



Hello everyone to the 15th edition, Week 8 of 2022, of the NLLB Activities Packet!!!

This weeks theme, Fairy Tale Day!! Who doesn't love a good fairy tale? We all know them, most of us likely grew up listening to them at night as bed time stories. Also, I was going to also have a nice Bowl of Fruit for a coloring page, for "Let's All Eat Right Day", but while looking, I came across the Fruit Tart one that I ended up using and decided, "Hey, this is cute, I want to use it." and besides, a fruit tart isn't terribly unhealthy, it has a ton of fruit, so that counts right? Right.

Other than all that, we hope you have a great rest of the month, and that you have all the happiness in the world shin down on you!

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1) Nothing really on this one.
Hope you had a good February,
and that you're finishing off the
month strong!!!

Holiday's and Observances

Weekly Observances:

Children's Authors and Illustrators Week
National Marriage Week
Freelance Writers Appreciation Week
Jell-O Week
Great American Pizza Bake
Random Acts of Kindness Week

Week 8:

Feb 22nd:
*George Washington's Birthday, Be Humble Day,
World Thinking Day, National Margarita Day*

Feb 23rd:
National Banana Bread Day

Feb 24th:
National Tortilla Chip Day

Feb 25th:
*National Chocolate Covered Nut Day, Let's All Eat
Right Day, National Clam Chowder Day, National
Pancake Day*

Feb 26th:
Tell a Fairy Tale Day, National Pistachio Day

Feb 27th:
*No Brainer Day, International Polar Bear Day,
National Chili Day*

Feb 28th:
*National Public Sleeping Day, National Chocolate
Souffle Day, National Science Day, Rare Disease
Day (either 28 or 29 depending on year)*

Monthly Observances:

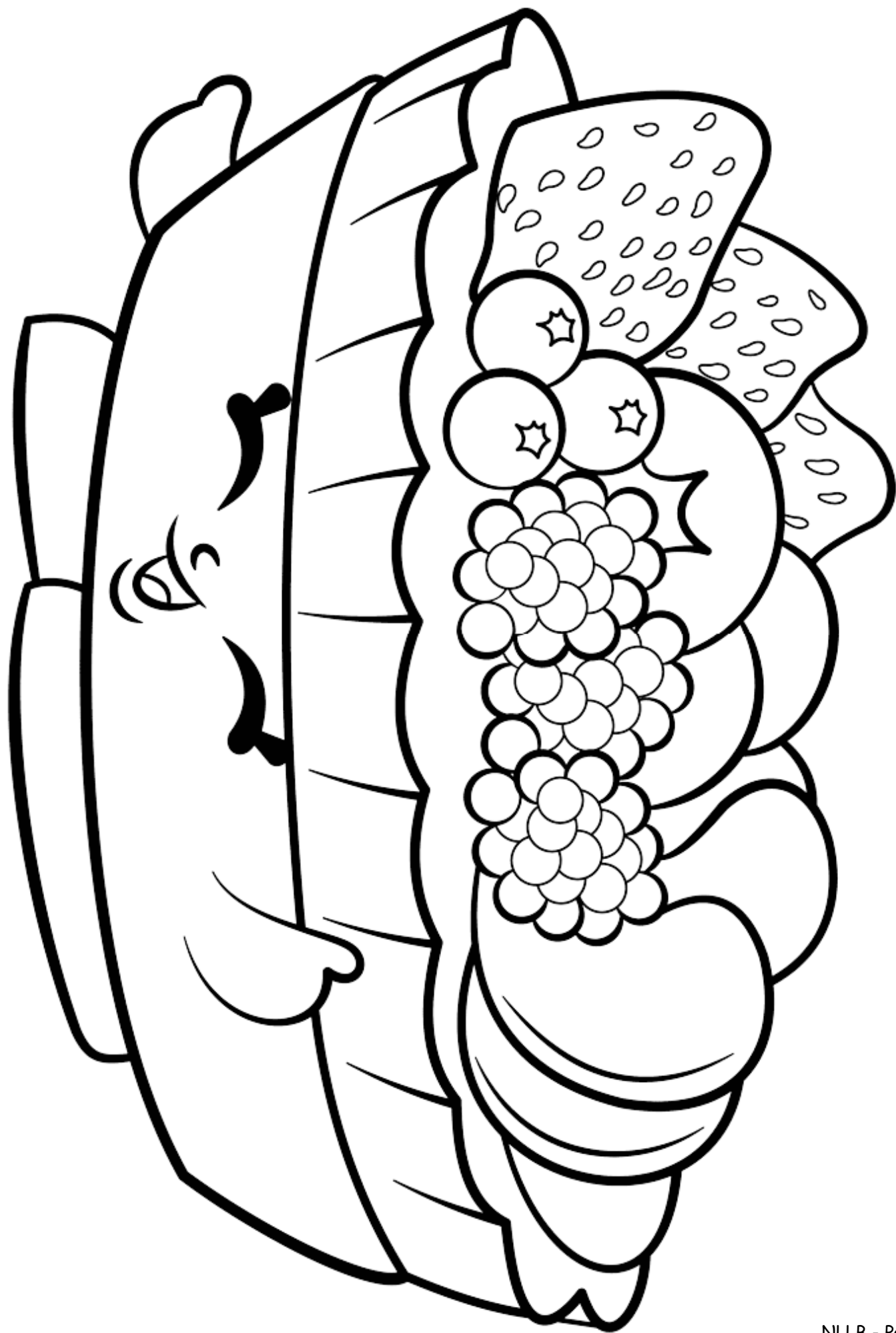
American Heart Month
Black History Month
Canned Food Month
Dog Training Education Month
Friendship Month
Great American Pie Month
Library Lovers Month
National Bird Feeding Month
National Cherry Month
National Hot Breakfast Month
National Snack Food Month
National Youth Leadership Month
National Pet Dental Health Month
Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month

Fun Fact of the Month:

How Leap Day Balances Our Calendar:

Every four years we have a Leap Year, which means a day is added to the end of February (the shortest month) called Leap Day. The extra day is a corrective measure that synchronizes the calendar with the earth's almost year-long orbit around the sun. Without Leap Day, a few hours would cumulatively disappear every year, eventually throwing off our calendar and seasons.





Cup o' Dirt

What's to say? It's a cup o' dirt with worms in it!



PREP TIME

30 mins

TOTAL TIME

30 mins



COURSE

Dessert, Snack, Snack
Time

CUISINE

American

SERVINGS

12 Cups



CALORIES

450 kcal

INGREDIENTS

- 2 Pkg Instant Chocolate Pudding I used Fudge and Chocolate for a two layered effect.
- 1 Pkg Oreo Cookies
- 1 Pkg Gummy Worms I used Mini Worms, they fit very nicely in the cups.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Get your cups out. I bought some small "snack cups", no joke that's what they were called. Anyway, get your cups out and crush up some Oreos. I used my magic bullet, it makes a nice powder, but if you want it more crunchy, use a Ziplock bag and a rolling pin, meat hammer, etc. Whatever you have around to crush Oreos. Once you have your Oreos to the desired consistency, place them in the bottom of your cup. I put gummy worms in the bottom of my cups as well, so that way you get lots of gummy worms in your Cups o' Dirt.
2. Prepare one box of your pudding mix as per instructions on the box. Now, be quick about it, and as evenly as possible, distribute the pudding into your cups. It will firm up fast, so you have to be quick about it if you want to pour it in. If you don't care, then you just scoop it in and flatten with a spoon or spatula.
3. Optional Step: I should have, but didn't think about it, but you can crush up some more Oreos and put it in between the pudding layers to help break it up visually. The one I did, my pudding colors were pretty similar, so you can only kinda tell it's two layers.

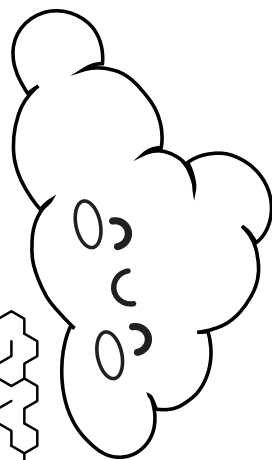
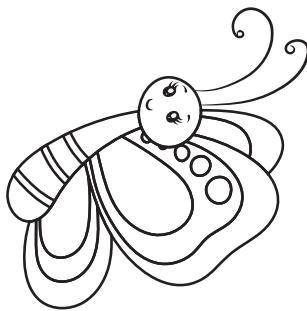
4. Now, rinse your pudding bowl out, and dry it. Mix the second box of pudding mix per the instructions on the box, and do the same thing. Scoop or pour it into the cups for your second layer, filling your cups up.
5. After you let the pudding set for a few minutes, crush up some more Oreos, sprinkle on top, and put gummy worms on top. And there you have it, some fresh Cups o' Dirt!

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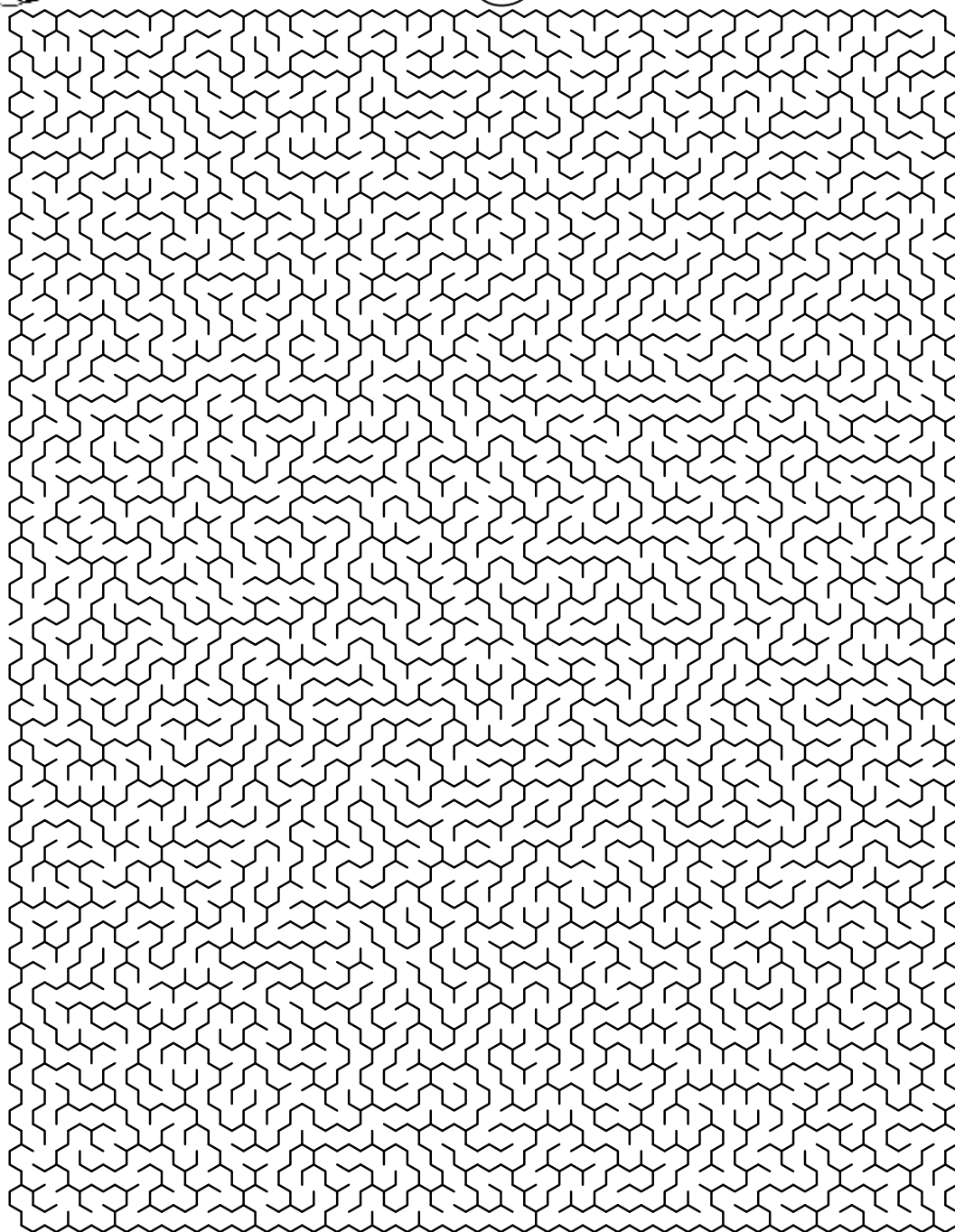
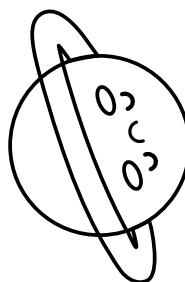
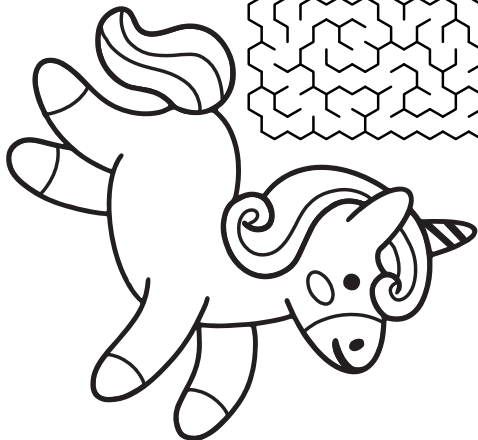
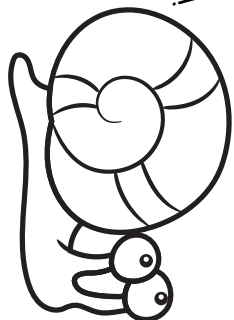
Keep in mind, I picked cups the size I wanted to use 2 packages of pudding mix. Obviously you will have to plan accordingly for the size cup you want to use, or use less cups and more pudding. It's all up to you! You can even make a big pudding cup you have to scoop servings out, I've seen it done before.

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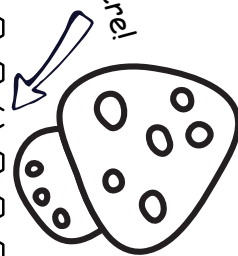
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Yay, you finished!!!



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www.coloringhome.com

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In House

• We're always looking for ideas that we can put in with our activities. If you have any ideas, feel free to e-mail us, we're always here!

• If you're an artist and feel like doing some original doodles/drawings for us we'd love anything you wish to give us, just keep it PG of course. If you want to do some for free, awesome! If you want to do some to get paid, we can always talk about that, feel free to email us! Just know we don't really make any money right now, so we don't have much to go around.

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