

Bon  
Appétit!



## \*\*YUMMY WINTER WONDERLAND WHITE HOT CHOCOLATE\*\*

*This amazing 6 ingredient White Hot Chocolate is just what you and the little ones in your life need to take the chill off in a pretty, yummy way, and comes together in about 5 minutes!*

**Prep Time: 5 mins**      **Cook Time: 10 mins**  
**Total Time: 15 mins**      **Yield: 4**

### INGREDIENTS

1 cup half n half  
3 cups 2% milk  
1 1/3 cups white chocolate chips  
Whipped cream  
Blue Sprinkles  
Corn Syrup (or preferred substitute)



### INSTRUCTIONS

1. In a saucepan over low heat add half n half, milk and white chocolate chips. Whisk frequently and do NOT allow to boil. Continue whisking until the chocolate is melted and the mixture is hot.
2. Pour some sprinkles on small shallow plate. Rim mugs with a fingertip of corn syrup. Dip rims in sprinkles and twist to coat.
3. Fill mugs with hot chocolate, top with whipped cream and sprinkles.

Recipe found on this great blog: <https://www.smalltownwoman.com/winter-wonderland-white-hot-chocolate/>

Just in time for St. Patrick's Day... - **Easy Bean w/Ham Soup!!**

### **Ingredients**

1 tablespoon olive oil  
3 carrots, diced small  
5 red potatoes, skin on, washed & diced  
1 small onion, diced small  
2 garlic cloves, minced  
1 tablespoon fresh thyme leaves  
4 (14.5 ounce) cans white beans  
(or 2 cans white & 2 cans Kidney beans or another bean of your choice to mix it up).  
1 cup frozen French green beans  
2 cartons chicken or vegetable stock + 1 cup water  
2 cups diced smoked ham  
1 ham hock or bone  
2 dried bay leaves, 1/4 cup minced parsley  
Kosher salt, to taste - Black pepper, to taste



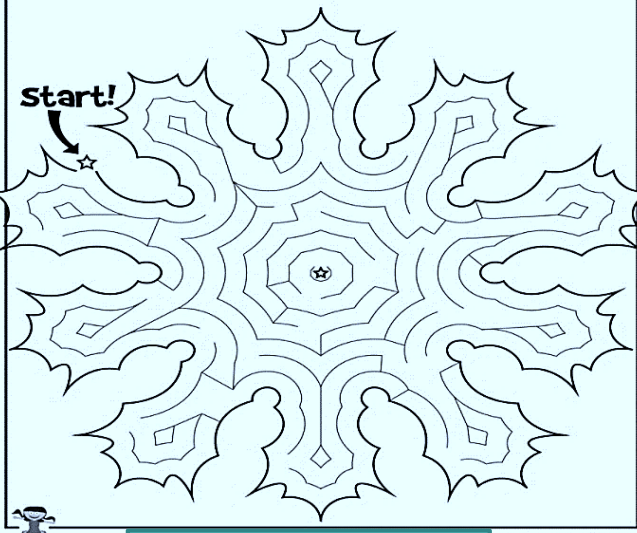
Add an extra colored bean, red-skin potatoes, and frozen green beans & your soup will have more pops of gorgeous color!

### **Instructions**

- Add olive oil to a 5-quart soup pot and set over medium-high heat.
- When the oil is hot, add in the carrots and onions. Cook for about 5 minutes or until the onions just start to soften and turn translucent.
- Add in the garlic and thyme leaves and stir to combine.
- To pot add water and broth & bring to low boil over just under hi heat.
- Add the potatoes, return to a low boil, reduce heat a small bit, and continue potatoes on low boil about 10 mins so they become tender.
- Add frozen green beans and continue on low boil an additional 4-5 mins.
- Reduce heat to medium, add all the beans with the juice from their cans, diced ham, ham hock, and bay leaves. Stir to combine.
- Simmer the soup for 10-15 minutes or until it's slightly thickened.
- Taste and season w/the desired amount of kosher salt and black pepper.
- Stir in parsley and serve hot.

Recipe found on this great blog: <https://www.nutmegnanny.com/easy-ham-and-bean-soup/>

## Snowflake Maze!



### BULLETIN BOARD:

Some upcoming local events we hope you might enjoy!

**Fri 14 JAN**  
Auto Mania - The Allentown Fairgrounds, 302 N 17th St, Allentown, PA

**Sat 15 JAN**  
Art & Yoga for Kids — Habitat Studios, 349 E Lancaster Ave, Downingtown, PA

**Sat 15 JAN**  
Flight on Ice, Delaware Co Veterans Memorial Rink, 4894 West Chester Pike, Newtown Sq, PA

**Sun Jan 16, 10:30 AM + 2 more events**  
Baby Goat Snuggles & Body Scrub, Bath Salts, and Candle Making Workshop  
Rose Bridge Farm • Dresher, PA

**Fri Jan 28, 7:00 PM**  
Winter Drip Cake Making - Adults Only, Sweet Occasions • Lahaska, PA

**Sat Jan 29, 11:30 AM**  
Philly Chocolate, Wine & Whiskey Festival  
Simeone Foundation Automotive Museum • Philadelphia, PA

**Sat Jan 29, 9:00 AM**  
6th Annual Berks Polar Plunge Benefitting THON, Blue Marsh Nat'l Rec Area • Leesport, PA

**Sat Feb 12, 7:00 PM**  
Breezefest 2022, 2632 E County Line Rd • Ardmore, PA

**Sun Feb 13, 3:00 PM**  
Adventures in Music - Children's Concert - Immaculata Symphony @Immaculata University -

**Mon February 14, 2022**  
Cupcake Decorating for All Ages, Sweet Occasions, 74. Peddler's Village, Lahaska, PA

**Fri Feb 18, 7:30 PM**  
Slainte: A Stand Up Comedy Show, Sligo Irish Pub • Media, PA

**Sat Feb 19, 11:00 AM**  
Philly Vintage Flea Market, The Greater Philadelphia Expo Center • Oaks, PA

**Sun Feb 20, 12:00 PM**  
American Bridal Show Co, Philadelphia Winter Wedding Expo, Citizens Bank Park, Phila

**Sat Feb 26, 10:00 AM**  
Learn Your Landscape, Jenkins Arboretum & Gardens • Devon, PA

**Sun Feb 27, 5:00 PM**  
The 36th International Couture Collections presented by DC Fashion Week  
DC Fashion Week Inc, The National Housing Center • Washington, DC

**Tue Mar 1 – Wed Mar 2**  
Real Irish Comedy Fest, Punch Line Philly, 33 W Laurel St, Philadelphia, PA

**Tues March 15th**  
St. Patrick's Party w/The Malarkey Brothers, Reading Liederkrantz, 143 Spook Ln, Reading

**Thu 17 MAR**  
St Paddy's Day with The Ogham Stones!, Tellus360, 24 E King St, Lancaster, PA

**Sat March 19, 2022**  
The 5th Annual Lucky's St. Patrick's Day Crawl, 2 Logan Square, Phila  
\* For Contest Instructions Visit [www.crawlwithus.com/costumecontest](http://www.crawlwithus.com/costumecontest)

**Sun 20 MAR**  
The Irish Comedy Tour, The Colonial Theatre, 227 Bridge St, Phoenixville, PA

## TP&C SEASONAL NEWSLETTER

*Maintaining Balance & Beauty in Your Home & Office*

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EARLY WINTER 2022  
EDITION



### Customer Spotlight:

In this season's newsletter we would like to thank our clients Rich & Pamela Gottlieb for the multiple projects they allowed us to help with this season. We greatly appreciate the steady supply of work and give much thanks to all our customers for your loyalty and continued patronage. We hope to always keep up a high standard of service to keep you coming back!

*Rich & Pamela Gottlieb!!*



Hello,

Happy 2022! I hope everyone enjoyed the winter holiday season! We had a very nice Christmas ourselves, spent at home with the immediate family. Good food, some cool gifts and lots of laughs made for a relaxing and enjoyable time at the Taylor house.

We have a little trip coming up which we are looking forward to. Richelle is attending a 3-week residential program for chronic pain patients in Utah from mid-Jan 'til the beginning of February. We are flying out on January 15<sup>th</sup>, and I am going along to help her with the more challenging aspects of travelling and to help her get settled in at the facility. Then I am off to visit my brother for the week, who lives near Salt Lake City. We haven't spent much time out that way before, so we are looking forward to a new experience. I am also hopeful that this multi-faceted program will help my wife manage her pain issues better and get some long-term relief.

Obviously with the way things have been going lately we would not have chosen this particular time to make the trip if it wasn't for the fact of her needing to take part in this program, but we will be following all safety precautions and can only hope that we don't get stuck with cancelled flights or weather delays like they have been showing for the past couple weeks. Fingers crossed.

In the meantime, we have been hard at work putting together our newest newsletter. We are excited to include the popular “Color of the Year” choices made by the top paint manufacturer's such as Sherwin Williams, Benjamin Moore, and Behr. And of course, there is the Pantone Color Institute Color of the Year for 2022. Pantone is a global design firm, and the Pantone Color Institute is a branch within that focuses on color trends coming from every source imaginable – from art, design, travel, the entertainment and film industry, fashion, sports, social media, and more. They work closely with companies in a multitude of industries to help with product branding and marketing. They use all the ways that color can affect people – and it is a strong component, important in more ways than we even realize – and analyze past & current trends for research and development as well as making certain predictions such as the popular Color of the Year choices. We hope you find the information helpful and interesting.

Last but not least, anyone who has had us out to work in the past year knows that we have been fortunate to find some really great employees in 2021. Well, Mark has actually been with us for a couple years now and is a real asset. Also, our daughter Devon is still painting part-time and helping us at home and in the office part-time. We always appreciate her dedication as well. But this year we have the pleasure of welcoming Jimmy, Jose, and Kevin to the crew. We have already received tons of positive feedback from you guys personally & via Google reviews, so we know you are as happy with their work and personalities as we are! We just wanted to give everyone a big shout-out and let them know that we are so glad to have them with us and that we appreciate their hard work and positive attitudes. We have great customers and great employees, so that's 2 big things to be thankful for in 2021, a year globally considered only a *little better* than 2020. And we are truly, very thankful. On that note I will wrap this up. Please give a call if you need anything, and we hope you all have a happy, healthy, and very safe New Year!

Sincerely,  
Tim & Co.



# THE TOP LINE



## Q & A

**Q: Do you know what some popular paint trends will be for the upcoming year?**

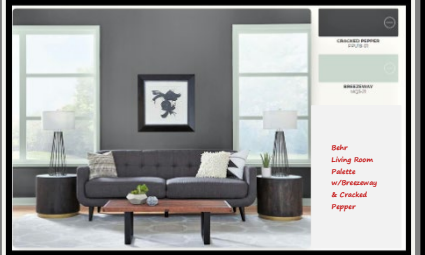
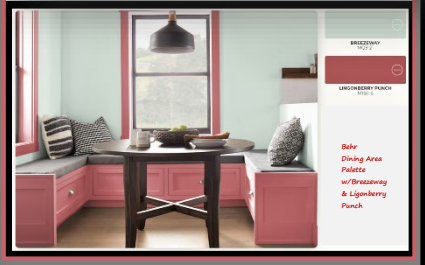
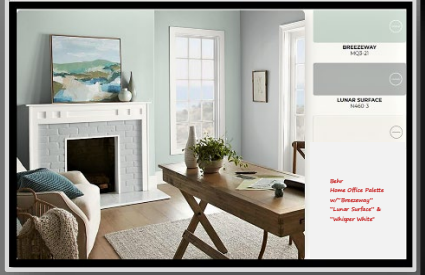
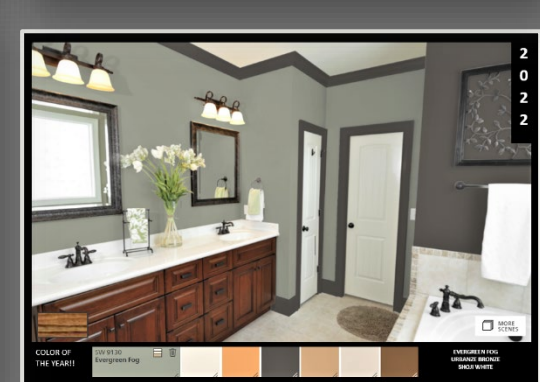
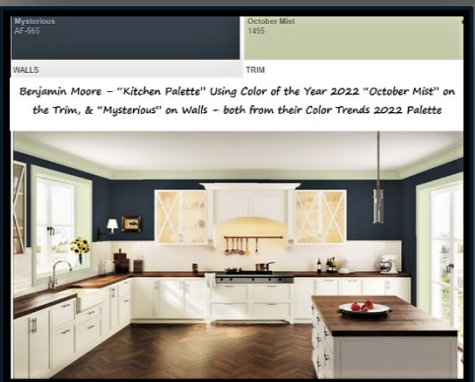


**A:** Yes, we are glad you asked! One of the more exciting aspects about the start of a new year when you work in the design and coatings industries is the release of the trending color palettes for the year ahead, as well as the popular “Color of the Year” choices from some of the top paint manufacturing companies and the Pantone Color Institute. Below we provide the colors chosen for 2022 and share examples of ways to use these colors and palettes in fun and diverse ways!

Behr Paint’s 2022 Color of the Year is Breezeway (MQ3-21). They refer to it as “the link between home and the action that awaits you.” It is a light, earthy green somewhere in the mint/seafoam realm, and as you can see from the palettes we created on the Behr website, it looks equally nice as an accent wall in the “Home Office Palette” paired with a pale gray (Lunar Surface) on the opposite wall and fireplace brick, with a fresh white (Whisper White) on the trim, as it does as a full wall color in the “Dining Area Palette” where it is paired with an equally earthy but brighter red hue (Lingonberry Punch) on the window trim and bench seats. Further down you see it in a brand-new way in the “Living Room Palette” where we have placed it as an accent on the window & wall trim while we used a dark & bolder wall color (Cracked Pepper). All of these colors and more are part of the Behr 2022 Color Trends Collection, found here: <https://www.behr.com/consumer/inspiration/2022-color-trends/>

Benjamin Moore has chosen for their Color of the Year 2022 ~ October Mist 1495. They feel this color is “Evoking the silver-green stem of a flower, October Mist creates a canvas for other colors -and your imagination - to blossom.” We personally love a nice canvas to blossom on and have created two interior palettes using this color. The first is our “Kitchen Palette”, where we used October Mist on the trim and got daring by using the darker “Mysterious” on the walls. We like the way it sets off the white farmhouse style cabinets. In the “Nursery Palette” you can see that we used 3 colors from Ben Moore’s 2022 Color Trends Palette – we have on the walls a very, very light white with a tinge of blue/green in their “Steam”, on the ceiling a nice, light blue-gray in “Quiet Moments”, we have done the trim with a lovely “Pale Pink Satin” (not from this year’s CTP), and then used the October Mist as an accent on the wall design. You can see the entire 2022 palette here on the website: <https://www.benjaminmoore.com/en-us/color-overview/color-palettes/color-of-the-year-2022>

Sherwin Williams continued the trend when they chose Evergreen Fog (SW 9130) for their Color of the Year 2022. About this they have said, “Evergreen Fog is a versatile and calming hue, a chameleon color of gorgeous green-meets-gray, with just a bit of blue. It’s a simple but sophisticated wash of beautiful, organic color for spaces that crave a subtle yet stunning statement shade”. We had fun making a “Bedroom Palette” using “Evergreen Fog” on the walls, “Urbane Bronze” on the trim behind the bed, and “Shoji White” on the trim. We liked the combo so much we did much the same with our “Bathroom Palette”, only this time we also used the “Urbane Bronze” for an accent wall around the soaking tub as well! You can access this year’s palette on Sherwin Williams’ website: <https://www.sherwin-williams.com/color-of-the-year-2022>



## THANK YOU FOR THE REFERRALS!!

Much of the work at TP&C comes from satisfied customers telling friends & family about us. Our customer referral program works like this: You refer someone to us, it turns into a job, at the end of that job we will thank you with a \$100 gift card for your favorite restaurant/retail establishment, donation to your favorite charity, or discount on future work! Your choice!~

This month we would like to extend our thanks to Ted Straub & Lisa Carr for referring us to their friend Becky Armentrout. We would also like to thank the Harrity’s for the referral to Dave & Julie Schroeder. We always appreciate referrals, but they are especially helpful at this time of year!

And many thanks to all our customers for having the kind of faith in our work that allows you to speak so highly of us and to anyone who feels comfortable giving our name to a good neighbor or friends and family members! We will not let you down!

## HELLO & WELCOME, OR WELCOME BACK!!



We would like to extend a warm welcome to our newest customers & welcome back to anyone we haven’t seen in a while: Greg Brown, Michael & Lindsay Church, Rich & Pamela Gottlieb, Bob Huntzinger & Katherine McCarthy, Greg & Erin Ippolito, Mike & Sandi Lindberg, and Dave & Julie Schroeder.

Thank you for putting your trust in our Co. and giving us the chance to prove our worth to you as we help you make improvements to your homes & businesses. Our goal is to make you “repeat for life” customers, so please let us know how we’re doing!!

### WINTER SPECIAL OFFERS:

-Complimentary Interior Window Cleaning with any Painting/Carpentry Project over \$3,000. Free Interior Carpet Cleaning with any Project over \$6,000.

-Free 1 Hour Color Consultation on any project over \$3,500. Offers not to be combined. Project Completion by 3/31/22.

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The Pantone Color Institute has chosen for it’s Color of the Year PANTONE 17-3938 Very Peri. Paraphrasing Leatrice Eiseman, Executive Director of the Pantone Color Institute, she has said that “...PANTONE Very Peri brings a novel perspective...of the trusted and beloved blue color family...yet at the same time with its violet-red undertone...displays a joyous attitude and encourages creativity and imaginative expressions.” They have certainly stepped outside of the sage green box here (not a negative towards the sage sage, by the way, as we are fans of all things green!).

## CHECK OUT THESE “Very Peri” COLOR PAlettes! WE THINK THEY’RE PRETTY \*COOL\* AND HOPE YOU WILL TOO!

