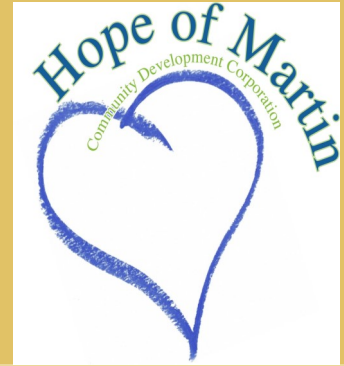


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Dedication

On Sunday, April 23, 2017, the Hope of Martin Board honored the life and works of one of our founders, Vercie Busby by dedicating the conference room in his memory. We miss him very much.

French Butter Cookies

Ingredients

- 1 cup (2 sticks) butter, room temperature
- 2/3 cup packed light brown sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 1/2 cups sifted flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup granulated sugar

Instructions

1. In a bowl of an electric mixer, cream the butter and brown sugar on high speed until light and fluffy, about 2 to 3 minutes.
2. Add the egg and vanilla, mixing thoroughly.
3. Gradually add the flour and salt. Mix on low speed until just combined.
4. On three separate sheets of plastic wrap, roll the dough into three logs 1 1/2 inches thick. Wrap in plastic and refrigerate for at least one hour to overnight.
5. Prepare a cookie sheet by lining it with parchment.
6. Remove one log from fridge and roll it in the granulated sugar, making sure to coat it completely.
7. With a sharp knife, cut slices 1/4 inch thick.
8. Place the slices on the prepared cookie sheet 1-inch apart.
9. Bake in preheated oven at 350 degrees for 15-20 minutes.
10. Transfer cookies to a wire rack so that they can cool completely.

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT.....

Speak to people– There is nothing as nice as a word of greeting.

Call people by name– The sweetest music to anyone’s ears is the sound of their own name.

Smile– It takes 72 muscles to frown and only 14 to smile.

Be friendly– And helpful; do unto others.

Be cordial– Speak and act as if everything you do were a real pleasure.

Be generous with praise– Be cautious with criticism.

Be considerate of the feelings of others– It will be appreciated.

Be thoughtful of the opinion of others– There are three sides to a controversy; yours, the other person’s, and the right one.

Be aware to giving good service– What counts in life is what we do for others.

Mowing season is here and we are asking that you keep toys and grills put up so that the people mowing can do a good job.