

# 2024 October Newsletter



October 2024

# What's comming?



October 12th 2024 7th Annual Fall Festival  
3300 McCray St , Bakersfield CA93308



BAKERSFIELD ELKS LODGE #266  
1616 30<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
BAKERSFIELD, CA 93301

FALL CRAFT BAZAAR  
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19,  
2024

Event 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

October 19th 2024 Elks Lodge #266 Fall Craft Bazaar  
Bakesfield Elks Lodge #266 1616 30th Street



October 27th Bakersfield Monster Mash Dash  
The Park At the River Walk, 11298 Stockdale Hwy,  
Bakersfield CA



## DID YOU KNOW?

October gets its name from the Latin word octo, meaning 'eight,' as it was the eighth month in the early Roman calendar. When the Romans later adopted a 12-month calendar, the name remained, even though October became the 10th month. Despite the shift, its historical roots are still reflected in the name we use today.



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# FACTS AND FIGURES OF BREAST CANCER

According to The Cancer Treatment Centers of America, breast cancer is one of the most common non-skin cancers among American women. It accounts for about 1 in 3 cancers diagnosed in women. Despite its high prevalence, the outlook for women diagnosed with breast cancer has improved dramatically over the years. Advancements in early detection, such as regular mammograms, and innovative treatment options like targeted therapies, immunotherapy, and improved surgical techniques, have significantly increased survival rates.

In fact, the five-year survival rate for localized breast cancer (cancer that has not spread beyond the breast) is around 99%, according to the American Cancer Society.

Furthermore, new treatments, such as breast-conserving surgeries and reconstructive procedures, allow many women to maintain their physical appearance after treatment.

For many, modern approaches also include options for personalized treatment plans, taking into account the specific biology of their cancer, ensuring that therapies are as effective as possible while minimizing side effects. As a result, more women than ever are not only surviving breast cancer but are also able to preserve a sense of normalcy in their lives during and after treatment.

The Cancer Treatment Centers of America reported the following information about breast cancer.

- 1 out of every 8 women will develop breast cancer in their lifetime
- About 60,000 new cases of non-invasive carcinoma in situ, the earliest form of breast cancer, will be diagnosed in 2015
- About 231,000 new cases of invasive breast cancer will be diagnosed in 2015
- In the 1960s, the 5 year survival rate for women with breast cancer was 63%; today, that number has increased to 89%

## LIVING BENEFITS TERMINAL ILLNESS

### What qualifies?

Generally, if you have been diagnosed with a terminal illness that will result in death within 24 months of certification of the illness by a physician.

### Receiving your benefit

The benefit payment will be a lump sum. There is no waiting period or annual benefit limit, but there is a lifetime limit on the amount of benefits you can receive across all Accelerated Benefits Riders.

### Here if you need it

You can elect to either:

- Request the full acceleration, on a discounted basis, and use the lump-sum as you wish.
- Choose to leave a portion of the policy's death benefit intact and receive a partial benefit.
- Choose to leave the entire policy intact for your beneficiary.



# PEANUT BUTTER SPIDER COOKIES

## Ingredients

- 1 (16.5-ounce) tube peanut butter cookie dough
- 20 to 24 miniature Reese's peanut butter cups
- 1 cup milk chocolate chips
- candy eyeballs (optional)
- 1/2 teaspoon shortening or vegetable oil

## Instructions

- Prepare the cookies according to package directions. Remove from oven and transfer the cookies to a cooling rack to slightly cool.
- Unwrap the peanut butter cups and gently press in the center of the cookies. Let harden.
- In a microwave-safe bowl, add chocolate chips and vegetable oil or shortening (if desired; it makes the chocolate a little easier to work with!)
- Microwave in 15-second bursts, stirring between each burst for 10 seconds until chocolate is melted and smooth. Transfer melted chocolate to a plastic bag and cut off the very tip of the bag.
- Pipe "spider legs" onto the cookie starting from the Reese's cup going outward.
- If desired, pipe a little melted chocolate on the back of the edible eye candies and press into the Reese's cup.



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