# Back To Health and Living SDC News Letter

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### **WEEKLY MEETING BHLC:**

DUFF STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURGH. 400 Duff Ave. Clarksburg WV. AGENDA – THURSDAY March 31, 2005

1. 5:00 Exercise

2. 6:00 Stress Management

3. 7:00 Group

5. 7:30 Dinner MINARDS

#### **EDITORIAL:** Group Support Meetings

Sometimes we may have trouble connecting in the group support meetings. I have seen this on some of the comments on the Modality Adherence form. But I have found that an open heart and taking time to listen to others has made a major difference in my prospective of group. I am not the person that is vocal about my inner feelings, but I have an abundance of Love in my heart for others as I feel we all do. I want to comment on our last group SDC meeting. I was touched by each person as they gave a testimonial of what the program has done for them and this was not planned but from only thinking of a word. And every word was positive. I leave group each week energized for the next week. I would recommend anyone who does not attend a SDC to make every effort to attend at the next opportunity. It will in rich your life.

#### **SDC:**

**Modality Adherence** results for the week of 3-07-2005, from the Clarksburg Electronic Adherence form are shown below. Thank you for the participation, it is important to our future. Great job on keeping the Stress Management above the 80% mark.

MOLADITY	RESULTS %
Exercise	83.9
Diet	84.5
Stress Management	81.5
Group Support	90.8
Out Side Group Support	80.4
Not Attending Group	3
Number of Inputs	14

## <u> Clarksburg WV</u>

Don't forget about the Taste of Ornish meetings in West Virginia. Please make a copy and give one to your neighbors that may be interested in coming and seeing what the program is about. Let's help everyone we can.

**April 6** – Wheeling Hospital, Wheeling – 6pm – 8pm

**April 7** – Charleston Area Medical Center,

 $Charleston - 5{:}30pm - 8pm \\$ 

West Virginia University Hospitals, Inc.,

Morgantown-5pm-7:30pm

**April 12** – St. Mary's Hospital, Huntington

-3:30pm-6:30pm

April 13 – United Hospital Center,

Clarksburg – 5:30pm – 7pm

#### RECIPES: ORANGE-CHERRY BISCOTTI

By: MAX WEAVER

Preheat oven to 350. Mix in food .processor or by hand:

2 cups wheat flour

1 cup sugar

1 tsp baking powder

2 tblsp nonfat dry milk

Blend, then add: 3 eggs worth of egg substitute or <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup egg whites

2 tblsp orange juice

1 tsp vanilla, Zest of 1 orange

Blend. Remove from processor. Then stir in: 1¾ cup dried cherries (or currants, raisins, or dried cranberries or a combination) Mixture should be thick and sticky. Form into two long logs on a Pam-sprayed cookie sheet. Bake for 20 minutes. Let cool 10 minutes or so. Slice into cookies, as thin or thick as desired, using a SHARP knife.

Lay back out on cookie sheet and bake 15 min per side. Let cool on rack. Will harden more as it cools.

You can use any flour; if you use whole wheat or other coarse flour, add 1 or 2 tablespoons of gluten per cup. Can also substitute Splenda for part of the sugar.