


4 Easy Exercises For Flexing Your Feet



Peloton, Orangetheory, High-Intensity Interval Training...sometimes, it seems like there's a never-ending stream of workout fads to follow. Yet there's one aspect of exercise that often gets forgotten: fitness for your feet! How's one supposed to stretch, flex, and strain the feet like the rest of the body?

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We spend a lot of time glued to screens these days, but we don't spend enough time getting health care screenings. And because our feet spend all their time carrying us around, we owe them a bit of maintenance to prevent the pains of wear and tear.

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Recipe of the Month

Egg Drop Soup

*This homemade egg drop soup is a thick and savory chicken soup swirling with egg ribbons. Quick and easy to make in just 15 minutes, and always tastes so cozy and comforting.*

Ingredients:

• 4 cups of chicken or vegetable stock

• 2 tablespoons cornstarch

• 2 teaspoons ground ginger

• 1 teaspoon garlic powder

• 1/8 teaspoon white pepper

• 3 large eggs

• 1 teaspoon toasted sesame oil

• Fine sea salt and black pepper, to taste

• Thinly sliced green onions, for garnish

Instructions:

1. **Make the broth:** Whisk together the stock, cornstarch, ginger, garlic powder, and white pepper in a medium saucepan until smooth. Cook over high heat until the stock comes to a simmer, stirring occasionally.

2. **Whisk the eggs:** Meanwhile, whisk together the eggs in a small measuring cup or

3. **Stir in the egg ribbons:** Once the broth reaches a simmer, use a whisk or two chopsticks to stir the broth in a circular motion, creating a whirlpool. Then slowly pour the whisked eggs in a very thin stream into the soup as you continue stirring, create egg ribbons.

4. **Season:** Remove the pan from the heat. Stir in the sesame oil until combined. Season with salt and additional white pepper to taste, also add a dash or two of extra sesame oil if needed.

5. **Serve:** Serve immediately. Garnish with lots of green onions and a twist of black pepper.

Recipe courtesy of [www.gimmesomeoven.com](http://www.gimmesomeoven.com)



Interesting Dates in January

January 1

Emancipation Proclamation

January 2

National Science Fiction Day

January 4

World Braille Day and National Spaghetti Day

January 14

National Dress Up Your Pet Day

January 15

Martin Luther King's Birthday

January 22

Celebration of Life Day

January 26

National Fun at Work Day

January 27

International Holocaust Remembrance Day

Trivia

When did Alaska become the 49th state in the United States?

A. January 25, 1958

B. January 3, 1959

C. January 4, 1960

D. January 10, 1959

Answer:  
B.

Joke

Why do birds fly south for the winter?

Answer:  
Because it's too far to walk.

History Footnotes for January

• Abraham Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation in 1863 announcing "that all persons held as slaves" shall be free.

• In 1908, the first New Year's ball dropped in New York City, welcoming the new year.

• Ellis Island opened on January 1, 1892, allowing more than 20 million immigrants to enter the United States.

• Martin Luther King Jr. Day is celebrated on the third Monday of January each year. MLK Day was officially established in 1986, long after attempts at honoring King started soon after his death in 1968.



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