NUCHAHNULTH HEALTHY RECIPE CALENDAR 2021

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PREP TIME: 10min READY IN: 15min SERVINGS: 2

makes 4 pancakes

INGREDIENTS:

- 1 medium banana, mashed
- 2 eggs
- ½ cup traditional rolled oats
- 1 tablespoon olive oil

DIRECTIONS:

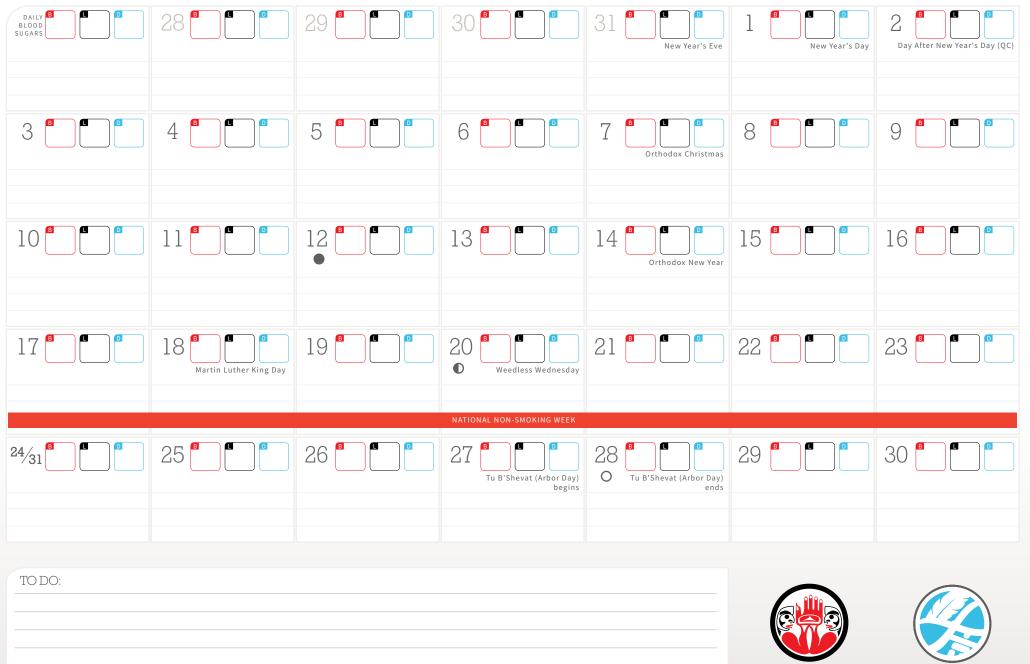
- 1. Mix all ingredients together in a medium bowl.
- 2. Let the mixture sit for 5-10 minutes to thicken. If it looks to runny add more oats.
- 3. Heat the oil in frying pan over medium heat. Take 1/3 cup of the batter and add it to the pan, repeating with remaining batter. Cook the pancakes for 2 minutes each side.
- 4. These pancakes also taste great blended before adding the batter to the frying pan blend the pancakes batter for smoother pancakes.
- TIP: Top the pancakes with peanut butter (natural is best) and sweeten naturally with sliced banana or fresh berries.

NUTR	ITION:					
CAL:	200	FIBRE:	3.5G	POTASSIUM	: 350MG	
FAT:	6.5G	SUGAR:	8G	CALCIUM:	3.5%	
S.FAT:	1.9G	PROTEIN:	9.5G	IRON:	9%	
CARBS:	27G	SODIUM:	65MG	ZINC:	4.5%	

3 INGREDIENT BANANA OAT PANCAKES

by Rachel, dietitian

JANUARY 2021



MELODY'S HALIBUT CHOWDER

PREP TIME: 10min COOK TIME: 50min SERVINGS: 2

INGREDIENTS

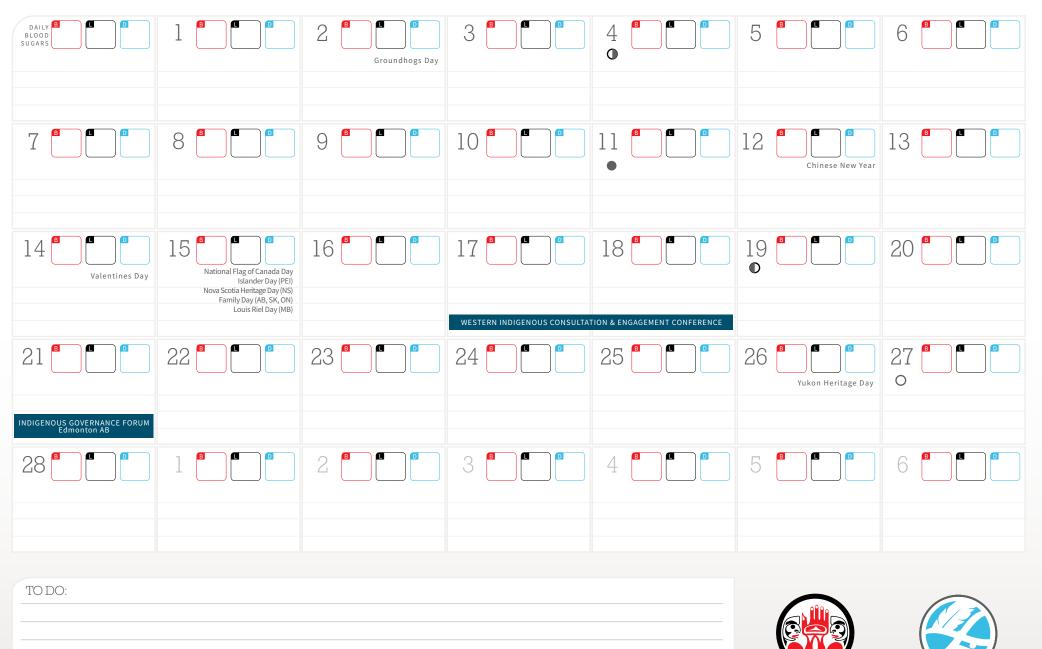
- ½ cup butter
- 2 small onions, diced
- 2 large carrots, diced
- 2 stalks celery, diced
- 3 medium potato, diced
- 3 cups chicken broth
- ½ cup corn
- 1 tbsp dried basil
- 1 tbsp celery salt
- 2 tbsp smoked paprika
- ¹/₂ tsp pepper
- 3 dashes tabasco sauce
- 15 oz Halibut, cut into chunks
- 2 cups almond milk
- 1 small can coconut milk

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Heat the butter over medium heat in a large soup pot. Add the onions, carrots and celery and fry for about 5 minutes. Cover with the lid and let cook for an additional 5 minutes.
- 2. Add the potato, stock and spices and cook for about 15 minutes or until the potato is almost cooked through.
- 3. Add the halibut chunks, corn, almond milk and coconut milk and cook for 3 to 5 minutes or until the halibut is cooked through. Tastes and season as desired.
- 4. Use up any leftover vegetables you have at home. Try adding cauliflower and mushrooms. Use any leftovers in Fish Tacos (August).

NUTRITION:					
CAL:	395	FIBRE:	5G	POTASSIUM: 1100MG	
FAT:	22G	SUGAR:	5G	CALCIUM: 25%	
S.FAT:	12.5G	PROTEIN:	23G	IRON: 12%	
CARBS:	26G	SODIUM:	680MG	ZINC: 6%	

FEBRUARY 2021 HEART MONTH



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PREP TIME: 15min COOK TIME: 20min SERVINGS: 4

INGREDIENTS

- 1 tbsp oil
- 1 onion, sliced
- 1 tbsp garlic, minced (optional)
- 1 tbsp ginger, minced (optional)
- 6 cups of vegetables, chopped (carrot, broccoli, cauliflower, mushroom, zucchini, green beans, peppers, snow peas)
- 2 tbsp soy sauce
- 15 oz (500g) herring roe (k^wakmis)

DIRECTIONS

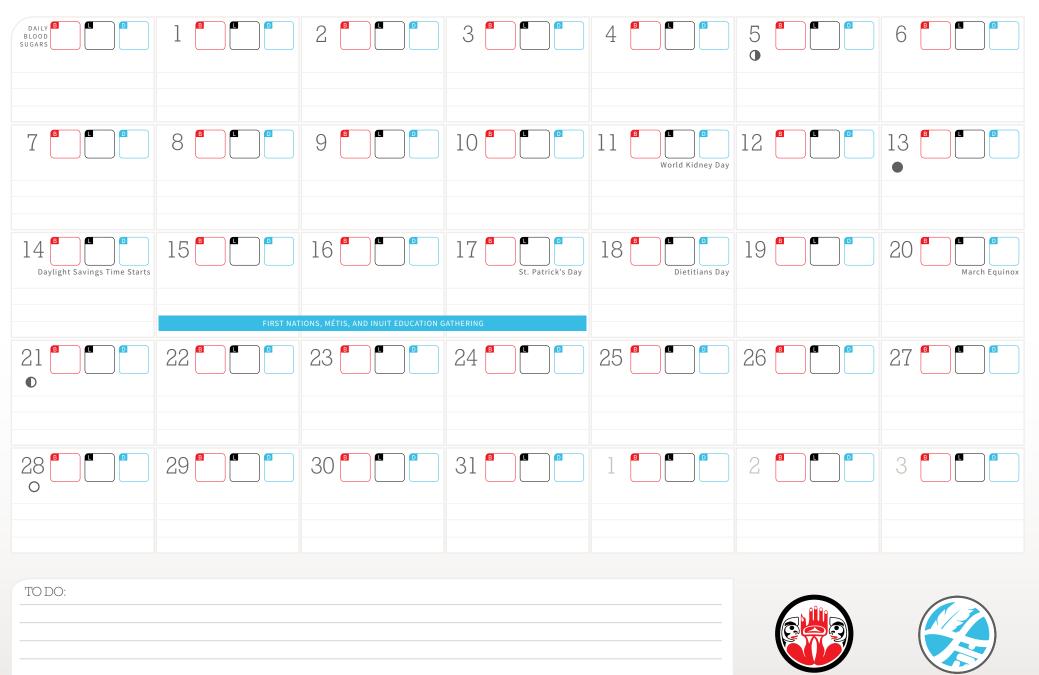
- Slice the herring row into 1 inch pieces. Run it under cold water. Add to a saucepan and cover with water and bring to a boil. Let boil for a few minutes, then turn off the heat and let it sit in the water while your prepare the chop suey.
- 2. Heat the oil in a large frying pan. Saute the onion for about 3 minutes. Add the garlic and ginger if using and cook for 30 seconds.
- 3. Add the remaining vegetables and cook until soft. Option to start with the harder vegetables (carrot, cauliflower) and cook these for a few minutes first, as they will need longer, and finish with the snow peas, beans and peppers as these need less time to cook.
- 4. Season with soy sauce. Drain the herring roe and stir into the chop suey. Option to serve with rice.

NUTR	ITION:				
CAL: FAT: S.FAT:	360 11.5G 1.3G	CARBS: FIBRE: SUGAR:	29G 5G 11G	PROTEIN: SODIUM:	33G 480-770MG

KWAKMIS CHOP SUEY

Recipe by Grandma Marie (Tsimshian)

MARCH 2021 KIDNEY HEALTH NUTRITION MONTH



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VEGETABLE OMELETTE

by Rachel, dietitian

PREP TIME: 5min COOK TIME: 10min SERVINGS: 2

INGREDIENTS

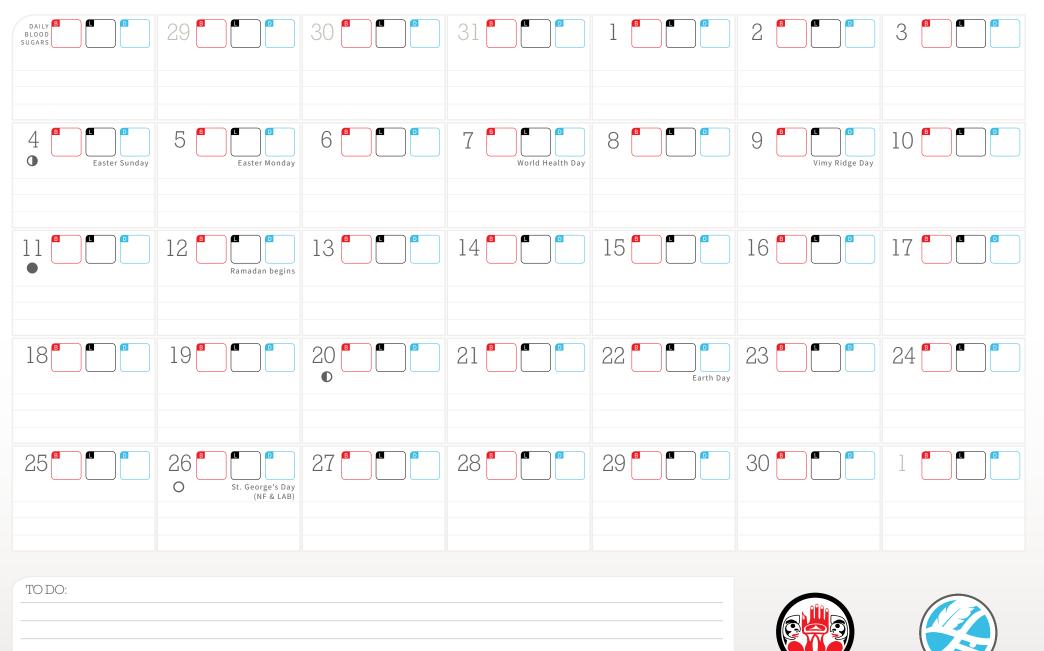
- 1 tsp olive oil
- ¹/₂ cup mixed vegetable (onion, peppers, mushrooms)
- 4 eggs
- 2 tablespoons of milk or milk alternative
- Optional: grated cheese, oregano, basil, salt and pepper to taste

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Heat olive oil in frying pan over medium heat and sauté assorted vegetables.
- 2. Beat together egg, milk, herbs and seasoning in a separate bowl and pour over vegetables.
- 3. Reduce heat to low. Cover and cook for a few minutes until eggs are fluffy and no longer runny.
- 4. Top with grated cheese if using, cover the frying pan for 1 minute before serving.
- TIP: This is a good way to use leftover vegetables, just dice them up small. Try adding baby spinach to it, or leftover smoked salmon and dill. Serve the omelette with whole-grain bread.

NUTRITION:		
CAL: 170	FIBRE: 0.2G	POTASSIUM: 193MG
FAT: 12G	SUGAR: 0.7G	CALCIUM: 4%
S.FAT: 3.5G	PROTEIN: 13G	IRON: 9%
CARBS: 1G	SODIUM: 143MG	ZINC: 9%

APRIL 2021



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PREP TIME: 10min READY IN: 30min SERVINGS: 4

INGREDIENTS

- 1 250mL jar (1 cup) of salmon, drained
- ½ cup finely chopped red onion, green onion, or yellow onion
- 2 large eggs, lightly beaten
- 1 tbsp whole-grain mustard (or regular)
- 2 tbsp chopped fresh dill or 2 tsp dried (or any other herb)
- ¹/₂ tsp ground pepper
- ¹⁄₄ tsp salt
- 4 cups frozen hash-brown, shredded potatoes or shred your own (about 3 medium potato)
- 2 tablespoons olive oil, divided

DIRECTIONS

- Combine salmon, onion, eggs, mustard, dill, pepper and salt in a large bowl. Add potatoes and stir to combine. If you are grating your own potato, squeeze some of the excess water out before adding it to the bowl. Option to leave the skin on.
- Heat 1 tbsp oil in a large frying pan over medium heat until shimmering. Put about ½-¾ cup of patty mixture in your hand. Form a compact patty with the palms of your hands. Start with 4 patties in the frying pan.
- Cover and cook until browned on the bottom, 3 to 5 minutes. Gently turn over and cook, covered, until crispy on the other side, 3 to 5 minutes more.
- 4. Wipe out the frying pan and cook 4 more cakes with the remaining 1 tablespoon oil and the remaining salmon potato cake mixture.

NUTRITION: PER 2 PATTIES MADE WITH 3 POSTATOS

FIBRE: 4G SUGAR: 1.5G PROTEIN: 18G

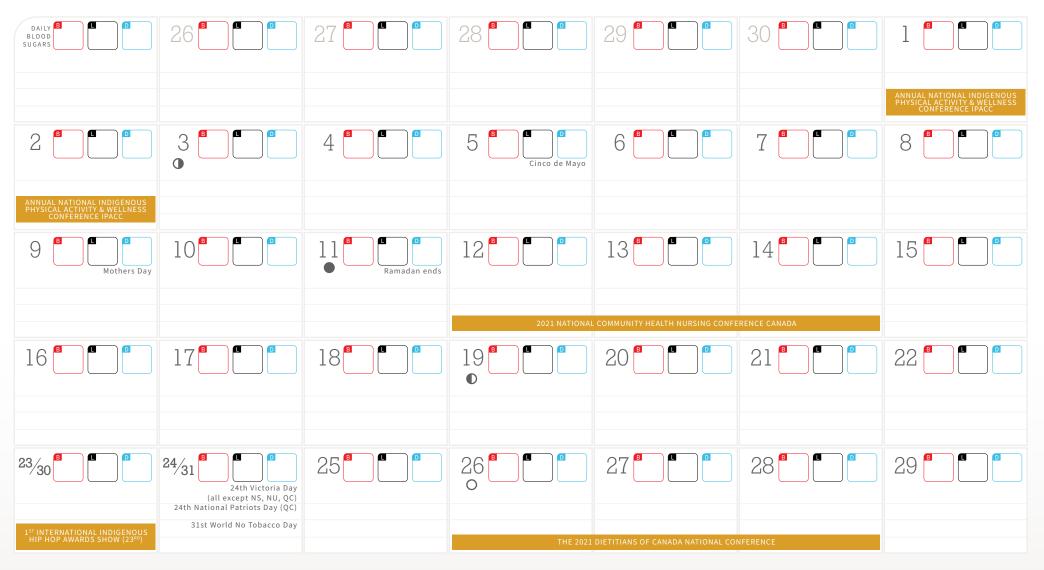
CAL: 280
FAT: 11G
S.FAT: 2G
CARRS: 26G

POTASSIUM: 92 CALCIUM: 5% IRON: 10% ZINC: 5%

SALMON & POTATO CAKES

Recipe by Melody Charlie

MAY 2021 VISION HEALTH MONTH



TO DO:

BAKED SALMON EGGS by John Sam, Ahousaht

PREP TIME: 5min COOK TIME: 35min SERVINGS: 2-4

INGREDIENTS

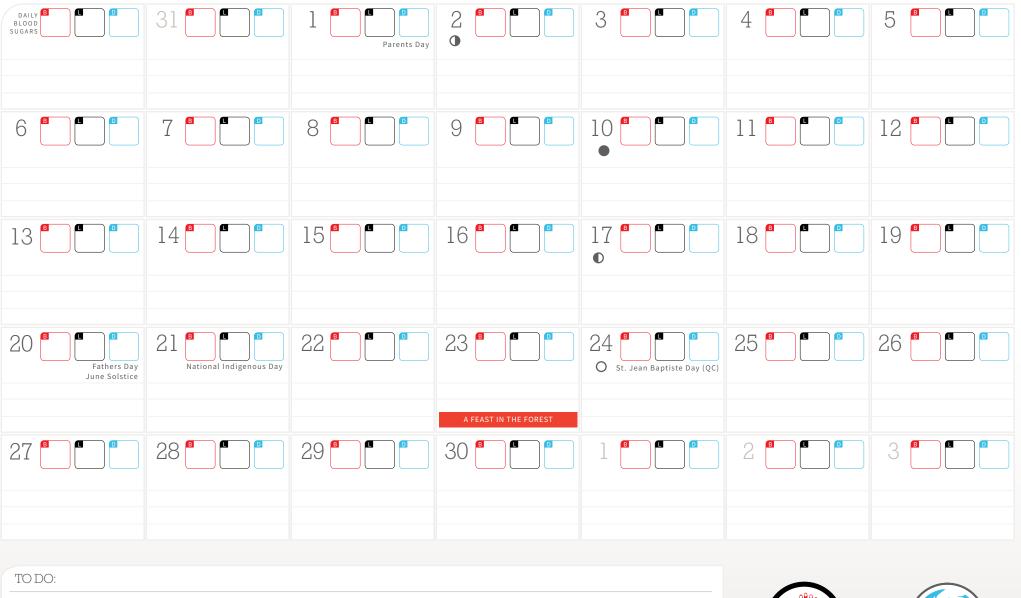
- Salmon roe
- Oil for greasing pan
- Salt to taste

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F
- 2. Oil a baking tray with oil or line it with parchment paper.
- 3. Lay sack of roe in the membrane on baking tray
- 4. and bake in the preheated oven for 35 minutes.
- 5. Sprinkle with salt (optional) before serving.
- Tip: Salmon eggs are exceptionally high in a special form of omega-3 fatty acid DHA that is important during pregnancy and breastfeeding for fetal and infant brain development.

NUTRITION: APPROXIMATE VALUE FOR 270G (90Z) BASED ON 2 SERVINGS:				
CAL: 310 FAT: 21G CARBS: 2G	FIBRE: 0G SUGAR: 0G	PROTEIN: 35G SODIUM: 170MG		

JUNE 2021 STROKE MONTH







PREP TIME: 10min READY IN:

40min SERVINGS: 6

INGREDIENTS

- 3 cups of any fruit such as:
 - 1 cup of berries and 2 medium apples
 - 4 peaches or pears
 - 3 cups of berries
 - 2 cups rhubarb,
 - 1 apple

- ¼ cup honey
- coconut oil
- 1/4 cup coconut flakes (optional)

DIRECTIONS

- 1. If you are using harder fruit such as rhubarb or apples you may wish to bake or stew them first. You can either bake them for 15 minutes at 350 F or stew them for 15 minutes on medium heat.
- 2. To make the crisp topping first, if you are making the oat flour at home add $\frac{1}{3}$ cup of whole oats to a small blender and blend until a fine flour is formed. If you are purchasing oat flour you can skip this step.
- 3. Melt the butter or coconut oil on the stovetop. Add this to the 1 cup of oats, ¹/₄ cup of oat flour, coconut flakes (if using) and honey and mix until well combined.
- 4. Place the fruit onto a baking tray and add the crisp topping evenly over the fruit. Bake for 30 minutes minutes or until it is golden on top. Let cool slightly before serving.
- 5. Serve with plain yogurt in place of ice cream.

NUTRITION: PER 1 CUP BERRIES AND 2 MEDIUM APPLES CAL: 220 FIBRE: 4G POTASSIUM: 92MG FAT: 5G SUGAR: 30G CALCIUM: 1% S.FAT: 2.5G PROTEIN: 2G **IRON: 6%** CARBS: 44G SODIUM: 10MG **ZINC: 1%**

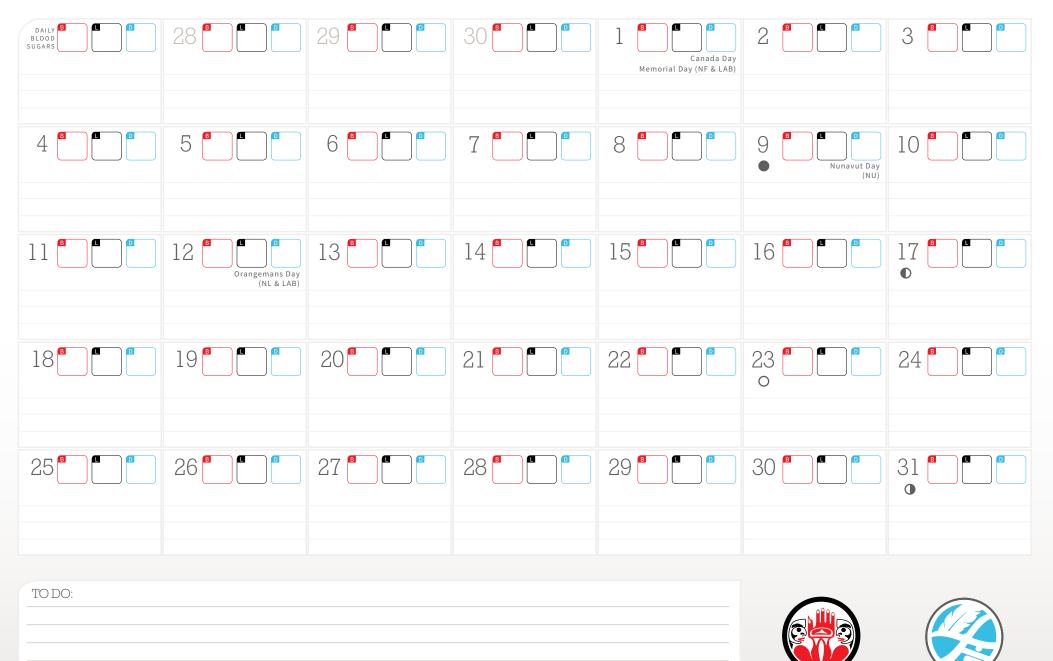
Topping

• 1 cup traditional oats • ¹/₄ cup oat flour (or ¹/₃ cup of traditional oats for making flour)

- 2 tbsp butter or

EASY FRUIT CRISP by Rachel, Dietitian

JULY 2021



FISH TACOS Recipe by Rachel, Dietitian

PREP TIME: 15min COOK TIME: 10min SERVINGS: 6-8

INGREDIENTS

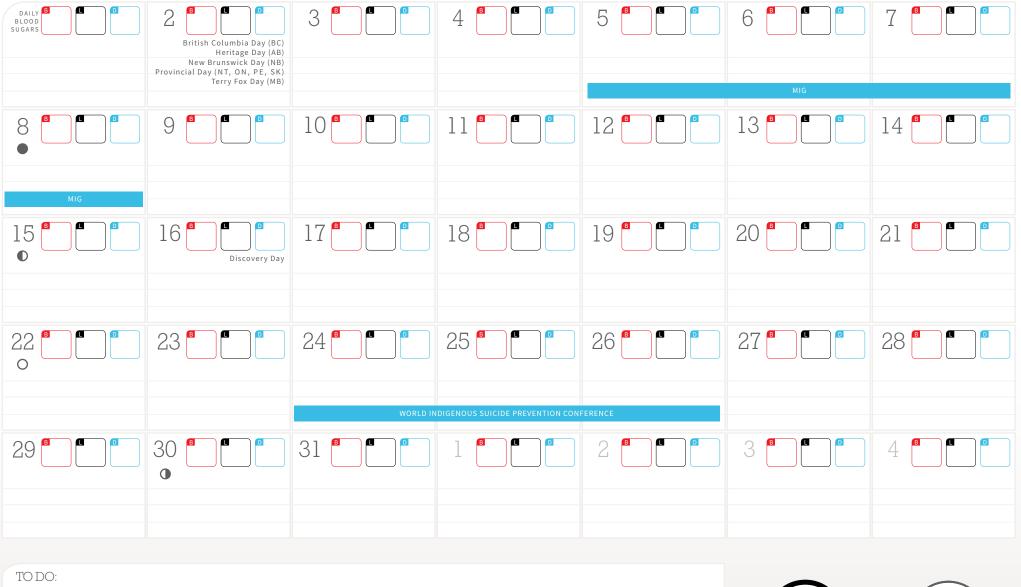
- Halibut or other white fish
- Mexican spice mix/Taco seasoning
- Oil
- Corn or whole-wheat wraps
- Salsa
- Greek yogurt, plain
- Cabbage, shredded
- Avocado
- Lime
- Cilantro

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Chop the halibut into 1 inch cubes. Mix in the Mexican spice mix - how much you use will depend on how much halibut you have. A good estimate is 1 teaspoon per 2 oz halibut.
- 2. Heat the oil in a heavy bottom frying pan and cook the seasoned halibut. You will know it is cooked when it is completely white, about 5 minutes.
- 3. Option to warm the wraps on a heavy bottom frying pan. No oil needed, simply lay 2 wraps on the frying pan and let them heat for about 1 minute each side.
- 4. To serve the tacos, fill the tortilla wraps with fish and top with desired toppings such as shredded cabbage or coleslaw, salsa, avocado and plain Greek yogurt (in place of sour cream).

N U T R I T I O N : PER: 2 WRAPS, 3 OZ HALIBUT, 1 CUP CABBAGE, 2 TBSP SALSA, 1/2 AVOCADO, LIME			
CAL: 405	FIBRE: 25G	POTASSIUM: 1200MG	
FAT: 20G	SUGAR: 5G	CALCIUM: 12%	
S.FAT: 2,2G	PROTEIN: 3.6G	IRON: 14%	
CARBS: 40G	SODIUM: 580MG	ZINC: 9%	

AUGUST 2021







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PREP TIME: 10min READY IN: 55min SERVINGS: 4

INGREDIENTS

- 2 cups of basmati rice
- 1 cup of wild rice
- 5 cups of water or stock
- 2 cups of vegetables, cut into small pieces (carrots, onion, celery, mushroom), or peas
- 400g Smoked fish for 6 people • (smoked black cod or salmon)
- Seaweed (optional), crumbled into small pieces. •

DIRECTIONS

- Soak wild rice for at least 4 hours in water. 1.
- Preheat oven to 400°F. 2.
- 3. Drain the wild rice and add to a 13 x 9 " casserole dish, along with the other rice, water or vegetable stock and vegetables.
- 4. Place the smoked fish on top. If there is skin on the smoked fish put the skin side up. Press down slightly so the fish is halfway submerged in the water. Add optional seaweed, crumbled on top.
- 5. Bake in the oven covered with tin foil for about 45 minutes. Check to see if the rice is fully cooked before serving.
- Tip: This dish is originally done with smoked black cod. The saltiness of the fish flavours the rice.

NUTRITION: DONE WITH BLACK COD, PEPPE SAND MUSHROOMS.				
CAL: 427	FIBRE: 5G	POTASSIUM: 870MG		
FAT: 16G	SUGAR: 5G	CALCIUM: 48%		
S.FAT: 3.5G	PROTEIN: 27G	IRON: 12%		
CARBS: 38G	SODIUM: 670MG	ZINC: 10%		

SMOKED FISH & RICE CASSEROLE by Rachel, Dietitian, Moms Recipe

SEPTEMBER 2021



TO DO:		
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LENTIL & MEAT SHEPHARDS PIE

Recipe by Matilda Atleo

PREP TIME: 10min COOK TIME: 40min servings: 4

INGREDIENTS

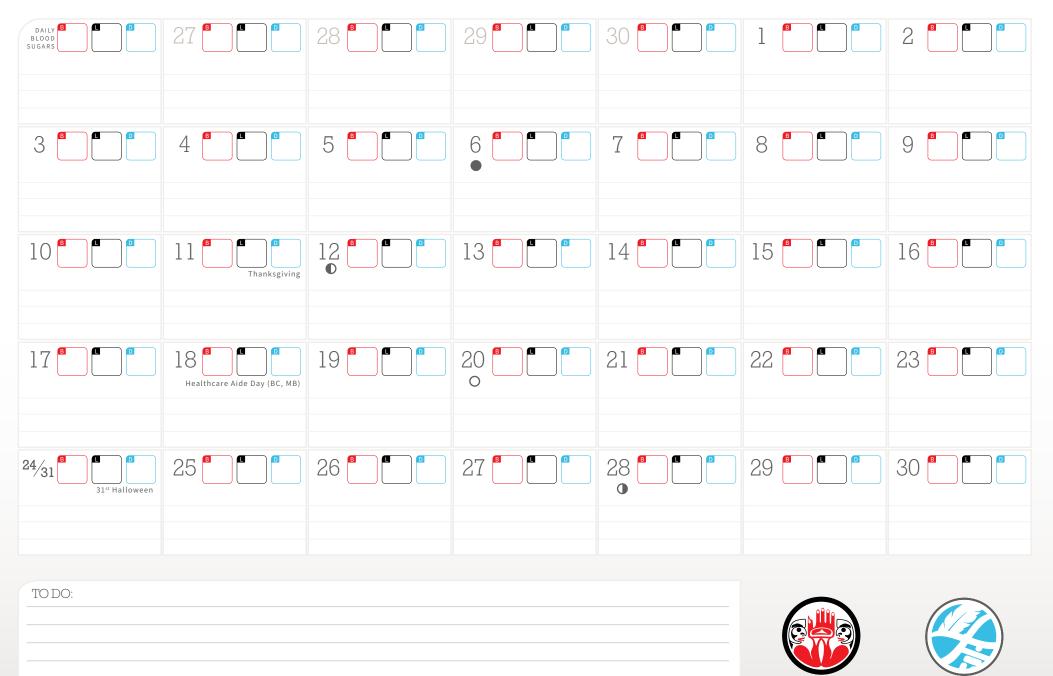
- 1 tbsp oil
- 2 cloves of garlic, minced
- 1 onion, finely diced
- 1 2 lb ground venison (or moose, bison, or lean beef)
- 1 cup brown lentils, dry (optional)
- 2 ½ lb potato (or 5 lb if not using cauliflower)
- 1 large head of cauliflower
- 2 carrots, diced
- 2 cups beef broth or water
- 2 tbsp cornstarch
- 1 cup frozen peas

DIRECTIONS

- To prepare the topping, boil the potato and cauliflower together until tender and then mash. Or option to just boil and mash potatoes (5lbs total). Add the dry lentils to 2 cups of water and bring to a boil. Turn down heat and let simmer for 30 min. Option to not use lentils and double the meat.
- 2. Heat the oil in a saucepan and add the onion and garlic and cook on medium heat. Add the ground meat and cook until brown and no longer pink.
- 3. Add the diced carrots and broth and let cook for about 10 minutes. Next add the frozen peas and cooked lentils, and let cook for a further 5 minutes. Season with herbs as desired.
- 4. Mix the cornflour with 2 tbsp water in bowl and then add to the meat. Place the meat and lentils in a casserole dish and top with potato mixture.
- 5. Bake in a preheated 375°F oven for 20 minutes.

NUTRITION: BASED ON CAULIFLOWER POTATO MASH, LENTILS AND 1LB BEEF:				
CAL: 480	FIBRE: 14G	POTASSIUM: 1700MG		
FAT: 14G	SUGAR: 6G	CALCIUM: 7%		
S.FAT: 5G	PROTEIN: 34G	IRON: 36%		
CARBS: 62G	SODIUM: 237MG	ZINC: 27%		

OCTOBER 2021



PREP TIME: 10min READY IN: 30min SERVINGS: 4

INGREDIENTS

- 1 lb ground meat (bison, beef, venison or moose)
- 1 onion, diced
- 1 stalk celery, chopped
- 1 cup of vegetables (pepper, or carrot diced, or frozen peas)
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 tbsp chili powder
- 1 tbsp cumin powder
- 1 can (540 ml) kidney beans
- 1 can (540 ml) black beans
- 1 large can (796 ml) diced tomatoes
- 1 cup frozen corn (or canned)

DIRECTIONS

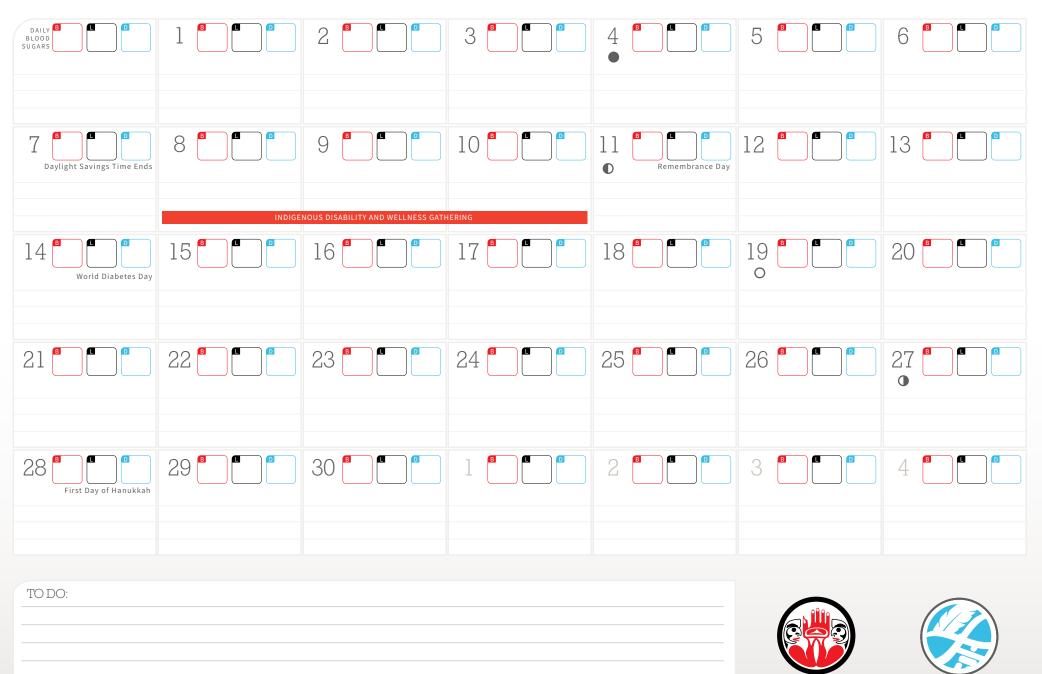
- Heat oil in a large soup pot. Add the meat and cook meat over medium-high heat. Cook until browned and no longer pink. Drain off any excess fat.
- 2. Add onion, celery and pepper or carrot if using.
- Cook until onion is translucent. Add garlic, cumin and chilli powder and cook for 30 seconds.
- 4. Drain and rinse the kidney beans and black beans. Add kidney beans, black beans, diced tomatoes, corn and peas if using to the meat and onion mixture. Mix well and reduce heat to medium. Simmer for 20 min. Season before serving.
- TIP: This is a great way to use up leftover vegetables - try adding mushrooms, zucchini. sweet potato.

NUTRITION:			
CAL: 540 FAT: 23G S.FAT: 9G CARBS: 55G	FIBRE: 18G SUGAR: 15G PROTEIN: 33.5G SODIUM: 522MG	POTASSIUM: 1100MG CALCIUM: 7% IRON: 27% ZINC: 37%	

HEALTHY WILD MEAT & BEAN CHILI

Recipe Adapted From Setting The Table Cookbook

NOVEMBER 2021 DIABETES AWARENESS MONTH



ELK MEATBALLS

Mars Of

Recipe From Well For Culture

PREP TIME: 10min COOK TIME: 25min SERVINGS: 4

INGREDIENTS

- ¹/₂ lb of ground elk meat (or any other wild game)
- 1 cup of cooked wild rice
- 1 egg
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
- ½ small red or yellow onion,
- diced
- ¹/₂ tsp black pepper, ground
- ¹/₈ tsp salt
- ¹/₂ cup dry for this recipe

DIRECTIONS:

- 1. Preheat oven to 400°F and coat baking sheet with oil or line it with baking paper.
- 2. In a large bowl mix all the ingredients together and shape into 1 ½ inch meatballs. The mixture should make 8 meatballs.
- Place them about 1 inch apart and bake for 18-25 mins or until they are no longer pink in the middle.
- TIPS: Try serving these with a dark leafy green salad. Use any additional seasonings that you like.

Try 1 tbsp fresh rosemary

Instead of fresh onion and garlic use 1 tsp

of garlic powder and 1 tbsp onion powder

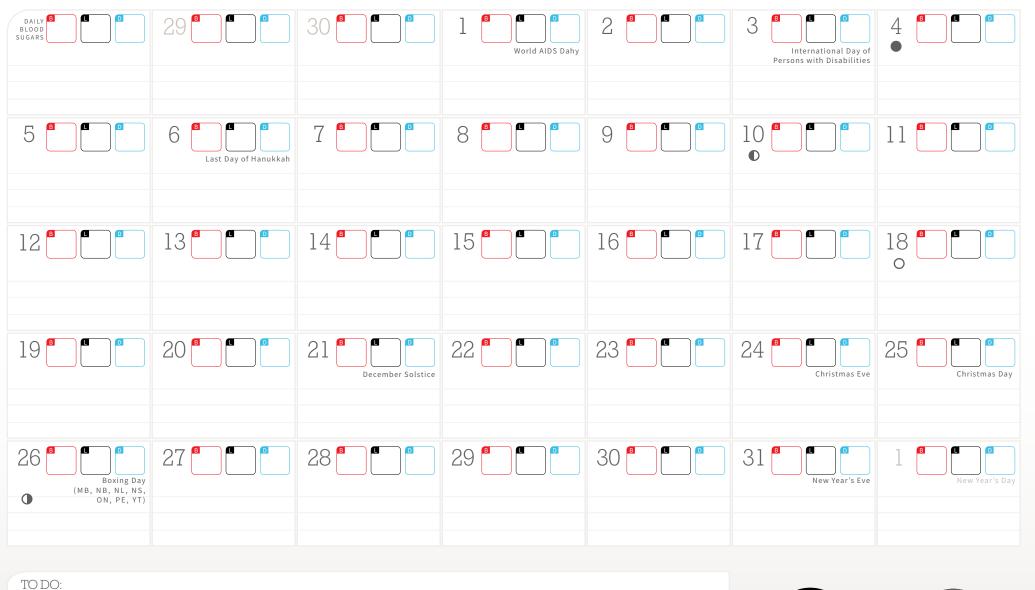
Add any leftover fresh herbs you have at home like parsley, oregano or thyme.

Try adding grated carrots for more fibre.

NUTRITION: BASED ON 2 MEATBALLS:

CAL: 130	FIBRE: 1G	POTASSIUM: 80MG
FAT: 3.4G	SUGAR: 1G	CALCIUM: 2%
S.FAT: 1.2G	PROTEIN: 16G	IRON: 10%
CARBS: 10G	SODIUM: 83MG	ZINC: 5%

DECEMBER 2021







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PREP TIME: 10min COOK TIME: 11/4 hr servings: 6

INGREDIENTS

- 1¹/₂ lb ground venison or moose
- or elk
- ½ onion, minced
- 1 cup milk or milk alternative
- 1 egg
- 1 tsp salt
- 1 cup oatmeal
- 1 cup mixed vegetables, optional (diced celery, diced carrots, frozen peas, sliced mushroom)

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F.
- 2. Mix all ingredients together in a large bowl.
- 3. Grease a 9 x 5 x 3 inch loaf pan and add all ingredients.
- 4. Bake for 1 hour and 15 minutes.

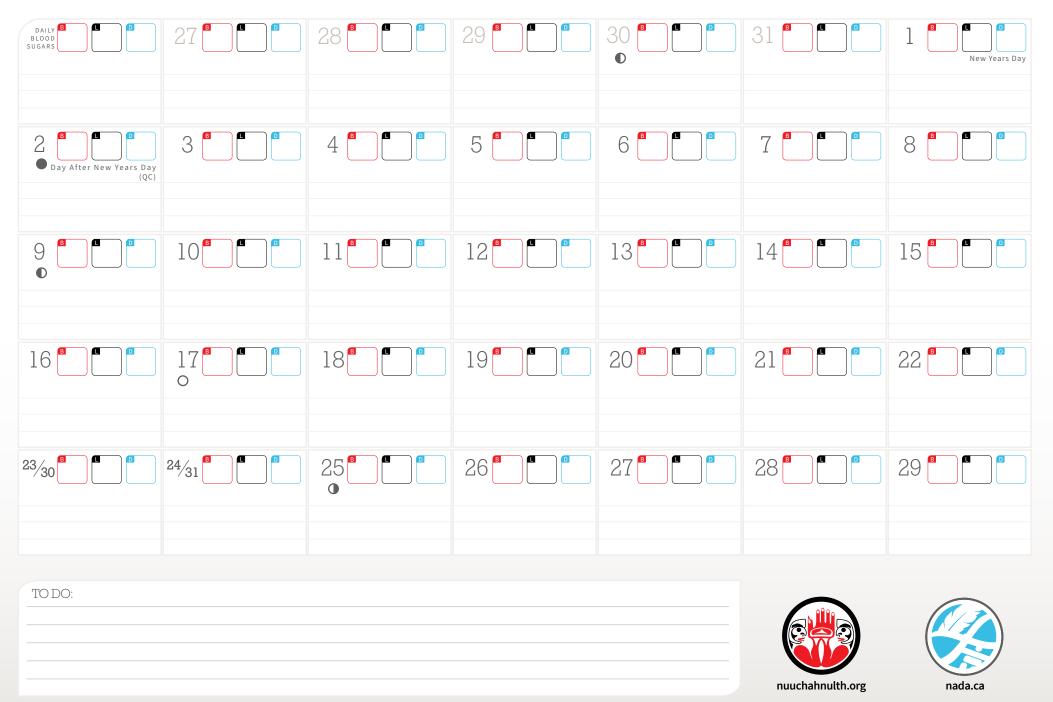
NOTE Recipe was adapted to contain less salt (original recipe 1 ½ tsp). Also adapted to contain more onion (original recipe had 1 tsp onion) and included the option of adding vegetables (original recipe had no added vegetables).

NUTRITION:					
CAL:	250	FIBRE:	2.6G	POTASSIUM:	260MG
FAT:	3.4G	SUGAR:	4.2G	CALCIUM:	7%
S.FAT:	1G	PROTEIN:	39G	IRON:	32%
CARBS:	16G	SODIUM:	255MG	ZINC:	32%

MOOSE MEAT LOAF

Recipe Adapted from Traditional Foods & Recipes on the Wild Side by Native Women's Association of Canada

JANUARY 2022





NUU CHAH NULTH TRIBAL COUNCIL

Nuu-chah-nulth Tribal Council (NTC) is a not-for-profit society that provides a wide variety of services and supports to fourteen Nuu-chah-nulth First Nations with approximately 10,000 members.

THE 14 NUU-CHAH-NULTH FIRST NATIONS ARE DIVIDED INTO THREE REGIONS:

- Southern Region: Ditidaht, Huu-ay-aht, Hupacasath, Tse-shaht, and Uchucklesaht
- Central Region: Ahousaht, Hesquiaht, Tla-o-qui-aht, Toquaht, and Yuu-cluth-aht
- Northern Region: Ehattesaht, Kyuquot/Cheklesaht, Mowachaht/Muchalaht, and Nuchatlaht

THE NUU-CHAH-NULTH TRIBAL COUNCIL STRIVES TO:

- Advance and protect the ha-ha-hoolthee (territories) of the Nuu-chah-nulth Ha'wiih (Hereditary Chiefs)
- Pursue self-determination
- Promote the betterment, prosperity and well-being of the Nuu-chah-nulth people
- Advance Nuu-chah-nulth culture, language, beliefs and way of life

PROGRAMS AND SERVICES FOR MEMBERS, INCLUDE:

- Health care*
- Education (funding and support)
- Child and family services
- Employment readiness
- Economic development
- Services to strengthen and support families

*Within healthcare NTC employs Registered Nurses, Registered Dietitian, Certified Diabetes Educator, Licenced Practical Nurses, Health Promotion Worker, Counsellors, Doulas, Child and Youth Workers, and Cultural Workers.



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The National Indigenous Diabetes Association (NIDA) envisions diabetes-free communities. Our mission is to lead the promotion of healthy environments, and to prevent and manage diabetes by working together with people, communities, and organizations.

NIDA would like to acknowledge Nuu-chah-nulth First Nations and community members whom contributed recipes for this calendar.

These recipes were taken from the *NTC Healthy Budget Eating for Diabetes Cookbook* and were compiled to share healthy recipes that are helpful for managing or preventing diabetes. The recipes also work to address the increased cost that is often associated with healthy eating, offering lower cost ingredients and substitutions.

Recipes are borrowed from some favourite Indigenous cookbooks, resources and websites. Some recipes are also shared by Nuu-chah-nulth community members and their Dietitian.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:

https://www.wellforculture.com/recipes

https://www.nwac.ca/wp-content/uploads/2015/05/ 2012-Diabetes-Traditional-Foods-and-Recipes.pdf

This calendar provides space on each day for recording your blood glucose sugar levels if you are living with diabetes, as well as "notes" space to write down and keep track of activity for the month.

PHASES OF THE MOON LEGEND

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