

Makin' and Bakin' Potatoes for Pumpkin Plunge

You can buy a bag of potatoes yourself or stop by the pool to pick some up. We have some foil sheets you can take, too if you need them. 1 hour of volunteer time per 5 lbs. of potatoes.



These are Lehla's mom's instructions on how to make a bunch of baked potatoes all at once and have them hot for the Snack Bar...

1. Wash, prick and **wrap potatoes in foil** the night before you plan on bringing them to the meet. We used to just do one giant bag of potatoes.
2. Place in oven on top of cookie sheets (optional) on 2 shelves in oven with enough space for air to flow between potatoes.
3. If your oven has a timer option to start/stop automatically, set oven timer to start baking early in the morning before you wake up, and finish when you wake up in the morning.

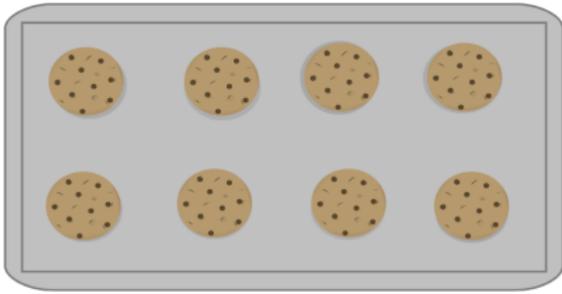
A loaded potato oven typically takes 45 minutes to 1:15 @ 350 degrees, depending on how "fast" or "slow" your oven is... you can check if they are done when you wake up, to see if they need another 15 minutes.

4. Packing: line the bottom of an ice chest with a beach towel, pack potatoes (still in their foil) in and top the potatoes with another towel to keep them warm throughout the meet day. (We'll keep them in ice chests or in a chafer during the day, too.)

She said this was a VERY EASY job to do... the only real time it takes is the washing/wrapping the night before... and about 10 min in the morning to pack them into the ice chest.

See other side for muffin/cookies instructions....

Makin' and Bakin' Muffins and Cookies for Pumpkin Plunge



For one hour of volunteer time: bake 1 dozen muffins or 2 dozen cookies and deliver to pool Saturday or Sunday morning.

Muffins: Please make a good size muffin, doesn't have to be gigantic. We'll sell them for \$1. If it's special in any way (like vegan or gluten-free), please mark it as such. **Please wrap each muffin in plastic wrap to reduce how much it gets handled and we can easily put them in a basket to sell.** If it's not obvious what kind of muffin it is, maybe you can mark it with a label. They sell better if people know what they are!

Cookies: Again, we will sell cookies for \$1. So that might mean one gigantic cookie, or 2 medium cookies or 3-4 small cookies **bundled together in plastic wrap or a baggie.** Again, if it's special in any way, please label it.

Please, please, please wrap your items to sell because it's total chaos once the weekend begins and we do not have time to do this!

Please label any container with your name and phone number if you expect to get it back! ☺



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