# Mermaid Week

## Fin-tastic Treats

### Mermaid Muddy Buddies



Seashell Pasta Salad



#### <u>Ingredients:</u>

T cup of candy metts: turquoise, purple, dark blue

2—4 tablespoons of coconut oil

11/3 cup powdered sugar

6 cups Chex cereal

#### Instructions:

l. Place  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of turquoise candy melts in a microwave safe bowl with  $\frac{1}{2}$  tablespoon of coconut oil.

2. Heat in 30 sec bursts, stirring in between until candy is completely melted and smooth.

3. Add 1 ½ cups of Chex cereal to the melted candy and stir to coat.

4. Place 1/3 cup of powdered sugar in a ziplock bag and add in candy coated Chex cereal.

5. Seal bag and shack well to cover the cereal with powdered sugar.

6. Pour muddy buddies onto baking tray in a thin layer.

7. Repeat with each color.

8. Let set for 30 minutes to dry completely. Mix together and serve.

#### <u>Ingredients:</u>

34 pound medium seashell pasta
I pound Cherry tomatoes (cut in half)
I can sliced black olives
I jar of marinated artichoke hearts
1/2 cup thinly sliced fresh basil leaves
I jar of roasted red peppers
I pound of broccoli florets (chopped)
Italian salad dressing
Grated parmesan cheese (optional)
Instructions:

I. Cook pasta following instructions.

2. Prep all other ingredients by chopping into bite size pieces. Place in large serving bowl.

3. Add cooked pasta to bowl and mix to combine.

4. Add Italian dressing and stir to coat. Top with grated parmesan cheese (optional).

5. Serve warm or cold.

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