

Christmas Morning Cranberry Cocktail



Ingredients:

- 1 cup cranberry juice
- 1/2 cup orange juice
- 1/4 cup club soda
- 1 tablespoon lime juice
- 1.5 oz vodka or gin (optional)
- Fresh cranberries and orange slices for garnish
- Ice cubes

Directions:

1. Fill a cocktail glass with ice cubes.
2. In a shaker, combine cranberry juice, orange juice, and lime juice.
3. Add vodka or gin (if using) to the shaker.
4. Shake the mixture well if using a shaker, or stir thoroughly in a mixing glass.
5. Pour the mixture into the prepared glass over the ice.
6. Top off with sparkling water or club soda to add a fizzy touch.
7. Garnish with fresh cranberries and orange slices.

Cozy Cabin Eggnog

Yields: 4-5 servings

Ingredients:

- 2 cups milk
- 6 large egg yolks
- 1 cup heavy cream
- 2/3 cup granulated sugar
- 1/2 tsp. ground cinnamon, plus extra for garnish
- 3/4 tsp. ground nutmeg
- 1 tsp. pure vanilla extract
- 1/8 tsp. fine sea salt
- Whipped cream, for serving
- 1 cup bourbon or rum (optional)



Directions:

1. In a small saucepan, heat the milk, cinnamon, nutmeg, and vanilla over low heat until it simmers.
2. In a large bowl, whisk the egg yolks and sugar until pale and creamy.
3. Gradually whisk the hot milk into the egg yolk mixture to combine.
4. Pour back into the saucepan. Cook over medium heat, stirring frequently, until it thickens and reaches 160°F. Do not boil.
5. Remove from heat and stir in heavy cream. Add bourbon or rum if desired.
6. Transfer to a pitcher and refrigerate until chilled.
7. Serve in glasses with whipped cream and a sprinkle of cinnamon.

Winter Wonderland Mojito



Ingredients:

- 2 oz coconut cream
- 2 oz white rum (optional)
- 10-12 fresh mint leaves, plus 1 sprig for garnish
- 1 oz fresh lime juice
- 1 tablespoon granulated sugar
- Crushed ice
- Club soda (optional, for extra fizz)
- Pomegranate seeds (for garnish)

Directions:

1. Fill a highball glass with crushed ice to chill.
2. In a shaker or mixing glass, muddle fresh mint leaves and granulated sugar until fragrant and slightly dissolved.
3. Add coconut cream, white rum (if using), and fresh lime juice.
4. Shake well.
5. Discard the ice from the highball glass.
6. Strain the mixture into the glass.
7. Garnish with mint and pomegranate seeds.
8. Optionally, add a splash of sparkling water or club soda.