



## **OATMEAL COOKIES**

- 2 Cups Shortening
- 2 Cups Packed Brown Sugar
- 1 ½ Cups Granulated Sugar
- 4 Eggs
- 2 Teaspoons Vanilla
- 3 ¼ Cups Flour
- 1 ½ Teaspoons Salt
- 1 Teaspoon Baking Powder
- 1 Teaspoon Baking Soda
- 6 ½ Cups Rolled Oats
- 1 Cup Chopped Nuts
- 1 Cup Chocolate Chips

## **DIRECTIONS**

- 1. In a large bowl of a mixer beat shortening and sugars until creamy.
- 2. Add eggs and vanilla, beat until thoroughly mixed.
- 3. Combine flour, salt, baking powder, and baking soda.
- 4. Slowly add to shortening mixture.
- 5. With a wooden spoon stir in oats, nuts and chocolate chips.
- 6. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto a lightly greased cookie sheet, about 1 inch apart.
- 7. Bake in a 375 degree oven for 8 to 10 minutes.
- 8. Cool on sheets for 5 to 10 minutes before removing to wire rack.