

Popcorn Makes The Yule Scene

By ELLY

Just one weekend left between now and Christmas, a good time to get out the popcorn and let the children join in the creation of an edible centerpiece.

Children are all gone but you are anticipating a Christmas visit from the grandchildren? This crunchy winter scene will be remembered until the holidays roll around next year.

Turn a cardboard carton on its side with the opening at the front, stage fashion. Cover the outside parts of the box (if unattractive) with white paper. Cover the inside back and sides with sky blue paper. Cover the bottom of the scene with cotton batting or white tissue paper, then cover with waxed paper or plastic wrap.

Place a lollipop pond at one side of the scene. Behind the pond place an artificial tree or a tree shaped from candied popcorn mixture. In one corner build a hill of popcorn balls. Fill in around the scene with popcorn. Break small pieces of lollipop candy into icy bits and scatter around the edges of the pond. Pieces of popcorn hanging from strings attached to the inside top of the box look like giant snowflakes. Complete the scene with a small doll dressed in winter togs.



POP CORN

1/4 c. corn oil
1/2 c. pop corn
Heat corn in a large heavy skillet or kettle over medium heat about three minutes. Add popcorn. Cover, leaving small air space at edge of cover. Shake frequently over medium heat until popping stops. Turn popcorn into a large bowl; pick out any unpopped kernels. Makes two quarts popped corn. Do not double recipe, pop again for more.

CANDIED POPCORN

1/2 c. Karo light corn syrup
1/2 c. sugar
1 t. salt
1 t. vanilla
2 qt. popped corn
Mix together in a heavy saucepan corn syrup, sugar and salt and bring to a boil. Cook two minutes over medium heat, stirring constantly. Stir in vanilla. Pour over popcorn in a large bowl and stir until corn is evenly coated with mixture. Spread margarine on hands and form into popcorn balls.

LOLLIPOP MIXTURE

2 c. sugar
2/3 c. Karo light syrup
1/2 t. vegetable coloring (optional)
1 1/2 t. extract type flavoring
In a straight-sided, two-quart saucepan, stir together sugar, syrup and water. Cook over medium heat, stirring until sugar is completely dissolved. Boil without stirring until temperature reaches 200 degrees on a candy thermometer, or until a small amount of mixture dropped into very cold water separates into threads which are hard and brittle (hard crack stage). Remove from heat and cool for a few minutes. Add flavoring and coloring (if desired) and stir just enough to mix.

FOR LOLLIPOP POND: Omit vegetable coloring and use essence of peppermint for flavoring. Pour about half a cup of candy into center of ungreased foil, letting candy spread into a free form pond shape. Pour rest on ungreased foil to harden. For pond, leave hardened candy on foil, but trim foil from edges of pond. Remove other piece of candy from foil and break into icy pieces to arrange around edges of pond.

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