SOFT PRETZEL

1 Cup + 2 Tablespoons Water (70° to 80°)  
2 Quarts Water

3 Cups All-Purpose Flour  
½ Cup Baking Soda

3 Tablespoons Brown Sugar  
Coarse Salt

1 ½ Teaspoons Active Dry Yeast  
Coarse Salt

1) In bread machine pan, place the first 4 ingredients in order suggested by manufacturer. Select dough setting (check dough after 5 minutes of mixing; add 1 to 2 Tablespoons water or flour if needed).

2) When cycle is completed, turn dough onto a lightly floured surface. Divide dough into 8 balls. Roll each into a 20” rope; form into pretzel shape.

3) Preheat oven to 425°F. In a large saucepan, bring water and baking soda to a boil. Drop pretzels into boiling water, 2 at a time, boil for 10-15 seconds. Remove with a slotted spoon; drain on paper towels.

4) Place pretzels on greased baking sheets. Bake until golden brown, 8-10 minutes. Spritz or lightly brush with water. Sprinkle with salt.

PADRES
### Recipe: CHEESEBURGER

- ½ Cup Seasoned Bread Crumbs
- 1 Large Egg, lightly beaten
- ½ Teaspoon Salt
- ½ Teaspoon Pepper
- 1 lb Ground Beef
- 1 Tablespoon Olive Oil
- 4 Sesame Seed Hamburger Buns, split
- Toppings of your choice

1) In a large bowl, combine bread crumbs, egg, salt and pepper. Add beef; mix lightly but thoroughly. Shape into four ½” thick patties. Press a shallow indentation in the center of each with your thumb. Brush both sides of patties with oil.

2) Grill burgers, covered, over medium heat or broil 4” from heat 4-5 minutes on each side or until a thermometer reads 160°F. Serve on buns with toppings.

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### Recipe: CHEESE FRIES

- 1 Package (28 ounces) Frozen Steak Fries
- 1 Can (10¾ ounces) Condensed Cheddar Cheese Soup, undiluted
- ¼ Cup 2% Milk

1) Arrange the steak fries in a single layer in 2 greased 15” x 10” x 1” baking pans. Bake at 450°F for 15-18 minutes or until tender and golden brown.

2) Meanwhile, in a small saucepan, combine the soup, milk, garlic powder and onion powder; heat through. Drizzle over fries; sprinkle with paprika.
**Recipe**

**CHURROS**

- ½ Cup Water
- ½ Cup 2% Milk
- 1 Tablespoon Canola Oil
- ¼ Teaspoon Salt
- 1 Cup All-Purpose Flour
- 1 Large Egg, room temperature
- ¼ Teaspoon Grated Lemon Zest
- Additional oil for frying
- ½ Cup Sugar
- ½ Teaspoon Ground Cinnamon

1) In a large saucepan, bring the water, milk, oil and salt to a boil. Add flour all at once and stir until a smooth ball forms. Transfer to a large bowl, let stand for 5 minutes.

2) Beat on medium-high speed for 1 minute or until the dough softens. Add egg and lemon zest; beat for 1-2 minutes. Set aside to cool.

3) In a deep cast-iron or heavy skillet, heat 1 in. oil to 375°F. Insert a large star tip in a pastry bag, fill with dough. On a baking sheet, pipe dough into 4” strips.

4) Transfer strips to skillet and fry until golden brown on both sides. Drain on paper towels. Combine the sugar and cinnamon; sprinkle over churros. Serve warm.

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**Recipe**

**CARAMEL CORN**

- 2 Tablespoons Vegetable Oil, plus more for the baking sheet
- 2 Tablespoons Molasses
- ½ Cup Popcorn Kernels (preferably mushroom kernels)
- 2 Teaspoons Roasted Peanut Oil
- 1 Cup Sugar
- ¾ Cup Raw Peanuts
- ¾ Teaspoon Kosher Salt
- 3 Tablespoons Dark Corn Syrup

1) Put the vegetable oil and a few test popcorn kernels in a large pot. Heat over medium-high heat until the kernels pop, then carefully add the remaining kernels in a single layer. Cover and cook, shaking the pot, until there are several seconds between pops. Transfer the popcorn to a bowl. Lightly oil a baking sheet.

2) Wipe out the pot, then add the sugar, corn syrup, molasses, peanut oil, ½ Teaspoon salt and the peanuts. Cook over medium-high heat, stirring often, until a candy thermometer registers 290°F, about 8 minutes. Remove from the heat and stir in the popcorn until coated. Transfer the caramel corn to the prepared baking sheet and let cool, then break into small pieces. Brush with water. Sprinkle with salt.
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<td>Picnic in the yard. Like we were at Petco Park for a Sunday day game.</td>
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Cut out and redeem these anytime you want. I love you!
Supplies Needed:
Cardstock Paper
Scissors
Hole punch
Bakers twine or string
Tape
This Mother’s Day printable banner!

Directions:
- Download the printable Mother’s Day Banner.
- Print it out on white cardstock
- Using scissors, cut out the individual squares
- Using a hole punch, punch holes at the top left and right corner of each square.
*If you don’t want to use a hole punch, simply tape some bakers twine to the back of each flag*
- Thread bakers twine or string through the holes to assemble the printable Mother’s Day banner.
- Now Mom can enjoy her banner!

Nothing better for Mom to wake up to on Mother’s Day morning than a Padres-themed Mother’s Day banner from you!
**What is Needed:**

- Different colored construction paper
- Popsicle sticks
- Glue
- Toilet paper roll
- Ribbon
- Scissors
- Duct Tape

**Directions:**

- Cut 3-inch wide strips of colored construction paper (one for each flower you wish to make)
- Cut slits nearly all the way through each strip
- Put a line of glue along the solid edge and place a popsicle stick at one end, rolling it up inside of the paper
- Add a thin piece of duct tape around the base of the paper flower to reinforce it onto the popsicle stick
- Use your fingers to bend and fluff out the pieces of paper into a flower shape
- Glue ribbon around the toilet paper roll and place the popsicle stick paper flowers inside the toilet paper roll
- Now you’re ready to give it to Mom!
INTERMEDIATE LEVEL

What is Needed:

- Glue (you can also use a hot glue gun)
- Pencil
- Ruler
- Scissors
- 2 sheets of green cardstocks
- Origami papers with various kinds of colors

Step 1: Shaping the Stems

- To shape the stems, you need to take one green cardstock and fold it in half.
- Using a ruler, measure an inch from the open edge to the center and draw a line.
  - This line will help you with the cutting.
- Make strip narrow cuts from the folded edge up to the line that you have made
  - If you have done the cutting, unfold the paper.
- Using the scissors, straighten the paperback so that it is as straight as it was.
- Apply some glue to one of the edges of the paper and fold it in half.
- Take another green paper and fold it in half widthwise. Fold it in half again.
- Make a line along the width of the folded paper.
- Make some zig-zag cuttings from the edge to the line, while making sure the zig-zag cuttings are not too wide, as they must be less than an inch.

**If you have done the cutting, you can unfold the paper.**

Step 2: Assemble the Stems

- Take the folded green paper and apply some glue along the edge of the paper.
- Attach the edge of the paper with the zigzag cutting firmly.
- Apply some glue to the side with zigzag cutting and roll up the papers
  - Make sure that the zigzag cutting is the inner part of the stems.
Step 3: Shaping the Colorful Flowers - Option A

- To shape the flowers, you need to get a square paper with the color of your choice and cut it off to create four new smaller squares.
- Take one of the smaller squares and fold it in half.
- Fold it in half again so that you get a very small square.
  - Fold the tiny square diagonally to get a tiny triangle.
  - Cut off the bottom part of the folded side a bit.
  - Cut it diagonally and do not cut more than \( \frac{1}{4} \).
  - After that, cut the opposite side a bit.
  - Cut it diagonally, too.
  - Unfold the paper.
- Repeat these steps to the other papers. You can make small flowers as many as possible. But if you find these steps to be difficult, there is another option!

Shaping the Colorful Flowers - Option B

- Take one of the smaller squares and draw a flower on it.
- Cut off the flower by cutting along the line you drew, and a flower is ready.
  - These steps might take more time than those of Option A, but many find it much easier. The choice is yours!
- Once you have got all the flowers, you can begin to make some tiny circles
  - Apply a little glue to the circles and attach them to the flowers.
    - Make sure that the circles you are going to attach have a different color from the flowers so that they can make noticeable centers.

Step 4: Assembling the Flowers

- If you have the flowers that you want, apply some glue to the back of the flowers and attach them to the green stems.
  - If you use a hot glue gun, make sure that you only apply a dot of glue, as applying too much hot glue will create a bulk on the surface of the flowers

Now you’re ready to give it to Mom!