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## KICK OFF THE HOLIDAYS AT CHRISTKINDLMARKET

Believe it or not, Christmas is right around the corner. Before the hustle and bustle of the season starts, get your fill of holiday fun at <u>Christkindlmarket</u>. The authentic German festival is a celebration of holiday cheer, German tradition, and beautiful hand-crafted ornaments, toys, and crafts.

This year, dozens of vendors will set up shop right outside the Fiserv Forum for a cheery display of candy cane-striped wooden huts. The free event will be the first to take place at the arena's outdoor plaza. In addition to shopping an array of trinkets and treats, festival-goers will also be able to get a taste of traditional German food and see a variety of performers.

And to spread even more holiday cheer, you can sing loud for all to hear! Join in the <u>Lantern Parade</u>, December 2nd for a magical experience rooted in German tradition. <u>Reserve your lantern</u> for \$10 to parade through the Christkindlmarket while singing your favorite Christmas carols for a night to remember.

Festival hours are Sunday-Thursday, 11 AM-8PM and Friday-Saturday, 11AM-9PM. Check the website for special hours on Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, and New Year's Eve.

#### SPECIAL REMINDERS

Do you need a referral for anything? Call us, we would love to help!

If you have any changes to your personal information, please call Pauline at 414-359-1756.

Would you like to schedule a progress appointment with Jay? Call Pauline at 414-359-1756 to set up an appointment.

Wishing all our clients born in November a great birthday, cheers to another year!

The celebs celebrating ... 11/4: Laura Bush turns 72

11/11: Demi Moore turns 56 11/17: Ryan Braun turns 35

11/21: Michael Strahan turns 47

11/30: Ben Stiller turns 53

## MARK THESE DATES IN DECEMBER

11/27-12/24: A CHRISTMAS CAROL - Pabst Theater

12/8: A CHARLIE BROWN CHRISTMAS LIVE - Riverside Theater

12/14-16: HARRY POTTER & THE PRISONER OF AZKABAN IN CONCERT - Riverside Theater

12/19-21: DICKENS DINNER BY BARTOLOTTA'S - Grain Exchange

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# EASY PUMPKIN CHEESECAKE

Prep Time: 20 mins + chilling Bake Time: 55 mins + cooling

CRUST:

1 cup graham cracker crumbs

1 tablespoon sugar

1/4 cup butter, melted

FILLING:

2 packages (8-oz. each) cream cheese, softened

3/4 cup sugar

2 large eggs

1 can (15-oz.) pumpkin

1 1/4 teaspoons ground cinnamon

1/2 teaspoon ground ginger

1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg

1/2 teaspoon salt

TOPPING:

2 cups sour cream

2 tablespoons sugar

1 teaspoons vanilla extract

12 to 16 pecan halves, chopped



- 1) In a small bowl, combine the graham cracker crumbs and sugar; stir in butter. Press into the bottom of a 9-in. spring foam pan; chill.
- 2) For filling, in a large bowl, beat cream cheese and sugar until smooth. Add eggs, beat on low speed just until combined. Stir in the pumpkin, spices and salt.
- 3) Pour into crust. Place pan on a baking sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 50 minutes.
- 4) Meanwhile, for topping, combine the sour cream, sugar and vanilla until smooth. Spread over filling; return to the oven for 5 minutes. Cool on rack for 10 minutes. Carefully run a knife around the edge of the pan to loosen; cool 1 hour longer.
- 5) Refrigerate overnight. Remove sides of pan. Top with chopped pecans. Refrigerate leftovers.

# A MESSAGE FROM JAY ...

Welcome to November!

When the Milwaukee Brewers embarked on a large-scale rebuilding effort in 2015, there was no way to project a return to playoff mode in three years. It was an exciting September as the Brewers went 20-7 and beat the Cubs in a tie breaker on October 1st to claim the National League Central and home field advantage

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of the regular season and the beginning of the playoffs, the Brewers won 12 games in a row! I went to all of the home playoff games with my family as they swept the Colorado Rockies in the divisional round and got within one game of playing in the World Series when they lost to the Los Angeles Dodgers.

It was a great season and I will have many memories of the exciting finish that I got to witness with my family. The Brewers should be competitive for years to come and bring us some more great baseball memories. I hope everyone has a nice Thanksgiving with your family and friends!

Be well, Jay













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