



Escanaba, MI

Business: SAYKLY'S CANDIES

Name: Kevin and Julie Robitaille

Kevin Robitaille Julie Robitaille

Sweet Spot: Whopper Snappies

Life Story:

The company was founded in 1906. In 1987, Kevin was hired to take out trash and pack boxes, but soon he had apprenticed himself to Mike Kobasic, the founder's grandson who over time, would entrust him with the family's recipes, techniques and hard-won wisdom.



Secrets of Success:

The company is deeply rooted in its surrounding community, conducting fundraisers for both national charities and local schools and clubs. In the traditionally slow summer months, they travel the fair circuit and present showcases throughout the region, ensuring a steady flow of business and advancing their brand recognition.

Why Peters?™

"History speaks for itself. From the beginning, we have maintained our high standards, using only premium ingredients to achieve the same quality flavor profile, batch after batch and year after year."

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Creamy Butter Fudge

Recipe provided by Saykly's Candies

Ingredients:

- 3 lbs Corn Syrup
- 9 1/4 lbs Sugar
- 4 oz Powdered Milk
- 2 lbs Water
- 1/2 oz Salt
- 11 lbs Peter's® Burgundy® Semisweet Chocolate
- 3 1/2 lbs AA Wisconsin Butter

Directions:

1. Combine corn syrup, sugar, powdered milk, water, and salt in copper kettle.
2. Cook until the temperature reaches 238° F.
3. Combine remaining ingredients in mixer bowl.
4. Add cooked ingredients, mix until blended.
5. Pour into container to cool for 12 hours.
6. Fudge is ready to extrude for candy bars.

Approx. Yield: 440 Bars

June