



# **SPICY BEET, FRUIT & NUT BARS**

SERVES: Makes 28 SERVINGS PREP TIME: 25 MINUTES BAKE TIME: 20 MINUTES

### INGREDIENTS

- 1 jar (15.5 ounces) Aunt Nellie's Harvard Beets
- 1 package (15.25 ounces) spice cake mix
- 1 cup packed light brown sugar
- 1/4 cup canola or vegetable oil
- 1 large egg
- 1 cup dried mixed fruits, chopped if necessary
- 1/2 cup chopped walnuts, pecans or almonds (or a combination), toasted
- Confectioners' sugar (optional)

#### INSTRUCTIONS

- Preheat oven to 350°F. Drain beets. Puree beets in food processor or blender until smooth; set aside. Line 15 x 10 x 1-inch baking pan with aluminum foil. Spray lightly with nonstick cooking spray.
- Place cake mix in large bowl. Add pureed beets, brown sugar, oil and egg. Beat on low speed of electric mixer 2 minutes or until completely combined, scraping bowl as necessary. Stir in fruits and nuts.
- 3. Spread dough evenly in prepared pan. Bake 20 minutes or until pick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool completely. Sprinkle with confectioners' sugar. Cut into bars.

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