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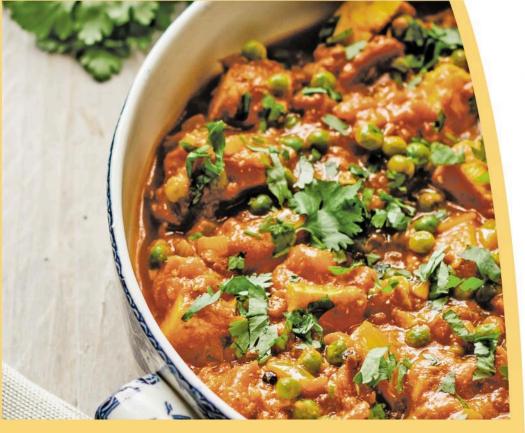
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#### **Featured Inside:**

- Earth Day starts at home, with great tips to reduce food waste
- Hints for shopping the co-op's bulk aisle will save money and packaging
- A delicious Vegetable Korma recipe to liven up your weekday meals
- Win your very own organic garden kit from Seed Matters! Details inside



## **Vegetable Korma**

Serves 4. Prep time: 30 minutes.

- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 1 cup diced yellow onion
- 1 teaspoon minced fresh ginger
- 3 tablespoons minced garlic
- 2 small red or Yukon potatoes, diced
- ½ cup water

- 1 cup tomato sauce
- 2 tablespoons curry powder
- 12 ounces Cascadian Farm frozen organic mixed vegetables
- 1 cup light coconut milk
- Salt and black pepper to taste

Heat the oil in a large pot over medium-high heat. Add the onion and sauté for 5 minutes, then add the ginger, garlic and potatoes and sauté for 2 minutes more. Add the water, tomato sauce and curry powder and bring to a simmer. Stir well, cover with a lid and cook 6 to 8 minutes. Add the frozen mixed vegetables and coconut milk and simmer for 5 to 10 minutes until the vegetables are tender. Season to taste with salt and black pepper.

Serving suggestion: This Indian dish is delicious served hot over basmati rice with a side of naan; garnish with fresh cilantro or chopped peanuts for color and crunch. Add cubed tofu, paneer or cooked chicken at the same time as the frozen vegetables for a heartier version. Substitute cream for the coconut milk if desired.



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## Earth Day Ideas: Buying in Bulk

More and more shoppers are checking out the bulk aisles—and for good reason! It's great for your budget and the environment, since there's less packaging required.

Stock up on staples: the bulk section offers beans, nuts, cereals, flours and a variety of grains. You can buy and try small amounts of nut butters, pastas, teas and coffees before committing to a large quantity.

Herbs and spices can be bought in just the amount you need for a fraction of the price of whole jars. It makes it easy and cheap to try new recipes that call for small amounts of ingredients you don't stock in your pantry. Look for pet food and household items, like laundry detergent and soaps, too.

For more great co-op tips and earth-friendly ideas, check out www.strongertogether.coop.





## **Baby Greens and Beet Salad** with Lemon Chia Dressing

Serves 4 to 6. Prep time: 20 minutes.

#### Dressing:

- 5 tablespoons lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 tablespoon minced garlic
- 1 tablespoon minced shallots
- 1 tablespoon Dijon mustard
- 2 teaspoons chia seeds
- 1 to 2 teaspoons honey
- Pinch each of salt and black pepper

#### Salad:

- 15-ounce package baby greens
- 1 small beet, peeled and shredded
- 11/2 cups strawberries, sliced
- 1 cup goat cheese, crumbled

Whisk together all of the dressing ingredients in a small bowl and set aside. In a large bowl, gently toss the baby greens, beets and strawberries with a few tablespoons of dressing. Taste and add more dressing if desired. Top with the goat cheese crumbles before serving.

Serving suggestion: The tart-sweet flavors of this salad and dressing complement rich and earthy main dishes and chewy hearth breads. Substitute baby spinach or mesclun mix for the baby greens or use feta in place of the goat cheese. Refrigerate any unused dressing for later use.



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## Chevre

This tangy and slightly tart goat milk cheese comes in a range of textures from creamy and soft to dry and semifirm. Enjoy an easy appetizer by slicing a log of chevre into medallions and arranging them on a serving plate; drizzle with olive oil, sprinkle with fresh herbs and lemon zest and serve with slices of crusty baguette. Creamy pieces of soft chevre are delicious atop omelets, salads or crackers. Or pair with strawberries for a simple seasonal dessert. Classic "pur chevre" is made entirely of goat milk; when labeled "mi-chevre" the cheese is at least half goat milk, most often mixed with cow's milk.



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## Baby Salad Greens

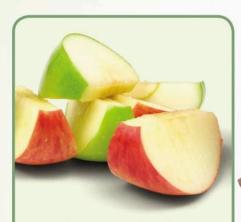
As stronger sunshine coaxes new growth from the ground, just-picked baby salad greens begin to appear in the produce aisle. Refreshing and tender with a mild flavor, mixes of baby greens are a great way to welcome seasonal produce back to your plate. Use baby salad greens as a base for spring veggies like thinlysliced radishes or roasted asparagus or broccoli. Add fresh peas and carrots and colorful red and orange peppers to a bed of greens and top with grilled chicken or tofu. Experiment with salad dressing to find your favorite combinations!

Visit www.strongertogether.coop for more ways to use seasonal fruits and veggies.

# Earth Day Starts at Home Tips for Reducing Food Waste

If you're looking for a simple way to celebrate Earth Day this year, here are some great ideas from chef and cookbook author Robin Asbell on how to cut food waste. Cleaning up your neighborhood park or working to reduce pollution are still very important issues, but according to the Environmental Protection Agency, uneaten food contributes about 25% of methane emissions as it breaks down in landfills and dumps – not to mention its toxic effect on our food budgeting!

## Here are some tips:



Leave skins on apples when cooking or baking to reap the nutrients and fiber they contain, and save time. If you do peel, add them to soup stock for a subtle sweetness.

Zest your organically-grown citrus before you juice it; then freeze the zest in a freezer bag for adding a hint of citrus to everything from muffins to pastas.

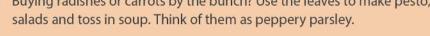


Bananas a bit too brown? Peel and freeze them, then add to smoothies or thaw and puree for banana bread, muffins and cakes.

Veggies going soft in the crisper? Cook and puree carrots, sweet potatoes, greens, cauliflower and other veggies, then freeze. Stir the purees into pasta sauce, macaroni and cheese, soups, casseroles and meatloaf for an added veggie boost.



Buying radishes or carrots by the bunch? Use the leaves to make pesto,





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Visit www.strongertogether.coop for more green household hints and tips.





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Spring flavors bring to mind fresh sprouts, green asparagus tips, young dandelion greens and other newly-emerging plants. But have you considered where most of these come from? Seeds are the ultimate source of so many wonderful and beautiful fruits and vegetables - and a delicious and nutrient-packed addition to many dishes. Chia seeds are a good source of protein, omega-3s, fiber, calcium, magnesium, potassium and phosphorus and add body to shakes, smoothies and puddings. Flax seeds are also packed with omega-3 fatty acids and can be sprinkled on salads or ground and used in baked goods to add texture. And toasted pumpkin seeds (also called pepitas) add delicious nutty crunch to a coating for fish.

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## Fruit and Nut Granola Bars

Makes 16 bars. Prep time: 20 minutes active; 45 minutes total.

- ½ cup flaxseed meal
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- ½ teaspoon ground cinnamon
- ¼ teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- ½ cup honey

- 2 ripe bananas, mashed
- ½ cup peanut butter
- 1 cup dried apples, diced
- ½ cup almonds, chopped
- ½ cup vegetable oil
- 3 cups rolled oats

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Grease a 9 x 13 inch glass casserole dish.

In a large bowl, mix together all of the ingredients except the oats. Add the oats and mix together well. Spread the mixture evenly into the casserole dish, pressing down firmly to create a smooth top. Bake in the oven on the middle rack for about 25 minutes. Let cool for about 10 minutes before cutting into 16 even bars.

Serving suggestion: Add your favorite dried fruits, like raisins, dates or cranberries, or substitute almond, cashew or sunflower nut butter for peanut butter in this high-energy breakfast and snack-time staple.

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