

Recipe of the Month – February 2021

Split Pea Soup

Serves 8

Serving Size: 1 ½ cups Cost per Serving: \$0.77

Ingredients:

4 cups low sodium chicken broth

6 cups water

1 pound split peas, rinsed

½ cup brown rice

½ teaspoon ground black pepper

1 cup celery, sliced

1 cup carrots, sliced

1 cup onion, diced

1 cup ham, cubed



Directions:

- 1. Stir chicken broth, water, split peas, rice, and ground black pepper together in a large pot. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat to low. Simmer, covered, for 30 minutes.
- 2. Add celery, carrots, and onion to soup. Simmer, covered, for 30 minutes or until peas and vegetables are tender.
- 3. Stir in ham. Heat 5 minutes.

Tips:

· This soup freezes well.

Nutrition Facts per Serving: 300 calories, 3g total Fat (.5g sat. fat), 15mg. Cholesterol, 300mg Sodium, 49g Carbohydrates, 16g Fiber, 7g Sugar, 19g Protein

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