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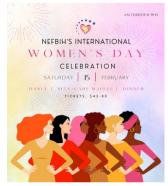




DOBRO NAM DOŠLI PRIJATELJI

BRINGING TOGETHER WOMEN FROM ALL OVER THE BALKANS TO CELEBRATE EACH OTHER

HONORING THE REPEATED BEAUTY THAT OUR POPULATION HAS OFFERED THIS WORLD THROUGHOUT ITS DESTINY



6-10 PM DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel SO FERNCROFT RD, DANVERS, MA

NEFBiH is thrilled to announce our 2025 International Women's Day Celebration! With Ramadan taking place throughout March, we've chosen to bring our community together for an unforgettable evening of joy and connection on February 15th. Join us at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel for a

Join us at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel for a women-only event featuring dinner, dancing, and a rejuvenating self-care raffle—plus a special performance by the KUD Ljiljani Folklore Group!

✤ Get your <u>https://linktr.ee/nefbih</u> tickets now:

EVENT summary

International Women's Day Doubletree by Hilton Hotel Sat. Feb. 15th @ 6 PM

Monthly Bookclub *VIRTUAL VIA ZOOM* The Balkan Air by Aydin Kavara Feb. 27th @ 7 PM

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NEFBIH'S LANGUAGE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT IS OPEN NOW!



Preserving Our Bosnian Language & Heritage

At NEFBiH, we recognize the importance of preserving Bosnian language skills as a fundamental part of our Bosnian-American identity. Committed to this belief, our Leadership Team is proud to continue our Language School into its 11th year, expanding educational and cultural experiences for both children and adults.

Our School's Main Goals:

Develop students' language skills based on their age and proficiency

Foster an awareness of Bosnian culture and multi-ethnic identity

- 🗹 Strengthen connections with Bosnia and Herzegovina
- 📅 First class begins: Saturday, February 1st

Classes held via ZOOM every Saturday, except on 02/22, 04/26, and 05/24 (Holiday weekends).

- Children's Classes: 10:30 AM 12:00 PM
- Adult Classes: 4:00 PM 6:00 PM

For more information, feel free to contact our team!

-Nefira Masic

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TO IGNORE

THE BALKAN AIR

By: Aydin Kavara

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• Suada Mansouri

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HAVE A FAMILY RECIPE YOU'D LIKE TO SHARE? SEND IT TO: INFO@NEFBIH.ORG

Instructions:

- In a bowl, mix 1 tbsp of yeast, 1 tbsp sugar & 1/2 cup of flour. Gradually add 250 ml of warm milk and stir well to dissolve.
- Add 1 tsp of lemon juice, 1 tbsp of sour cream, & a pinch of salt. Gradually add 2 cups of flour, mixing well until a soft dough forms.
- Knead the dough for a few minutes until smooth, then cover the bowl with a cloth or plastic wrap. Allow the dough to rest for 30-45 minutes.
- In a small bowl make the filling,100ml milk, 100 gr poppyseeds, 3Tbsp sugar, vanilla extract & grits.

Assembling:

Once the dough has rested and risen, roll it out on a floured surface into a square, about 1/4 inch thick. Spread the poppy seed filling evenly over the dough. Roll up the dough with the filling inside, shaping it as desired. Place the shaped dough on a parchment-lined baking sheet. Baking: Preheat your oven to 385°F (195°C) for 30 minutes or until golden brown. Dust with powdered sugar before serving.

Enjoy your delicious poppy seed pastry!

INGREDIENTS:

- 1 TBSP YEAST
- 4 TBSP SUGER
- 1/2 CUP FLOUR
- 250 ML WARM MILK
- 1 TSP LEMON JUICE
- 1 TBSP SOUR CREAM
- PINCH OF SALT
- 2 CUPS FLOUR (ADDITIONAL)
- 100 GR POPYSEEDS
- 1/4 CUP GRITS

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