. Follow instructions for baking in your bread machine. I set my machine on whole wheat and select the 5-hour setting.

Makes 1 loaf
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Billings, Montana

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## 3 GENERATION FINN E SLAV BREAD

2 packages active dry yeast ( 2 tablespoons)
1 cup warm water
2 cups milk
2 cups water (or 3 cups milk, 1 cup water, or just water)
2 tablespoons honey
2-5 teaspoons salt
1 tablespoon molasses $-1 / 4$ cup molasses
1 tablespoon unsweetened cocoa (optional)
1 cup Prairie Gold or Bronze Chief Flour
$1 ⁄ 2$ cup Finn fiilia (yogurt; optional)
8 cups Natural White Flour
0-4 eggs
4-8 tablespoons soft butter
Add yeast to warm water. In a saucepan, mix and warm milk, water, honey, salt, molasses, and cocoa until blended. Add 1 cup of whole wheat flour to mixture and let rest 15 minutes. Add dissolved yeast and let rest another 15 minutes. Add yogurt. Add 6 cups flour and then add eggs and softened butter. Add and work in remaining flour. Knead until smooth and elastic. Set aside in greased bread bowl. Cover with cloth. Let rise 1-8 hours. If you like, punch it down and let rise again another hour or more.

Form loaves on greased baking sheets or in regular bread pans. Poke rows in tops of loaves with a fork. Let rise until doubled in size, 1 hour or more. Can also be put in freezer and baked later. Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 30-50 minutes, depending on size of loaf.

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## SUNFLOWER SEED HONEY WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

1 cup plus 2 tablespoons warm water
3 tablespoons honey
2 tablespoons butter
1½ cups Natural White Flour
1½ cups Prairie Gold or Bronze Chief Flour
$1 / 4$ cup sunflower seeds
1 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons active dry yeast
Follow your breadmaker instructions to combine and bake.
Makes 1 loaf.
Shared by:
Theresa Lode
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## HONEY WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

3½-4 cups Natural White Flour
2½ cups Prairie Gold or Bronze Chief Flour
2 packages active dry yeast
1 tablespoon salt
1 cup milk
1 cup water
$1 / 2$ cup honey
3 tablespoons shortening
1 egg
In mixing bowl, combine 1 cup white flour, whole wheat flour, yeast, and salt. In a saucepan, heat milk, water, honey, and shortening until warm. Add warm milk mixture to flour mixture. Add egg and, using a mixer, blend on low until moistened. Beat 3 minutes on medium speed. While running mixer on low speed, add in enough remaining white flour to make firm dough. Knead until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl, turning to grease top. Cover and let rise in warm place until doubled in size.

Punch down dough and divide into 2 parts. Form into loaves and place in greased $9 x 5$ " loaf pans. Cover and let rise in warm place until doubled in size.

Bake in preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 35-40 minutes until golden brown.
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Frances Fenton
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## WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

3 cups milk
3 tablespoons shortening
3 teaspoons salt
$1 / 4$ cup honey
$1 / 4$ cup molasses
$3 / 4$ cups rye flour
3 cups Bronze Chief Flour
1 package active dry yeast
$1 / 2$ cup warm water
1½ cups Prairie Gold Flour
Heat milk, shortening, salt, honey and molasses. Cool to lukewarm. In a large bowl, combine rye flour and 3 cups wheat flour. Dissolve yeast in warm water and add to flour mixture. Add cooled liquid. Gradually add remaining $1 \frac{1}{2}$ cups flour to mixture, stirring until dough pulls away from the sides of the bowl, adding more flour if needed. Knead dough with a wooden spoon for about 15 minutes or until smooth and holds an imprint when pressed with finger. Cover and let rise until doubled in size. Knead again and let rise until doubled in size.

Divide dough into 3 loaves and place in greased pans to let rise until doubled in size. Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 40 minutes.

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## MUM'S BREAD

2 tablespoons shortening, melted
4 tablespoons sugar
1 tablespoon salt
$31 / 2$ cups warm water
2 tablespoons active dry yeast
Natural White Flour
Combine shortening, sugar, salt, warm water, and yeast. Add white flour to desired consistency. Let rise 1 hour, punch down and let rise for another hour. Place dough in greased pans and let rise again for 1 hour.

Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 35-45 minutes until golden brown.

Makes 2-3 loaves.
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## WHOLE WHEAT BREAD

1 tablespoon active dry yeast
3 tablespoons warm water
2¼ cups Bronze Chief Flour
1½ cups Natural White Flour
2 teaspoons salt
3 tablespoons maple syrup
2 tablespoons walnut oil
$11 / 3$ cups milk; scalded, then cooled
Combine yeast with warm water and let rest 10 minutes. Mix together flours, salt, syrup, walnut oil, and milk. Add to yeast. Knead, let rise, punch down, shape in breads and let rise again.

Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 35 minutes.
Makes 1 loaf.
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## BREAD MACHINE FAT-FREE FRENCH BREAD

1 cup plus 4 tablespoons water
1 teaspoon lemon juice
1 teaspoon salt
3122 cups Natural White Flour
1 package active dry yeast
Combine all ingredients in bread machine basket. Use French bread setting and follow bread machine directions for baking free-form loaves.

Makes 1 loaf (2 lbs).
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## OATMEAL WHEAT BREAD

2 cups boiling water
1 cup rolled oats
2 teaspoons salt
$1 / 2$ cup molasses
2 tablespoons margarine
2 packages active dry yeast
$1 / 3$ cup warm water (105-115 ${ }^{\circ}$ )
212-3 cups Natural White Flour
1 112 -2 cups Prairie Gold or Bronze Chief Flour
Pour boiling water over rolled oats. Let stand until softened. Add salt, molasses and margarine. Let cool.
Soften yeast in warm water, and add to oat mixture and blend well. Gradually add flours; knead until the dough is smooth and elastic. Put into lightly oiled bowl, turning to coat the dough on all sides. Cover, let rise until doubled in size.

Punch down dough and shape into 2 loaves. Place into 2 loaf pans; $9 \times 5 \times 3$ ". Cover and let rise until doubled in size. Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for $35-40$ minutes.

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## DELICIOUS OATMEAL BREAD

$11 / 2$ cups boiling water
1 cup rolled oats
$3 / 4$ cup molasses
3 tablespoons butter, softened
2 teaspoons salt
1 tablespoon active dry yeast
2 cups warm water
8 cups Prairie Gold Flour
Pour boiling water over oats and let stand. Add molasses, butter, and salt to the oat mixture. Beat and work in enough of the flour to make a medium soft dough. Turn onto floured board and knead until smooth. Place the dough in a greased bowl, cover and let rise in a warm place until doubled in size.

Turn dough onto board and knead again. Divide and shape into 2 loaves. Use 2 greased $9 \times 5$ " loaf pans. Cover and let rise until doubled in size. Bake in preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for 5 minutes, then lower heat to $350^{\circ}$ and bake for 40 minutes or until loaves sound hollow when tapped.

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## CRACKED WHEAT BREAD

2 packages active dry yeast
$1 / 2$ cup warm water
2 cups Cracked Bronze Chief Wheat
5 cups Natural White Flour
$1 / 2$ cup brown sugar
2 tablespoons butter
1 tablespoon salt
2 cups boiling water
Soften yeast in $1 / 2$ cup warm water for 10 minutes. Combine cracked wheat, 2 cups flour, brown sugar, butter, and salt, and pour boiling water over mixture. Cool to warm. Add softened yeast to cracked wheat mixture and gradually beat in rest of flour to make stiff dough. Knead for 8-10 minutes. Place in a greased bowl. Let rise $1 \frac{1}{2}$ hours in a warm place.

Punch down dough, divide into 2 parts and knead into loaves. Place dough into 2 greased loaf pans. Let rise until doubled in size. Bake in preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

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## SHORT-CUT YEAST DOUGH MIX

1-5lb bag of Natural White or Prairie Gold Flour
$21 / 2$ tablespoons salt
1 cup sugar
2 cups non-fat dry milk
In large bowl, combine and stir all ingredients until well blended. Seal in tightly covered container or in heavy plastic bag and store in cool place for up to 1 month, or store refrigerated for 6 months. Stir dough mix well before each use.

## BASIC LOAF RECIPE

1 package active dry yeast
1 cup warm water ( $110^{\circ}$
2 tablespoons margarine or butter, melted
1 egg
3½ cups SHORT-CUT YEAST DOUGH MIX
Dissolve yeast in water. Stir in margarine and egg. Add prepared yeast dough mix and blend well. Knead, add flour as needed to prevent sticking. Place dough in a greased bowl, turn over to coat. Let dough rise until doubled in size, then knead lightly. Shape loaf and place in greased pan. Let dough rise in pan for about 45 minutes. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

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## THREE-WHEAT BATIER BREAD

1 package active dry yeast
$1 / 2$ cup warm water
$1 / 8$ teaspoon ground ginger
3 tablespoons honey
1 (13 ounce) can evaporated milk
1 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons oil
2½ cups Natural White Flour
1 $1 / 4$ cups Prairie Gold or Bronze Chief Flour
$1 / 2$ cup wheat germ
$1 ⁄ 2$ cup Cracked Bronze Chief Wheat
In large bowl, combine yeast, water, ginger and 1 tablespoon honey. Let stand in warm place until bubbly. Stir in remaining honey, milk, salt, and oil. In a separate bowl, stir together flours, wheat germ, and cracked wheat. Add flour mixture to liquid mixture, 1 cup at a time, beating after each addition until well blended. Spoon batter evenly into well-greased, 2 lb coffee can or 2-1lb coffee cans, cover with greased plastic lids. Freeze if you wish to use later. Let rise in a warm place until lids pop off.

Bake in cans without lids in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 45 minutes for 1 lb cans, about 60 minutes for 2 lb cans, or until bread sounds hollow when tapped. Let cool in cans for 10 minutes, then loosen crust around edge of can with thin knife, slide bread from can and let cool.

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## YEAST WHOLE WHEAT MUFFINS

1 package active dry yeast
1 cup warm water
$1 / 2$ cup honey
$1 / 2$ cup oil
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
3 cups Prairie Gold Flour
1 egg, beaten
Sesame seeds
Dissolve yeast in warm water and let sit while creaming together honey, oil and salt. Add 1 cup flour to creamed mixture. Add yeast mixture, egg, and remaining flour. Mix well and keep refrigerated until needed. Put sesame seeds in bottom of muffin pan before putting batter in.

Bake in preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven until doubled in size for 15 minutes.

Makes 15-18 muffins.
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## NEW YORK WATER BAGELS

$11 / 8$ cups water<br>2 teaspoons active dry yeast<br>1 tablespoon oil<br>2 tablespoons malt syrup, molasses, or sugar<br>1 teaspoon salt<br>31⁄3 cups Natural White Flour

Combine water and yeast. Add and mix together remaining ingredients (only 3 cups flour) and knead 10 minutes, adding remaining flour when dough becomes sticky. Put dough in greased container and cover until doubled in size. Test by poking 2 fingers lightly and quickly about $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ into the dough. If the dent stays, the dough is doubled.

To form dough into bagels, separate into 8-10 pieces. Roll each piece into a ball and shape into a bagel by making a hole with 2 floured fingers. Twirl the circle around your index fingers like a hula hoop. Pull out and shape each round. Place onto greased baking sheet and cover with a sheet of greased plastic or a dampened towel. Allow them to rise at room temperature until puffy.

Fill a 4-6 quart pot with water 3-4" deep. Drop bagels one at a time into boiling water. Boil about 4 at a time. Boil for about 30 seconds each side, turning with a spatula. Place back on baking sheet. At this time, toppings can be added; seeds, nuts, etc. To add toppings, beat 1 egg white with $1 \frac{1}{2}$ teaspoons water. Brush on tops with pastry brush and add toppings.

Bake in preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for 20-25 minutes or until top is golden brown.
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## MUM'S BUNS

$11 / 2$ cups lukewarm water
$1 / 4$ cup sugar
1 package active dry yeast
2 eggs, well beaten
1 teaspoon salt
$1 / 4$ cup oil
1 teaspoon vinegar
5 cups Natural White Flour
In a large bowl, combine the water, sugar, and yeast. When the yeast rises to the top of the mixture, add eggs, salt, oil, and vinegar. Mix in flour. Knead well. Let rise only once until doubled in size.

Form into small buns and arrange on a greased baking pan. Let rise until doubled in size. Bake 18-20 minutes in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven.

Makes about 28 buns.
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## WHOLE WHEAT SANDWICH BUNS

2 cups water
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
$1 / 2$ cup nonfat dry milk
1 tablespoon salt
$3 / 4$ cup oil
412-5 cups Natural White Flour
3½ cups Bronze Chief Flour
2 packages active dry yeast
3 eggs, beaten
Milk
Combine water, sugar, dry milk, salt and oil in saucepan. Heat to $120-130^{\circ}$. Stir together 4 cups white flour, $31 / 2$ cups whole wheat flour, and yeast in a mixer bowl. Add the warm liquids and eggs. Beat at low speed for 1-2 minutes, scraping sides of bowl. Beat on high speed 3 minutes, scraping bowl occasionally. Add only enough remaining white flour to make moderately soft dough. Knead until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl; turn to grease top. Cover and let rise until doubled in size.

Punch down. Divide dough into thirds. Cover and let rest 5 minutes. Divide each third into 8 portions. Shape into balls and place on greased baking sheet. Press down with palms of hand into $31 / 2-4$ " rounds. Cover and let rest until doubled in size.

Brush rounds with milk. Bake in preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 12 minutes.
Makes 24 buns.
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## CINNAMON ROLLS

DOUGH:
2 packages active dry yeast
2 cups very warm water (110-115 ${ }^{\circ}$ )
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
2 teaspoons salt
612-7 cups Natural White Flour
1 egg
$1 / 4$ cup butter
FILLING:
$1 / 2$ cup (1 stick) butter, soft
$1 / 2$ cup brown sugar
$1 / 2$ cup granulated sugar
3 tablespoons cinnamon
In mixing bowl, dissolve yeast in water. Add sugar, salt and half of the flour; beat for 2 minutes. Add egg and butter. Gradually beat in rest of the flour until smooth. Place dough in lightly greased bowl. Cover with damp cloth and refrigerate for 8 hours or overnight. Two hours before baking time, remove dough from refrigerator, punch down. Let rise 30-40 minutes.

Roll dough out on a floured surface to a $15 \times 20^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle. Spread softened butter over dough. Sprinkle sugars, followed by cinnamon over entire surface. Roll dough in jellyroll style. Pinch and seal end seams. Cut with bread knife into $2^{\prime \prime}$ thick rolls. Place rolls on a greased $9 \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ pan, about $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ apart. Bake rolls in a preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for $15-20$ minutes. Frost if desired.

Makes 12-16 rolls.
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## ICE BOX CINNAMON ROLLS

DOUGH:
2 packages active dry yeast
$1 / 2$ cup warm water
2 cups lukewarm milk (scalded, then cooled)
$1 / 3$ cup sugar
$1 / 3$ cup oil
3 teaspoons baking powder
2 teaspoons salt
1 egg
5-6 cups Prairie Gold Flour

## FILLING:

$1 / 2$ cup sugar
1 tablespoon cinnamon
4 tablespoons butter, softened
FROSTING:
1 cup powdered sugar
1 tablespoon milk
$1 / 2$ teaspoon vanilla
Dissolve yeast in warm water. Stir in milk, sugar, oil, baking powder, salt, egg, and 2-3 cups flour. Beat until smooth. Mix in remaining flour to make dough easy to handle. Turn dough onto a well floured surface, knead until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl; turn dough once in the bowl to coat. Cover and let rise in warm place until doubled in size.

Grease 2 ( $9 \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ ) pans. Punch down dough, divide into halves. Roll half the dough into a $10 \times 12^{\prime \prime}$ rectangle. Mix $1 / 2$ cup sugar with cinnamon. Spread rectangle with 2 tablespoons butter and sprinkle with half sugar/cinnamon mixture. Roll up dough. Pinch edge of dough into roll to seal. Cut roll into 12 slices. Place rolls on pan. Wrap pan tightly with heavy foil. Repeat with remaining dough. Refrigerate at least 12 hours, but no more than 48 hours.

Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for $30-35$ minutes. Makes 24 rolls.
CARAMEL PECAN ICEBOX ROLLS: before rolling dough into rectangle, heat up 1 cup brown sugar and $1 / 2$ cup light corn syrup until it resembles caramel. Divide caramel mixture between the two pans. Sprinkle each with $1 / 2$ cup pecan halves.

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## DESSERTS




## IDENTITY PRESERVED WHEAT COOKIES

DOUGH:
1 cup shortening
2 eggs
$1 / 2$ cup brown sugar
$11 / 4$ teaspoons vanilla
2 cups Natural White Flour
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 egg whites, slightly beaten
$11 / 2$ cups finely chopped nuts
THUMBPRINT FILLING:
Any flavor jam
$1 / 2$ cup cooked wheat (see page 143)
Combine and mix shortening, eggs, brown sugar and vanilla. Sift together flour and salt, and add to shortening mixture to form dough. Roll dough into 1" balls, dip into egg whites and roll to coat with chopped nuts. Place coated dough balls $1^{\prime \prime}$ apart on an ungreased cookie sheet. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 5 minutes.
Remove from oven and quickly and gently press thumb on top of cookie. Return to heated oven for 8 minutes. Cool.

Combine jam and cooked wheat to make filling. Spoon filling into thumbprint of each cooled cookie.
Makes approximately 12 cookies.
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Three Forks, Montana


## PEANUT COOKIES

$1 / 2$ cup butter or margarine, softened
$1 / 2$ cup peanut butter
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
$1 / 2$ cup brown sugar
1 egg
112 cups Prairie Gold Flour
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking powder
3/4 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 4$ teaspoon salt
Beat butter, peanut butter, sugars, and egg together until light and fluffy. Stir flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt into peanut butter mixture. Shape batter into walnut-sized balls and place onto a lightly greased baking sheet. Dip a fork in flour and flatten dough ball with tines one way, then the other.

Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven until golden brown.
Makes approximately 12 cookies.
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## CARROT-APPLE CAKE

## 4 eggs

1 cup sugar
$1 / 2$ cup oil
1 cup Prairie Gold Flour
1 cup Natural White Flour
2 teaspoons baking soda
1 teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons cinnamon
$11 / 2$ cups grated carrots
$11 / 2$ cups grated apples
1 cup nuts or raisins (optional)
In mixing bowl, beat eggs, sugar, and oil. Add dry ingredients and mix. Stir in carrots, apples, and nuts or raisins. Pour ingredients into a $9 \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ greased pan or a rimmed cookie sheet for snack cake. Bake in a preheated $325^{\circ}$ oven for 40-50 minutes. When cooled, frost with Cream Cheese Frosting.

## CREAM CHEESE FROSTING

3 ounces cream cheese
4 tablespoons butter
3 cups powdered sugar
$1 / 2$ teaspoon vanilla
Soften cream cheese and butter. Add powdered sugar and vanilla, and beat until fluffy.

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## RUSK CAKE

## 16 cups Natural White Flour

3 tablespoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
$41 / 2$ cups ( 9 sticks) butter or margarine
$13 / 4$ cups brown sugar
6 cups bran flakes cereal
4 cups bran
1 cup sunflower seed meats
1 cup raisins
4 eggs, beaten
3 cups buttermilk
Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cut in butter. Add brown sugar. Mix in bran flakes cereal, bran, sunflower seed meats, raisins, eggs and buttermilk. Pour batter into a greased large, deep, rectangular cake pan (for sheet cakes) and bake for 1 hour in a preheated $450^{\circ}$ oven. Cool. Cut into small squares and remove from pan. Let cake pieces sit out until dry.

NOTE: I brought this recipe back from South Africa, where I had been visiting friends. A "rusk" is a hardened cake that keeps forever and is usually dipped in a hot beverage. Great for camping. Use a BIG bowl and your hands for this hefty recipe!

Makes about 32 pieces ( $2 \times 2$ ").
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Penny Clifton
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## GINGER MOLASSES COOKIES

$1 / 2$ cup brown sugar
$1 / 2$ cup shortening
$1 / 2$ cup molasses
3½ cups Natural White Flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon ground ginger
2 teaspoons cinnamon
$1 / 2$ cup buttermilk
$1 / 2$ teaspoon vinegar
Gradually cream sugar into shortening. Stir in molasses. Sift together $1 \frac{1}{4}$ cups flour, baking soda, salt, ginger and cinnamon, and add to molasses mixture. Stir thoroughly. Combine milk and vinegar. Add remaining flour alternately with milk-vinegar mixture to rest of dough. Chill dough for at least 2 hours.

Roll out dough to about $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ thick on floured board. Cut into shapes using cookies cutters. Place on baking sheet (greased and floured) and bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 10-12 minutes.

Makes about 36 cookies.
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## STRAWBERRIES N' CREAM BLONDIES

## CREAM CHEESE MIXTURE:

4 ounces light cream cheese, softened $1 / 2$ teaspoon grated lime rind 1 tablespoon lime juice
$1 / 2$ cup reduced-sugar strawberry preserves or strawberry jam
1 egg
BROWNIE MIXTURE:
2 (1 ounce) squares white baking chocolate
$1 / 2$ cup (1 stick) margarine or butter
1 cup packed brown sugar
$1 / 2$ cup granulated sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
1¼ cups Natural White Flour
In an electric mixer, beat cream cheese, lime rind and lime juice. Add strawberry jam and beat thoroughly. Add egg, mix until smooth. Refrigerate.

Melt white chocolate squares and margarine in a medium saucepan over low heat. Using a wooden spoon, add both sugars, stirring well. Mix in eggs and vanilla. Stir in flour until mixture is smooth. Pour brownie mixture into $13 \times 11 \times 2$ " greased baking dish that has been coated with non-stick cooking spray. Remove cream cheese mixture from refrigerator and drop by tablespoons onto brownie mixture in pan. With a knife, swirl cream cheese mixture into brown mixture. Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

Makes 24 bars.
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Alane Fitzpatrick
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## PRAIRIE GOLD CRUMB CAKE

$3 / 4$ cup ( $11 / 2$ sticks) butter
1 cup dark brown sugar
2 cups Prairie Gold Flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 4$ teaspoon cloves
$1 / 4$ teaspoon nutmeg
$1 / 2$ teaspoon cinnamon
1 egg
1 cup buttermilk
Cream butter and sugar until fluffy. Add flour, cutting it in with a pastry blender until mixture forms very fine crumbs. Reserve 1 cup of this mixture for topping. To the remainder, add soda and spices. Beat egg and milk until blended. Add to spiced mixture and mix until well blended. Spread batter into a well-greased $8 \times 8^{\prime \prime}$ pan and sprinkle reserved crumbs on top. Spread evenly and pat gently into batter. Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 40-50 minutes.

Serves 6.
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Shirlee Gates
Columbus, Montana


## OLD-FASHIONED SUGAR COOKIES

1 cup Oleo (2 sticks)
$13 / 4$ cups sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
3 eggs
$1 / 4$ teaspoon soda
8 ounces sour cream
4 teaspoons baking powder
5-5½ cups Natural White Flour
Thoroughly cream Oleo and sugar. Add vanilla. Add eggs and beat until light and fluffy. Mix soda and sour cream together and add to creamed mixture. Sift flour and baking powder and blend into creamed mixture. Dough should be easy to handle and roll out.

On a lightly flour surface, roll dough to a $1 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ thickness. Cut into desired shape with cutters. Sprinkle cookies with sugar. Bake on an ungreased cookie sheet in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 9 minutes.

Makes about 4 dozen.
Shared by:
Betty Keller
Fairfield, Iowa

## CHOCOLATE CHIP PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES

$1 / 2$ cup butter or margarine ( 1 stick)
$1 / 2$ cup soft shortening
1 cup crunchy peanut butter
1 cup granulated sugar
1 cup brown sugar
2 eggs
2½ cups Natural White Flour
$11 / 2$ teaspoons baking soda
1 teaspoon baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 cups milk chocolate chips
In large bowl, beat butter, shortening, peanut butter, granulated sugar, brown sugar and eggs on medium speed until blended. Stir together flour, baking soda, baking powder, and salt. Gradually add flour mixture to butter mixture, beating until well blended. Stir in chocolate chips. Drop by rounded teaspoons onto ungreased cookie sheet. Bake 8-10 minutes in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven or until set.

Makes about 6 dozen cookies.
Shared by:
Peggy Howe
Billings, Montana

## APPLE CRISP

FILLING:
About 10 apples, peeled \& sliced
$3 / 4$ cup brown sugar
1 teaspoon cinnamon
$1 / 4$ teaspoon nutmeg
$1 / 4$ teaspoon salt
$1 / 4 /$ teaspoon ground ginger
$1 / 4$ teaspoon ground coriander
$1 / 4$ cup Natural White Flour

## TOPPING:

1 cup Prairie Gold Flour
1 cup quick oats
1 cup brown sugar
1 teaspoon cinnamon
Pinch of salt
1 cup butter (2 sticks), melted
Mix all apple filling ingredients and place in a 9x9" greased baking dish.
Mix all topping ingredients. Using a light touch so it doesn't clump up too much, sprinkle the topping over the filling. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for about 40 minutes.

Serves 9.
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## MEGAN'S SCOTTISH SCONES

## 2 cups Natural White Flour

$1 / 2$ cup sugar
2 teaspoons cream of tartar
1 teaspoon baking soda
$3 / 4$ teaspoon salt
$1 / 2$ cup shortening
½-1 cup raisins
2 eggs, slightly beaten
$1 / 4$ cup milk
Sift dry ingredients into a large bowl. Cut in shortening thoroughly. Add remaining ingredients and mix with a fork-do not knead dough. Divide dough in half. Flatten, but don't roll, each half into a small circle about $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ thick. Cut each half into 8 triangles.

Bake on a greased and flour baking sheet in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven.
Makes 16 scones.
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## SWEET CORN-APPLESAUCE CUPCAKES

## 11⁄3 cups Natural White Flour

2/3 cup sugar
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon cinnamon
$1 / 4$ teaspoon nutmeg
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 eggs
1 cup raw "super sweet" corn (about 3 cobs)
$1 / 3$ cup oil
$1 / 2$ cup applesauce
Mix dry ingredients. Stir in remaining ingredients until just moistened. Fill paper-lined muffin cups half full with batter. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

Makes 24 cupcakes.
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Doris Falk
Little Falls, Minnesota


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## APPLE ROLLS

4 cups Natural White Flour
2 tablespoons sugar
2 tablespoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
$21 / 2$ tablespoons shortening
1 egg
Milk
6 medium sized apples, peeled, cored, and sliced
Combine dry ingredients. Cut in shortening until the mixture resembles small peas. Beat egg in cup then add milk to make 1 cup. Mix milk-egg mixture into flour crumbs until dough forms. Roll out dough to $1 / 4$ thick thickness and cover with sliced apples. Roll up like a jellyroll and cut in $1^{\prime \prime}$ slices. Place apple rolls on greased $9 \times 13 \times 2^{\prime \prime}$ baking pan and pour hot Apple Rolls Syrup over. Bake in preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for $35-40$ minutes.

Serves 6-8.

## APPLE ROLLS SYRUP:

2 cups brown sugar
2 cups water
4 tablespoons butter or margarine
2 tablespoons Natural White Flour
Mix together all ingredients and bring to a boil, stirring until smooth. Simmer for 3 minutes. Use hot.
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Margaret Caster
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## GOLDEN TREASURE PIE

2 ( $81 / 2$ ounce) cans crushed pineapple, undrained
$1 / 2$ cup plus $2 / 3$ cups sugar
2 tablespoons cornstarch
2 tablespoons water
1 tablespoon butter
$1 / 4$ cup Natural White Flour
1 cup cottage cheese
1 teaspoon vanilla
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 eggs, slightly beaten
$11 / 4$ cup milk
10" pie shell, unbaked
Combine pineapple, $1 / 2$ cup sugar, cornstarch, and water in a small saucepan. Bring to a boil. Cook 1 minute, stirring constantly. Cool. In a mixing bowl, blend $2 / 3$ cup sugar and butter. Add flour, cottage cheese, vanilla, and salt. Beat until smooth. Slowly add eggs then milk to cottage cheese mixture, beating constantly. Pour pineapple mixture into unbaked pie crust, spreading evenly. Gently pour custard over pineapple being careful not to disturb first layer. Bake in preheated $450^{\circ}$ oven for 15 minutes, then reduce heat to $325^{\circ}$ and bake 45 minutes longer.

Makes 8-10 servings
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Claudia Rees
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## WET BOTTOM SHOOFLY PIE

## 1 cup Natural White Flour

$2 / 3$ cup brown sugar
1 tablespoon butter
1 cup dark Karo syrup or mild flavor molasses
$3 / 4$ cup boiling water
1 egg, beaten
1 teaspoon baking soda
9 " unbaked pie shell
Combine and mix the flour, brown sugar and butter. Reserve $1 / 2$ cup of this crumb mixture for the topping. To the remaining crumbs, add the molasses, boiling water, egg and baking soda; mix well. Put the molasses mixture into the unbaked pie shell. Sprinkle the $1 / 2$ cup of reserved crumbs on top. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

## Serves 8.

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## BANANA CAKE

2½ cups Natural White Flour
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
1½ teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon salt
$1 / 2$ cup shortening, softened
1 cup mashed ripe bananas
2/3 cup buttermilk
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
Combine flour, sugar, baking powder, baking soda, and salt. Add in shortening and banana. Mix in buttermilk, eggs and vanilla. Beat batter for 2 minutes. Pour into greased, floured $9 \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ cake pan. Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 40 minutes.

Serves 16.
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Carleen Eisele
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## GINGER SNAPS

1 cup sugar
1 cup shortening
1 egg
$1 / 4$ cup molasses
2½ teaspoons baking soda
$1 / 4$ teaspoon salt
1½ cups Natural White Flour
$1 ⁄ 2$ cup Bronze Chief Flour
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon cloves
$1 / 2$ teaspoon ground ginger
Cream together sugar and shortening. Add egg, molasses, baking soda, and salt; blend well. In a separate bowl, combine flours, cinnamon, cloves, and ginger. Mix wet and dry ingredients. Refrigerate batter for 30 minutes.

Shape batter into balls using teaspoon and roll in granulated sugar. Place on ungreased cookie sheet (do not press). Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 8-10 minutes.

Makes 4 dozen cookies.
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## CHOCOLATE BUTIERMILK CAKE

2 cups sugar
2 cups Natural White Flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 cup butter (2 sticks)
1 cup water
4 teaspoons cocoa
$1 / 2$ cup buttermilk
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
Combine sugar, flour and baking soda in a mixing bowl. In a small saucepan, combine butter, water and cocoa.
Bring chocolate mixture to a boil, then cool slightly. When cooled, blend chocolate mixture into dry ingredients. Add buttermilk, eggs and vanilla, and beat well. Pour batter into a greased, floured $11 \times 17$ " jellyroll pan. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 20 minutes.

## FROSTING:

$1 / 2$ cup cocoa
3 cups powdered sugar
6 tablespoons butter
4-5 tablespoons milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
Serves 16.
Shared by:
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Dixon, Illinois


## WHEAT MONTANA POPPY SEED CAKE

112 cups Natural White Flour
1½ cups Prairie Gold Flour
$1 / 3$ cup poppy seeds
$21 / 2$ teaspoons baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$3 / 4$ cup ( $11 / 2$ sticks) butter or margarine
$11 / 2$ cups honey
1 teaspoon vanilla
4 eggs
$1 / 2$ cup buttermilk
1 small banana, mashed
$1 / 2$ cup raisins (optional)
Grease and lightly flour a $10^{\prime \prime}$ fluted tube pan, or a $9 \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ pan. Combine the first 5 ingredients. Beat butter about 30 seconds. Add honey and vanilla to butter; beat until fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating 1 minute after each. Combine buttermilk and banana. Add dry ingredients and buttermilk mixture alternately to honey mixture, beating after each addition. Stir in raisins. Pour batter into pan and spread evenly. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 45-55 minutes or until done.

Serves 12.
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Deon Tomsheck
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## 7-GRAIN CAKE

## 1 cup Wheat Montana 7-Grain Cereal

$11 / 2$ cups boiling water
$1 / 2$ cup ( 1 stick) butter, softened
1 cup sugar
1 cup packed brown sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
112 cups Natural White Flour
$11 / 2$ teaspoons baking soda
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon nutmeg
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
In a large bowl, combine 7-Grain Cereal and boiling water. Let stand for 20 minutes. Cream butter and sugars in bowl until light and fluffy. Add eggs and vanilla; mix well. Sift together flour, baking soda, cinnamon, nutmeg, and salt, and add to creamed mixture. Mix in prepared 7-Grain Cereal. Pour batter into a greased, floured $9^{\prime \prime}$ square pan. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 45-50 minutes, or until done.

Serves 9.
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## DEON'S \$200 COOKIES

2½ cups Wheat Montana 7-Grain Cereal
1 cup (2 sticks) butter
1 cup sugar
1 cup brown sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 cups Natural White Flour
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
6 ounces chocolate chips
6 ounces butterscotch chips
1 (4 ounce) sweet chocolate bar, grated
$11 / 2$ cups chopped nuts
Process 7-Grain Cereal in blender to a fine powder. Cream butter and both sugars together. Add eggs and vanilla. Mix together with flour, 7-Grain Cereal powder, salt, baking powder, and baking soda. Add chips, chocolate bar, and nuts. Roll into balls and place $2^{\prime \prime}$ apart on a baking sheet. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 6 minutes.

Makes 5-6 dozen cookies.
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## EASY BLACK FOREST CAKE

6 squares semisweet baking chocolate
$3 / 4$ cup ( $11 / 2$ sticks) butter
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
3 eggs
2 teaspoons vanilla
2½ cups Natural White Flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 4$ teaspoon salt
$11 / 2$ cups water
1 pint heavy whipping cream
$1 / 2$ teaspoon vanilla
2 tablespoons sugar
1 can (29 ounce) of cherry pie filling
Melt chocolate and butter together in a large microwavable bowl for 2 minutes, or until butter is melted. Stir until chocolate is completely melted. Stir sugar into melted chocolate mixture until well blended. Beat in eggs, one at a time, with electric mixer until mixed. Add vanilla, $1 / 2$ cup flour, baking soda, and salt; mix well. Beat in remaining 2 cups of flour alternately with water until smooth. Pour batter into greased, floured $9 \prime$ layer pans. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 35 minutes, or until done.

Cool in pans for 10 minutes. Remove from pans to cool on wire racks. When cake is completely cooled, whip whipping cream with vanilla and sugar. Spread top of bottom cake layer with $1 / 2-3 / 4$ of the can of cherry pie filling. Place top cake layer over cherry pie filling. Frost the rest of cake with whipping cream. Gently spoon remaining cherry pie filling on top of cake.

Serves 12.
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## RASPBERRY CREAM CHEESE COFFEE CAKE

$21 / 4$ cups Natural White Flour
$3 / 4$ cup sugar
$3 / 4$ cup ( $11 / 2$ sticks) butter
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$3 / 4$ cup sour cream
1 egg, beaten
$11 / 2$ teaspoons almond extract
FILLING:
1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese, softened
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
1 egg
TOPPING:
$1 / 2$ cup raspberry jam
$1 / 2$ cup slivered almonds
Combine flour and sugar. Cut in butter. Remove 1 cup of flour mixture and set aside. To the remaining flour mixture, add baking powder, baking soda, salt, sour cream, egg and almond extract. Mix well. Spread batter into bottom and up sides of 9 " spring-form pan. For the filling, beat cream cheese, sugar and egg in a small bowl. Mix well and pour over batter. Spoon jam on top of filling. Sprinkle jam layer with almonds and reserved crumbs. Bake in a preheated oven $350^{\circ}$ oven for 1 hour.

Serves 12.
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## MOUNTAIN COOKIES

1 cup (2 sticks) butter
1 cup powdered sugar
2 teaspoons vanilla
2 cups Natural White Flour
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
FILLING:
1 (3 ounce) package cream cheese, softened
1 cup powdered sugar
2 tablespoons Natural White Flour
1 teaspoon vanilla
$1 / 2$ cup pecans (optional)

## TOPPING:

$1 / 2$ cup chocolate chips
2 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons water
$1 / 2$ cup powdered sugar
In a mixing bowl, combine and cream the butter, sugar and vanilla. Combine flour and salt. Add to creamed mixture and mix well. Roll dough into balls and place on ungreased cookie sheets. Make a deep indentation in each cookie. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 10-12 minutes. For the filling, beat cream cheese, sugar, flour and vanilla in a mixing bowl. Add pecan and mix well. Spoon prepared filling into each cookie. For the topping, heat chocolate chips, butter and water in a small saucepan until melted. Stir in sugar. Drizzle over cookies.

Makes about 24 cookies.
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## TWEEDIES

$1 / 2$ cup (1 stick) butter
2/3 cup sugar
1 1 ² cups Natural White Flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
1 cup milk
2 squares semisweet chocolate, grated
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 egg whites, beaten stiff
TOPPING:
$1 / 3$ cup butter
2 egg yolks
2 cups powdered sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
GLAZE:
1 tablespoon oil
2 squares semisweet chocolate
Walnuts, crushed
Cream butter and sugar. Combine flour, baking powder, and salt. Add dry ingredients alternately with milk and grated chocolate to the creamed mixture. Add vanilla and egg whites. Pour batter on baking sheet with sides. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes. Mix all topping ingredients and spread on top of cookie bars. Melt oil with chocolate for glaze. Drizzle glaze for ribbon or marble effect over icing on cake. Sprinkle with crushed walnuts.

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## CHOCOLATE PEANUT BUTTER BROWNIES

1 cup plus 1 tablespoon Natural White Flour
$1 / 4$ teaspoon baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$3 / 4$ cup ( $11 / 2$ sticks) unsalted butter
3 ounces unsweetened chocolate; finely chopped
3 eggs
$11 / 3$ cups packed dark brown sugar
$11 / 2$ teaspoons pure vanilla
$3 / 4$ cup creamy peanut butter
$1 / 4$ cup sugar
$1 / 4$ teaspoon cinnamon
6 tablespoons cream
Grease $9 \times 13 \times 2$ " baking pan. In small bowl, sift 1 cup of flour, baking powder, and salt. Set aside. In medium saucepan, melt butter and chocolate over very low heat, stirring until smooth. Set aside to cool. In large bowl, combine eggs, brown sugar and vanilla; blend. Stir in melted chocolate mixture. Gradually add flour mixture and stir until blended. Pour batter into prepared pan.

In medium bowl, combine peanut butter, sugar, cinnamon, cream and remaining tablespoon of flour. Mixture will be stiff. Drop mixture randomly by spoonfuls on top of brownie mixture. Drag knife through peanut butter mixture to marbleize. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 25 minutes.

Makes 24 brownies.
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Carol Garlow
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## SNICKERDOODLES

1 cup (2 sticks) butter
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
2 eggs
2½ cups Natural White Flour
2 teaspoons cream of tartar
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 4$ teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons cinnamon
$1 / 4$ sugar
Cream butter, sugar and eggs until fluffy. Sift together flour, cream of tartar, baking soda and salt. Add to creamed mixture. Chill dough for 30 minutes. Mix together cinnamon and sugar. Shape dough into $1^{\prime \prime}$ balls, roll in cinnamon and sugar mixture and place on ungreased cookie sheet. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 12-15 minutes.

Makes about 4 dozen cookies.
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Heidi Lutgen
Sheridan, Montana

## OLD-FASHIONED CHOCOLATE CAKE

## BATTER:

3 cups Natural White Flour
2 cups sugar
1 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons cocoa
2 tablespoons vinegar
$3 / 4$ cup oil
2 teaspoons baking soda
2 teaspoons vanilla
2 cups cold coffee
FROSTING:
$1 / 2$ cup (1 stick) margarine, softened
1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese, softened
1 (16 ounce) box powdered sugar
$1 / 2$ teaspoon vanilla
Mix all batter ingredients in a bowl. Pour batter into a $9 \times 13^{\prime \prime}$ greased, floured pan. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 30-40 minutes.

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## STRUDEL

2¼ cups Natural White Flour
1 cup sour cream
1 cup (2 stick) butter
3 cups pie filling
Combine flour, sour cream, and butter. Mix well to form dough. Chill dough for at least 1 hour. Roll out a quarter of the dough at a time, rolling to a $1 / 8 \prime$ thick rectangle. Spread $3 / 4$ cup pie filling along one side. Roll up jellyroll fashion, very gently, as the dough tears easily. Repeat process with remaining portions of dough. Bake in a preheated $450^{\circ}$ oven for 18-20 minutes.

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## HAPPY HARDTACK

2 cups Bronze Chief Flour
$1 / 2$ cup cornmeal
$1 / 4$ cup sesame seeds, whirled in blender
$1 ⁄ 2$ cup Wheat Montana 7-Grain Cereal
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon nutmeg
$1 / 3$ cup oil
$1 / 2$ cup honey
$1 / 4$ cup molasses
$1 / 2$ cup fruit juice
Combine dry ingredients. Combine wet ingredients separately, then mix both together well. Press batter into a greased $10 \times 15$ " baking sheet with sides. The dough should fill to about $1 / 4$ " thickness. Score with a knife before baking. Bake in a preheated $325^{\circ}$ oven for 45 minutes.

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## PUMPKIN CAKE

## BATTER:

2 cups sugar
$1 / 2$ cup shortening
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 eggs
1 cup cooked, canned pumpkin
2 cups Natural White Flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon nutmeg
$2 / 3$ cup milk
Raisins or nuts (optional)

## FROSTING:

3-4 tablespoons soft margarine
3 tablespoons milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
2-3 cups powdered sugar
Cream sugar, shortening and salt until creamy. Beat in eggs, then add pumpkin. Combine flour, baking powder, baking soda and the spices. Add milk and vanilla alternately with flour mixture to the creamed mixture. Add raisins or nuts to taste. Beat well. Pour batter into a $13 \times 9$ " greased, floured cake pan. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

Combine frosting ingredients in a bowl and mix well. Coat cooled pumpkin cake with frosting.
Serves 6.
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## PUMPKIN COOKIES

1 cup (2 sticks) butter
$11 / 2$ cups sugar
1 egg
1 cup cooked pumpkin
1 teaspoon vanilla
2½ cups Prairie Gold Flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cinnamon
2 cups chocolate chips
Cream together butter and sugar. Beat in egg, cooked pumpkin, and vanilla. In a separate bowl, sift together flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt and cinnamon. Add sifted ingredients to creamed mixture. Mix chocolate chips into batter. Place dollops of batter onto greased cookie sheets. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 15 minutes.

Makes 2 dozen cookies.
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Stephanie Kellogg
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## RHUBARB CRISP

CRUST \& STREUSEL:
2 cups Wheat Montana 7-Grain Cereal
2½ cups Natural White Flour
$11 / 4$ cups sugar
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 cup (2 sticks) margarine
FILLING:
3 cups rhubarb
1 cup sugar
1-2 tablespoons Natural White Flour
Combine 7-Grain Cereal, flour, sugar and baking powder; mix well. Cut in margarine. Mix until moistened.
Reserve 2 cups; set aside. Press remaining mixture onto bottom of $13 \times 9^{\prime \prime}$ baking pan. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 15 minutes.

Cook rhubarb and sugar on stove top until mushy. Add flour to cool mixture slightly. Pour filling over baked crust, then sprinkle reserved 7-Grain Cereal mixture over top, pressing lightly. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 30-35 minutes or until lightly golden brown.

Serves 6.
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Pamela Nordheim
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## GRANDMA'S APPLE CRISP

## 1 cup Natural White Flour

1 cup sugar
4 tablespoons butter
1 egg, lightly beaten
1 teaspoon vanilla
8 apples, peeled and sliced, or about 1 quart of apple slices
In a large mixing bowl, combine the flour and sugar. Using a pastry blender, cut in the butter in pea-sized portions. Add the egg and vanilla to the mixture. Mix together lightly with fork. Set this crumb mixture aside. Placed sliced apples in an $8^{\prime \prime}$ greased glass baking dish. Spread the crumbly mixture evenly over the top of sliced apples. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for $25-30$ minutes or until top is browned and juice of apples is bubbling up around the edges.

Serves 9.
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Joyce Sutton
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## ALMOND CRANBERRY BISCOTTI

2¼ cups Bronze Chief Flour
1 cup sugar
1 teaspoon baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon cinnamon
$1 / 2$ teaspoon nutmeg
2 eggs plus 2 egg whites
1 tablespoon almond or vanilla extract
$11 / 4$ cups dried cranberries
$3 / 4$ cup sliced almonds
Combine dry ingredients in a medium-sized mixing bowl. Whisk together eggs, egg whites, and extract in a separate bowl. Add to dry ingredients, mix just until moist, using an electric mixer on medium speed. Add dried cranberries and almonds; mix well.

On floured surface, divide batter in half and pat each half into a log about $14^{\prime \prime}$ long and $11 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ wide. Place on cookie sheet. Bake in a preheated $325^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes. Remove from oven. Reduce temperature to $300^{\circ}$. Cut biscotti into $1 / 2 \prime$ slices. Place sliced side up on cookie sheet and bake an additional 20 minutes.

Makes 56 biscotti.
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## SUNDAY COFFEE CAKE

$3 / 4$ cup sugar
1½ cups Natural White Flour
$11 / 2$ teaspoons baking powder
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$11 / 2$ teaspoons cinnamon
4 tablespoons butter
$1 / 2$ cup milk
1 egg
Cinnamon sugar mixture to taste
Combine sugar, flour, baking powder, salt and cinnamon; blend. Reserve $1 / 3$ cup of mixture for later. To bulk of mixture, cut in butter. Add milk and egg to main mixture. Pour batter into greased and floured 9 " round pan.
Add additional sugar and cinnamon to taste to the reserved $1 / 3$ cup mixture. Sprinkle on top of batter. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 20-25 minutes.

Serves 6.
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Janet Townsend
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## NORWEGIAN PEPPER COOKIES

## 1 cup sugar

1 cup dark corn syrup
1 cup (2 sticks) butter
1 tablespoon vinegar
2 eggs, slightly beaten
$11 / 2$ teaspoons ground black pepper
1 teaspoon ground ginger
1 teaspoon ground cloves
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1 teaspoon baking soda
5 cups Natural White Flour
Combine sugar, corn syrup, butter and vinegar in a small pan and bring almost to a boil. Cool to room temperature and stir in the eggs. Sift together remaining ingredients and stir into butter mixture; blend well. Chill overnight.

Divide chilled dough into several portions and roll out each on a floured board until very thin. Cut into shapes with a cookie cutter, and place on a greased baking sheet. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 7-8 minutes.

Makes about 225 ( $3^{\prime \prime}$ ) cookies.
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Elaine Hensley
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## AUNTIES SUGAR COOKIES

## 7 cups Natural White Flour

5 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 pound shortening
2 cups sugar
4 eggs, beaten
1 cup milk
Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cut shortening into flour as you would for pastry, until well blended. Stir in sugar. Add eggs and milk; stir thoroughly. If dough is too dry, add more milk, a little at a time. Roll out dough on lightly floured board, cut and sprinkle with sugar. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 10 minutes or until done.

Makes about 21 dozen cookies.
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## COTTAGE CHEESE PIE

2 cups cottage cheese
1 cup sugar
$1 / 4$ cup Natural White Flour
1 teaspoon salt
2 eggs
$3 / 4$ cup cream
Prepared pie shell
Cinnamon to taste
Stir cottage cheese until reduced into small particles. Mix with all other ingredients. Pour into pie shell and sprinkle with cinnamon. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for $30-35$ minutes.

Serves 6.
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## LEBKUCHEN (GERMAN COOKIES)

11⁄4 pounds sugar
1 cup water
1 pint honey
4 tablespoons butter
$11 / 2$ teaspoons cardamom
5 beaten egg yolks or 2 whole eggs
6-8 cups Natural White Flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
Walnuts or almonds (optional)
Combine sugar and water and boil until it spins a thread. Remove from heat. Add honey, stirring constantly. Mix in butter, cardamom, eggs, flour and baking soda. Be careful not to add too much flour. Dough must be pliable. If desired, add walnuts or almonds. Let rise overnight, covered.

Roll out dough, cut out cookies into desired shapes and sizes, and place on a cookie sheet. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 10-12 minutes, or until lightly browned.

This is an old, old German recipe!
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## PIONEER CAKE

3 cups Natural White Flour
2 cups sugar
2 teaspoons baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
6 tablespoons cocoa
$3 / 4$ cup oil
3 tablespoons vinegar
3 tablespoons vanilla
3 cups cold water
Sift first 5 ingredients into ungreased $10 \times 14$ " pan. Mix and make 3 "wells." Into one well add oil, into other well add vinegar, and into last add vanilla. Pour cold water over all. With fork, mix together. Sprinkle with sugar if desired. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for $35-40$ minutes.

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## WHOLE WHEAT PIE CRUST

2½ cups Prairie Gold or Bronze Chief Flour
1 cup (2 sticks) butter or margarine, chilled
1 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon vinegar
1 egg, beaten
6-8 tablespoons ice water
Mix the flour, butter, and salt with a mixer or by hand until the mixture is the size of large peas. With a fork, combine the vinegar, egg and ice water. Blend together all ingredients. Divide dough into 3 equal portions; put 2 in the refrigerator. Roll out one into an $8^{\prime \prime}$ crust and put in pie pan. Do the same with remaining portions, keeping one chilled while the other is being rolled. Bake in a preheated $425^{\circ}$ oven for 8 minutes.

Makes 3 single crusts.
Shared by:
Deena Gobbs,
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## QUICK CARAMEL PEACH PUDDING

1 cup Natural White Flour
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 cup milk
$1 / 4$ teaspoon almond extract
2 cups sliced fresh peaches
CARAMEL TOPPING:
$1 / 2$ cup sugar
$1 / 4$ teaspoon nutmeg
2 cups brown sugar
$11 / 4$ cups water
1 tablespoon butter
Mix flour, sugar, salt and baking powder. Stir in milk and almond extract. Fold in peaches. Spread mixture in an $8^{\prime \prime}$ or $9 "$ square pan.

Combine topping ingredients in saucepan and heat until dissolved. Pour heated caramel topping over batter and bake in preheated $400^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes.

Serves 4-6.
Shared by:
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## PRAIRIE GOLD RANGER COOKIES

1 cup sugar
1 cup brown sugar
3 eggs, beaten
1 cup shortening
1 teaspoon vanilla
$1 / 2$ teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
2 cups Prairie Gold Flour
2 cups corn flakes
1 cup coconut
2 cups Wheat Montana 7-Grain Cereal
2 cups chocolate chips
$1 / 2$ cup sunflower seed meats
Cream together first 5 ingredients until fluffy. Sift together next 4 ingredients and stir into creamed mixture. Add remaining ingredients to mixture. Use hands to blend in; mixture will be stiff.

Form dough into balls about $1 \frac{1}{2 \prime \prime}$ in diameter. Bake in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for $10-15$ minutes.

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## WHEAT SALAD

1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese, softened
1 (6 ounce) package vanilla instant pudding
3 tablespoons lemon juice
1 (15 ounce) can crushed pineapple with juice
8 ounces Cool Whip
1½ cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
Combine cream cheese with pudding mix and mix well. Stir in lemon juice and pineapple with juice. Fold in Cool Whip. Stir well, gently stirring in cooked wheat in order to keep the kernels whole. Chill.

Serves 4-6.
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## BERRY SUPREME SALAD

4 hard-boiled eggs, chopped
4 sweet pickles, chopped
$1 / 2$ cup chopped onion
$1 / 2$ cup diced cheddar cheese
1 cup diced celery
1 cup mayonnaise
4 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
2 tablespoons chopped pimento
1 cup diced lunch meat or cooked ham
Salt to taste
Combine all ingredients, mix well, and refrigerate at least 4 hours before serving.

Serves 6-8.
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## WHEAT BERRY E MUSHROOM SALAD

MARINADE:
$1 / 4$ cup oil
$1 / 4$ cup white vinegar
1 clove garlic, minced
1 tablespoon Dijon Mustard
$11 / 2$ teaspoons oregano
$1 / 4$ teaspoon salt
$1 / 8$ teaspoon pepper

## SALAD:

3 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
$1 / 4$ pound fresh or canned mushrooms
1 small can black olives
$1 / 4$ cup chopped green pepper
Mix together marinade ingredients and let sit overnight. Combine salad ingredients and add to marinade.
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## SEAFOOD BERRY SALAD

1 large, ripe pineapple
3 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
$1 / 2$ cup snipped parsley
1 cup ripe olives, chopped
4 green onions, sliced
$1 / 3$ cup mayonnaise
3 tablespoons French dressing
$1 / 2-1$ teaspoon curry powder
$3 / 4$ cup diced celery
1 cup seafood (crab, shrimp, tuna) or 1 cup turkey or chicken
Salt and pepper to taste
Split pineapple in half lengthwise. Hollow out shells. Cube pineapple meat; reserve. Chill shells and cubed pineapple. Combine all other ingredients except seafood, salt and pepper. Chill for several hours or overnight. Just before serving, add seafood and 1 cup of cubed pineapple. Season to taste. Pile salad into hollow shells and serve.

Serves 8.
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## GRANDMA FRAN'S "COOL SALAD"

1 cup cooked string beans (measure after cooking)
1 cup diced cooked carrots (measure after cooking)
1 cup cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
1 cup diced cheddar cheese
1 cup diced cooked ham
4 hard-boiled eggs, diced
2 cups Romaine lettuce, chopped
2 tomatoes, diced
Combine all ingredients and mix with French dressing to taste. Serve on lettuce leaf.

Serves 8.
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## POTATO E WHEAT SOUP

2 large potatoes, diced
1 tablespoon onion, minced
1 cup milk
1 cup water
1 ( $103 / 4$ ounce) can cream of potato soup
2 tablespoons butter
$1 / 2$ cup cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
Combine potatoes and onion in milk and water. Add potato soup, butter and wheat. Simmer 30 minutes.

Serves 4.
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## HEADWATERS WHEAT CHILI

2 cups Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat berries
7 cups water
1½-2 pounds browned hamburger (drained well)
2 (16 ounce) cans stewed tomatoes with juice
1 (16 ounce) can tomato sauce
2 tablespoons chili powder
$1 / 4$ teaspoon cumin
Chopped green peppers, onion, celery to taste (optional)
The night before you with eat the chili, combine wheat berries and water in a crockpot. Cook overnight on low.

Add remaining ingredients and continue simmering for 3-4 hours.
Makes 10 healthy servings.
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## WHEAT CHILI

2 cups Prairie Gold Wheat berries
3 cups water
1 pound extra lean ground beef
1 large onion, chopped
1 green pepper, chopped
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon chili powder
$1 / 8$ teaspoon cayenne pepper
$1 / 8$ teaspoon black pepper
1 (8 ounce) can tomato paste
1 (8 ounce) can whole tomatoes
4 cups beef broth
Cook wheat berries in water for 1 hour until tender; add more water if necessary. Drain and rinse with cool water. In a skillet over medium heat, brown beef and onion; drain in a colander and rinse with hot water. Stir in remaining ingredients. Simmer uncovered 1 hour or until desired consistency is reached. Stir occasionally.

Serves 6.
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## POT PIE SQUARES

2 eggs
2 cups Natural White Flour
2-3 tablespoons milk or cream
Break the eggs into the flour and work together. Add the milk to make a soft dough. Roll out the dough as thin as possible and cut into $1 \times 2$ " rectangles with a knife or pastry wheel. Cook in Chicken Pot Pie Soup, below.

## CHICKEN POT PIE SOUP

1 ( $312-4$ pound) chicken
4 medium sized potatoes, peeled and cut into chunks
1 onion, diced
Salt pepper to taste
Pot Pie Squares (see above)
Cook the chicken in 2 quarts water until it is partly tender. Then add the potatoes and onion. Cook until vegetables and chicken are completely tender. Retain broth with vegetables. Remove meat from bones and set aside. Bring broth to a boil. Drop Pot Pie Squares into boiling broth and cook 20 minutes or until tender. Return chicken to the broth and serve hot.

Serves 6-8.
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## RIWELS

$3 / 4$ cup Natural White Flour
1 egg
Put flour in bowl. Break egg into flour and mix with a fork until dry and crumbly. Crumble this mixture into the soup (below) and stir occasionally so that rivvels separate.

## CHICKEN CORN SOUP

1 (3-4 pound) fryer chicken, cut up
Salt to taste
2 quarts corn (frozen, fresh, or canned)
Rivvels (optional, see above)
3-4 hard-boiled eggs, diced
Pepper to taste
In large kettle, cover chicken pieces with water. Salt to taste, cook until tender. Cut meat off bones and dice into bite-sized pieces. Return chicken to broth, add corn and return to boil. Stir in rivvels and eggs and cook until rivvels are cooked through and float on the soup's surface. Add pepper and serve.

Makes 8-10 servings.
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## WHEAT SALAD

112 cups uncooked Prairie Gold or Bronze Chief Wheat berries
1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese
1 (15-16 ounce) can crushed pineapple, in juice
1 (5 ounce) package instant pudding, pistachio flavored
3 tablespoons lemon juice
1 (12 ounce) container whipped topping
Cook wheat berries in 6 cups of water. Bring to boil, turn to low or simmer; cook for 1 hour. Check berries for tenderness. If not tender, continue cooking on low until easy to chew. At any time during cooking, you may add water so the berries don't cook dry. When the berries are tender and easy to chew, remove from heat. Drain colander, wash with cold water, then drain until all moisture is gone. You can cook the berries the day before needed, then refrigerate in container with tight fitting lid.

In a large mixing bowl, combine cream cheese with crushed pineapple and juice, dry pudding, and lemon juice. Add cooled cooked wheat, mix well, add whipped topping last. Transfer mixture to a small container with tight fitting lid. Can be refrigerated up to a week.

Makes 12-15 servings.
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## COOKED WHEAT

1 cup cleaned, rinsed, raw Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat kernels
3 cups water
Combine all ingredients, cover, and let sit overnight or for 12 hours. Do not drain. Place soaked wheat over heat and boil about 5 minutes, then simmer until tender, about 30 minutes.

Or, combine wheat kernels and water and place in a $225^{\circ}$ oven for 6 hours. Keep covered with water. Rinse until water is clear. Drain.

Store in freezer in plastic zip-locked bags. Frozen wheat will last more than 1 year. Cook large batches and freeze for later use.

1 cup uncooked wheat = 2 cups cooked wheat.
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## RANCH WHEAT CASSEROLE

1 cup cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
$1 / 2$ cup tomato paste or tomato juice
2 tablespoons molasses
$2 / 3$ cup water
2 tablespoons brown sugar
$1 / 2$ teaspoon dry mustard
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
1-2 tablespoons onion, minced
4 slices bacon
Combine first 8 ingredients and top with bacon. Cover and bake 45 minutes in a preheated $325^{\circ}$ oven. Uncover and bake an additional 40 minutes.

Serves 4.
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## INSTANT CEREAL

3 cups water
11⁄3 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
1 (32 ounce) insulated jug
Combine water, cooked wheat, and salt in a saucepan. Bring to a boil; simmer for 5 minutes. Pour into an insulated bottle or picnic jug. Close. Let stand overnight. In the morning, the wheat is tender, ready to use, and even hot! Add milk and sweetener for a tasty "instant" breakfast.

Serves 5.
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## SWEET \& SOUR WHEAT CASSEROLE

1 pound hamburger
1 teaspoon Johnny's seasoning salt
1 cup onion, chopped
3 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
1 cup diced celery
1 (8 ounce) can tomato sauce
$1 / 2$ cup water
$1 / 3$ cup brown sugar
$1 / 2$ cup catsup
1 tablespoon vinegar
1 tablespoon prepared mustard
In a frying pan, brown hamburger with seasoning salt and onion. Add other ingredients. Combine and put into a $9 \times 12^{\prime \prime}$ casserole dish. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for $1 \frac{1}{2}$ hours.

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## CREAM OF WHEAT CASSEROLE

2 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
1 tablespoon dried minced onions
2 tablespoons chopped pimento
1 ( $103 / 4$ ounce) can cream of chicken soup
1 cup sour cream
5 ounces cubed Velveeta Cheese
Dash pepper
1 (2.8 ounce) can French-fried onion rings.
Combine and mix first 7 ingredients and bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven until bubbly and brown. Top with French-fried onion rings and bake 10 minutes longer.

Serves 4-6.
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## VERY VEGGIE

2 large carrots, chopped
2 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
1 head cauliflower, separated into flowerets
2 ( $103 / 4$ ounce) cans cream of mushroom soup
2 teaspoons celery salt
1 teaspoon pepper
Bring to a boil the carrots and cooked wheat. Cook 20 minutes. Add cauliflower and cook 15 minutes longer. Combine remaining ingredients and serve.

Serves 6.
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## WHEAT DUMPLINGS

$1 / 2$ cup cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
4 tablespoons chicken or turkey broth
1 egg
$1 / 2$ teaspoon poultry seasoning (or sage, parsley, thyme, salt, etc)
1 cup Natural White Flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
Combined cooked wheat, broth, and egg in a blender and beat well. In a separate bowl, combine seasoning, flour and baking powder. Mix and drop into broth mixture. Cook uncovered over medium heat in skillet or large saucepan for 10 minutes, then cook covered for 10 minutes.

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## WHEAT PILAF

4 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
3 tablespoons butter or margarine
1 ( $1 \frac{1}{2}$ ounce) package dry onion soup mix
2 cups water
1 (4 ounce) can sliced, drained mushrooms
Sauté cooked wheat in butter. Add remaining ingredients. Place in greased $1 \frac{1}{2}$ quart casserole dish. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for $1 \frac{1}{2}$ hours. Check, and add more water if needed.

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## WHEAT PUDDING

2 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
3 eggs, slightly beaten
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
$21 / 2$ cups milk
$1 / 3$ cup honey
$1 / 8$ teaspoon salt
Fruit for topping
Blend all ingredients except fruit. Pour into a buttered 2 quart baking dish. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 1 hour or until set. Serve warm, topped with berries, applesauce, or sliced fruit.

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## WHEAT SNACKS

Place drained cooked wheat (see page 143) on paper towel. Salt lightly. Place in shallow pan in oven for 10 minutes. Preheat oil to $375^{\circ}$ in small deep pan (not an electric skillet). Carefully place small amount of cooked wheat in oil (moisture causes oil to bubble). When kernels rise to the surface, remove with slotted spoon and place on paper towels to absorb excess oil. Season with salt, seasoned salt, or flavored salts such as ham, smoke, or hickory. Grated parmesan cheese may also be used for flavor. To make crispier, place fried wheat in shallow pan and bake in a $350^{\circ}$ oven 8-10 minutes. Store in a cool, dry place.

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## WHEAT MONTANA 7-GRAIN CEREAL WITH APPLES E NUTS

2 cups Wheat Montana 7-Grain Cereal
2 medium apples, diced
$1 / 2$ cup walnuts or almonds
1 teaspoon cinnamon
2 tablespoons maple syrup or honey
Cook cereal per package directions. Stir in remaining ingredients.
Serves 4.
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## WHEAT RELISH

6 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
11⁄2 cups vinegar
1 cup oil
2 tablespoons sugar
$11 / 2$ teaspoons garlic salt
1 clove garlic, minced
1 cup celery, diced
1 cup onion, chopped
$3 / 4$ teaspoon basil
$1 / 4$ teaspoon tarragon
$1 / 4$ cup dried parsley
$1 / 2$ teaspoon dill weed
$1 / 4$ teaspoon pepper
2 teaspoons salt
2-3 tablespoons dry, mixed dehydrated vegetables
Mix all ingredients thoroughly. Refrigerate or process in hot water bath as for pickles. Excellent on roasts, fish, baked potatoes, salads, and sandwiches. Will store refrigerated for 2-3 weeks.

Makes 6-7 cups.
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## SOUTH OF THE BORDER

1 pound hamburger
$1 / 2$ cup chopped onion
$1 ⁄ 2$ cup chopped green pepper
3 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
1 tablespoon chili powder
1 (15 ounce) can creamed corn, drained
1 can whole kernel corn, drained
1 (15 ounce) can tomato sauce
1 teaspoon garlic salt
1 cup shredded cheddar cheese
Sauté hamburger, onion and green pepper in a skillet over medium heat until browned and cooked through.
Drain grease and add cooked wheat, chili powder, corn, tomato sauce, and salt.

Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 30 minutes. Put shredded cheddar cheese on top. Bake 15 minutes more. Makes great tacos.

Serves 4-6.
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## WHEAT E MEAT CASSEROLE

$11 / 2$ pounds hamburger
$1 / 4$ cup chopped onion
1 cup chopped celery
1 cup cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
1 (8 ounce) can tomato sauce
$1 / 2$ cup catsup
$1 / 4$ teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon plus $1 / 4$ teaspoon salt
2 cups mashed potatoes
1 beaten egg
1 tablespoon Natural White Flour
Brown meat, onion, and celery in a skillet over medium heat. Add cooked wheat, tomato sauce, catsup, pepper and 1 teaspoon salt to the skillet. Combine. Put browned meat mixture into a $9 \times 12^{\prime \prime}$ baking dish.

Combine mashed potatoes, egg, $1 / 4$ teaspoon salt, and flour, and add to the top of casserole. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 1 hour.

Serves 4.
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## WHOLE WHEAT ZUCCHINI QUICHE

1 pie crust, baked
1 $1 / 4$ cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
2 eggs
1 egg yolk
1 cup peeled, cooked, mashed zucchini
$11 / 2$ cups milk
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
8 ounces cheddar cheese, shredded
Line bottom of crust with cooked wheat. Combine remaining ingredients and pour on top of wheat. Bake in a preheated $325^{\circ}$ oven for 40 minutes.

Serves 6.
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## WHOLE WHEAT CASSEROLE

1 pound hamburger, bacon, or sausage
$1 / 2$ cup chopped onion
2 cups cooked Bronze Chief or Prairie Gold Wheat (see page 143)
$1 / 4$ teaspoon pepper
1 (8 ounce) can tomato sauce
$1 / 2$ cup catsup
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$1 / 2$ teaspoon garlic salt
2 (8 ounce) cans tomatoes, diced
Dash liquid smoke or 1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
Brown meat and onion in a frying pan. Drain and add other ingredients. Place in greased $9 \times 12^{\prime \prime}$ casserole dish. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for $1 \frac{1}{2}-2$ hours.

Serves 4-6.
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## AXELROD E REBA'S PEANUT BUTTER DOG BISCUITS

## 3 cups Prairie Gold Flour

$1 / 2$ cup rolled oats
2 teaspoons baking powder
112 cups milk
$11 / 4$ cups peanut butter
1 tablespoon molasses
Combine flour, oats, and baking powder in a large bowl. Using a food processor or blender, mix the milk, peanut butter, and molasses until smooth. Add to the dry ingredients. Using your hands, knead the ingredients together. Dough will be quite stiff.

Roll out the dough to $1 / 4 \prime$ thickness and cut with cookie cutters. Bake in a preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for 20-25 minutes or until lightly browned. Turn off the heat and leave the biscuits in the oven until cool. Store in airtight container.

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## CHEDDAR PARMESAN POTATOES

4 tablespoons butter or margarine
$1 / 4$ cup Natural White Flour
2 cups milk
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
1 cup shredded cheddar cheese
$1 / 2$ cup grated parmesan cheese
5 cups sliced potatoes
$1 / 4$ cup buttered bread crumbs
In a saucepan, melt butter over low heat. Stir in flour until smooth. Gradually add milk; cook and stir over medium heat until mixture thickens. Remove from heat. Add the salt, cheddar cheese, and parmesan cheese. Stir mixture until cheeses melt. Add potatoes; stir gently to mix. Place in greased 2 quart baking dish. Sprinkle bread crumbs on top. Bake uncovered in preheated $350^{\circ}$ oven for $30-35$ minutes.

Makes 6-8 servings.
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## CHEESE STRAWS

$3 / 4$ pound sharp cheddar cheese, grated
$3 / 4$ cup ( $11 / 2$ sticks) margarine, softened
2½ cups Natural White Flour
$3 / 4$ teaspoon salt
$3 / 8$ teaspoon cayenne pepper
Blend cheese and margarine. Gradually add dry ingredients. Flatten dough to $1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ thickness; refrigerate 1 hour. Cut into thin strips and twist. Bake in a preheated $375^{\circ}$ oven for 10 minutes. Don't brown. Store in airtight container.

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## SOURDOUGH STARTER

1 cup warm water
1¼ cup plus 1 teaspoon Natural White Flour
1 teaspoon sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1 medium potato, raw and grated
Mix all ingredients and place in glass jar or crock. Cover with cheesecloth, so wild yeast in the air can settle on it for 24 hours. Then place lid (not sealed) on jar and allow to ferment for 2 weeks. Keep in covered jar at temperature less than $70^{\circ}$.

Follow your favorite recipe for baking bread or pancakes using sourdough starter.

Always add same amount of flour and water to jar as amount you take out for recipe.

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## WAFFLE SAUCE

$23 / 4$ plus $1 / 4$ cups milk
$2 / 3$ cup sugar
3 tablespoons Natural White Flour
1 tablespoon butter
1 tablespoon vanilla
Heat $23 / 4$ cups milk; mix in sugar and flour. Stir in the remaining $1 / 4$ cup milk. Boil mixture until thickened. Add butter and vanilla. Pour over hot waffles.

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## WHEAT

Bronze Chief ${ }^{\oplus}$ Hard Red Spring Wheat (5 lb bags, 25 lb bags, 50 lb bags, 45 lb pails) - High Protein Hard Red Spring Wheat. This is the wheat that founded our business. Naturally air dried, plump kernels, low moisture, and excellent baking quality. Chemical Free or Organic available. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Prairie Gold ${ }^{\circledR}$ Hard White Spring Wheat (5 lb bags, 25 lb bags, 50 lb bags, 45 lb pails) - This is the wheat that started a revolution in bread baking. Since we first started selling Prairie Gold ${ }^{\circledR}$ in 1988, thousands of home, specialty and commercial bakers have discovered the unique characteristics of this grain. Its naturally golden color makes $100 \%$ whole-wheat baked foods that are lighter and sweeter. It is excellent in all bread recipes, cookies, piecrusts and more. Chemical Free or Organic available. GMO Free. Kosher Certified

Hard Red Winter Wheat (50 lb bags, 45 lb pails) - High protein hard red winter wheat. Comparable to our Bronze Chief ${ }^{\circledR}$ hard red spring wheat. Winter wheat is preferred by many for growing wheat grass. It is also excellent for whole grain bread products. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Soft White Wheat (50 lb bags) - Soft white wheat is generally used for cookies, crackers and other baked goods that do not require high gluten content. This grain is lower in protein. It is not intended for making great bread, but it will perform well in most other baking applications. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

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## FLOUR

Natural White ${ }^{T M}$ Unbleached White Flour (5 lb bags, 10 lb bags, 25 lb bags, 50 lb bags) Organic available 50 $l b-T h i s ~ i s ~ t h e ~ h i g h e s t ~ p r o t e i n ~ u n b l e a c h e d ~ w h i t e ~ f l o u r ~ a v a i l a b l e . ~ Y o u ~ w i l l ~ f i n d ~ i t ~ t o ~ b e ~ t h e ~ b e s t ~ w h i t e ~ b a k i n g ~$ flour you've ever used. Carefully milled to exact specifications and enriched with B-vitamins, niacin and iron. We also add a small amount of malted barley flour to this blend for further enhancement of final product consistency. Whether you are baking at sea level or high altitude, this flour will perform to your highest expectations. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Bronze Chief ${ }^{\circledR}$ Whole Wheat Flour (5 lb bags, 10 lb bags, 25 lb bags, 50 lb bags)Organic available 50 lb - This is our own Bronze Chief ${ }^{\circledR}$ wheat ground finely, with your baking interests in mind. By milling this flour ourselves we control the speed of the grind. We go slow and make sure that heat gain during the process doesn't destroy the protein, vitamins or baking quality. We believe that this is the highest quality, traditional, whole-wheat flour available in the world. $100 \%$ whole-wheat flour. Chemical Free. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Prairie Gold ${ }^{\circledR}$ Whole Wheat Flour (5 lb bags, 10 lb bags, 25 lb bags, 50 lb bags)Organic available 50 lb Literally thousands of bakers have told us that they wouldn't use anything else. This flour, ground from our Prairie Gold ${ }^{\circledR}$ wheat, will delight you, your family and your customers in every way. It's so versatile it can be substituted for white flour in some recipes, giving your baked goods unique flavor, plus all of the benefits of whole wheat. 100\% whole-wheat flour. Chemical Free. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Whole Spelt Flour (50 lb bags) Organic available - A primitive relative of our present day wheat. Although Spelt contains gluten, many people with wheat allergies or gluten intolerance can tolerate it. Spelt flour can be substituted, in most recipes, for whole-wheat flour. Chemical Free. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Whole Grain Pastry Flour (50 lb bags) - This whole grain flour is a great option for a healthy version of cookies, pie crusts, pizza crust, cakes and other pastry items. GMO Free, Kosher Certified.


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## SPECIALTY GRAIN

Rolled Oats ( $\mathbf{3}$ lb bags, $\mathbf{5 0} \mathbf{l b}$ bags) - Rolled oats have been and continue to be, a mainstay in the modern diet. High in healthy fiber, nutrition and made more versatile and digestible by the rolling process. Our rolled oats are table grade resulting from the flaking of cleaned, steamed groats. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.
Oat Groats (50 lb bags) - By groating the kernel, we remove the hull, leaving just the most palatable part. Our oat groats are soft, chewy and packed full of flavor. Oats are among the most nutritionally beneficial grains available today. Our groats are produced from select, sound, clean, hulled, heavy test weight, white oats. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Steel Cut Oat Groats (50 lb bags) - A great old fashioned cereal with a hearty flavor and crunchier texture than rolled oats. GMO Free, Kosher Certified.

Whole 7-Grain Mix (25 lb bags) - This unique blend of seven whole grains covers all of the bases. Protein, Nutrition, Vitamins, Fiber and Flavor. Made from a hearty combination of hard wheat, soft wheat, triticale, rye, oats, pearled barley and spelt. You can use it whole, soak it, crack it, or grind flour suitable for baking. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Rolled 7-Grain Mix (3 lb bags, 50 lb bags) - It's so easily digestible; you can eat it by the handfuls right out of the bag. You'll enjoy these rolled flakes either as a bread ingredient, topping, or cereal (cold or hot). We've sold hundreds of thousands of bags of this mix to customers across the nation that continue to find new uses for one of our most versatile and popular products. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Cracked 9-Grain Mix - Similar to our 7-Grain Mix with the addition of durum wheat and brown flax seed. Most folks report a nuttier flavor with this unique blend. Bakeries usually like this one better. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.

Golden Flax Seed (25 lb bags) - Golden Flax seed has the natural properties of fiber, lignans and Omega-3 fatty acids that provide preventative and restorative abilities to your diet. GMO Free.

Kamut ${ }^{\oplus}$ khorasan wheat (50 lb bags) - Kamut is a registered trademark of Kamut International, Ltd. This is an ancient relative to wheat. You'll enjoy these thick, long grained, bronze kernels. Kamut ${ }^{\circledR}$ is high in protein, and easily digestible. It is currently being used in cereal, crackers and bread products nationwide. Licensing agreements keep this product in limited supply. Kamut ${ }^{\circledR}$ is certified organic. Kosher Certified. GMO Free

Spelt Berries (50 lb bags) Organic available- The origin of spelt has been traced all the way back to the first cultivation's of grain, around 500 BC. Today it has found its niche in the human food industry as a substitute for wheat or other gluten containing grains. Many who have allergic reactions to regular grains are able to consume spelt and still enjoy a diet with grain protein and soluble fiber. This grain is a little tougher to bake with, but most bakers manage predictable results in a full spectrum of gluten free baked products. Chemical Free. GMO Free. Kosher Certified.


NOTE: All products packaged in 45 lb plastic pails contain an oxygen-absorbing packet. The term "berries" refers to the whole kernel form of the grain. All grains store best in cool, dry conditions. Bugs will infest grain and flour if heat and humid conditions exist. Keep your products cool and dry. Our facilities are USDA, FDA, US Army, and State of Montana inspected and certified as a food quality processing plant. We are inspected and certified to process and package Certified Organic products under OCIA authority.

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