



PROJECT: GET IT DONE TOGETHER

Parmesan Ranch Snack Mix

Adult Supervision Required | Contains dairy, gluten, and nuts

Ingredients:

- 2/3 cup canola, vegetable, or olive oil
- 1 one-ounce packet ranch dip seasoning mix powder
- 4 cups popcorn, popped (2 to 3 tablespoons unpopped kernels)
- 3 1/2 cups pretzels (waffle-style pretzels recommended)
- 3/4 cup peanuts, almonds, cashews, or favorite nuts or mixed nuts, optional
- 3 ounces Parmesan cheese, grated

Optional Variations:

Can be added instead of or in combination with the other dry ingredients: Coarsely crushed saltines, oyster crackers, Club or Ritz crackers, rye crisps, Asian-style rice crackers, tortilla or potato chips, favorite gourmet or specialty crackers, cashews, almonds, pecans, sunflower seeds, pistachios. For a spicy version, add a pinch of chili powder or cayenne pepper, to taste.

Instructions:

1. In a large microwave-safe bowl, add the oil, ranch mix, and stir to combine
2. Add the popcorn, pretzels and nuts.
3. Toss to evenly coat the mixture.
4. Heat on high power for 2 minutes, stopping after 1 minute to toss the mixture.
5. Add the Parmesan and toss to coat evenly.
6. Serve mix immediately.

Makes 8 servings

Total time: 5 minutes