



## Fresh Dirt Cake

- 1 Large package of Oreo cookies (3 row package)
- ½ Stick of butter (or margarine)
- 8 oz. Cream Cheese
- 1 Cup powdered sugar
- 3½ Cups of milk
- 2 Small packages of instant vanilla pudding
- 1 12 oz. container of Cool Whip (**must thaw 6 hours in the refrigerator and don't throw away the container top**)

**Optional** - sprinkle Black Walnut pieces or Pecan pieces throughout the cake.

Crush one large package of Oreo cookies until it looks like rich dirt; you can use a blender or food processor, and then set aside. (I use a food processor)

Cream together a half stick of butter (or margarine), 8 ounces of Cream Cheese, and one cup of powdered sugar.

In a separate large bowl mix 3-1/2 cups of milk, two packages of vanilla instant pudding and a 12 ounce container of Cool Whip.

Now add the creamed mixture to the pudding and cool whip and mix well.

Place the Cool Whip lid in the bottom of a clean 8-inch diameter plastic flower pot (I found the plastic flower pot at the local Raleys store back in 1997). Start with a layer of crushed cookies; then a layer of the cream and pudding mixture. Continue to layer, finishing with the cookies on top.

Refrigerate over night. Garnish with artificial flowers, and use a small dirt scoop for serving. Serves 10.

# ENJOY !!