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Your Corner...

Your Corner... would like to wish all our readers a happy and festive Easter with lots of painted and decorated Easter eggs and bunny chocolates.

Here is an idea to get you into the swing of the season:

Schokoladenhase (Chocolate Bunny)

Dough

125 gr butter or margarine
125 gr sugar
1 vanilla pod, scrape out seeds
4 eggs
150 gr dark chocolate, melted
200 gr ground almonds
50 gr breadcrumbs

Beat butter/margarine and sugar with the vanilla seeds to a nice yellow coloured mass. Add eggs one at a time, and stirring continuously, add chocolate, almonds and breadcrumbs. Mix well.

Prepare a bunny form, or large enough cake form to be able to cut your bunny into shape. Fill with dough and bake at 180°C for 45 minutes at the bottom of the oven.

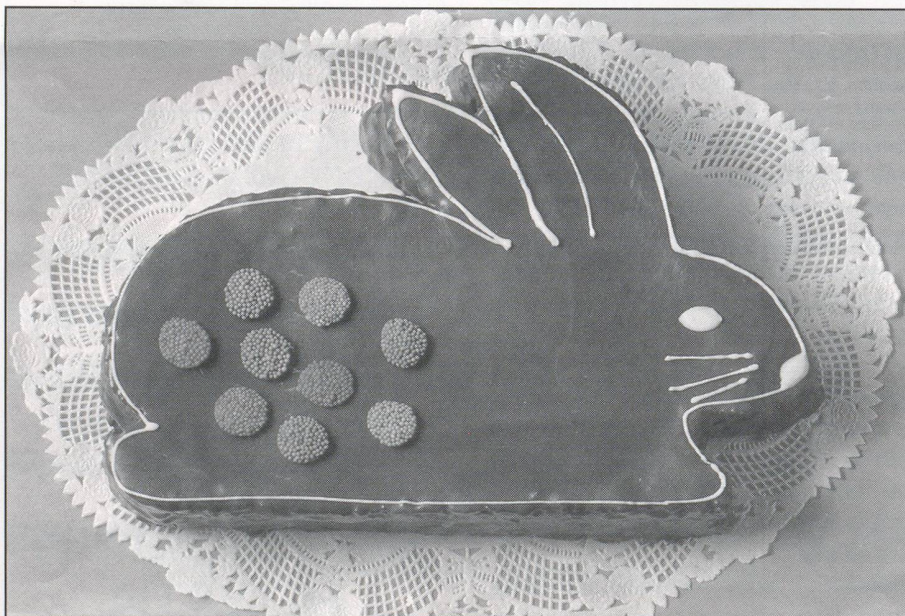
Glaze

150 gr dark chocolate
3 tsp water
60 gr icing sugar
40 gr butter

Mix together and decorate to your heart's content !!

Have fun !!

Happy Easter
Doris and Trudy



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Lucerne tunes up for Easter

As Easter approaches, Lucerne is hosting its 11th springtime music festival in the stunning lakeside Culture and Convention centre and various churches across the town.

Post Office to axe 1,000 jobs

Switzerland's Post Office is preparing to cut its staff by 1,000 employees, in a bid to boost profits in the mail sector through automation.

Swiss builders reach accord on retirement age

Swiss construction workers have hammered out a deal with employers which would allow them to retire at 60

Sunday press war heats up

A fierce circulation battle is expected to break out in German-speaking Switzerland with the arrival of a new Sunday newspaper, the "NZZ am Sonntag".

Switzerland – a biker's paradise?

Switzerland's mountainous terrain is no deterrent to cycling enthusiasts! Although Switzerland is popular with cyclists, bike manufacturers have encountered bumpy roads. One after another has been forced to close. Switzerland's dense network of bike paths includes nine signposted national tour routes totalling 3,300 kilometres, which link the different regions of Switzerland. The network is completed by another 3,000 kilometres of regional cycle tracks. In the year 2000 alone – more recent figures are not yet available – the network was used 3.4 million times, either for day trips or for tours lasting several days. Almost half of those discovering the country by bike were Swiss, while most of the bikers from abroad came from Germany.

Recently an international fair

opened at the Messe Zurich. Called "2-Rad" ("2 wheels"), the fair featured 213 exhibitors in an area of nearly 1.5 hectares over a six-day period, and gave prominence to innovations on the international cycle and motorcycle market.

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Read down each column in turn.
The Message begins;

I wonder how long it will take...

You can read the rest for yourself!

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