

# **RECIPE | PEPPERS**

# SAVORY CAJUN CHEESECAKE



### INGREDIENTS

#### For the filling:

1 Ib Pure Flavor® Aurora Bites Mini Sweet Peppers, diced
2 8 oz blocks of cream cheese, softened
2 cups boiled shrimp, cut into bite sizes
1 cup jumbo lump crab meat
1 cup green onion, diced
½ cup artichoke hearts
⅓ cup heavy cream
¼ cup onion, diced
¼ cup parmesan cheese
1 tbsp butter
2 tsp Cajun seasoning

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- 1 tbsp lemon juice

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For the crust: ½ cup cracker crumbs ¼ cup breadcrumbs 3 tbsp butter, melted



# DIRECTIONS

- 1 In a skillet on medium-high heat, add butter, onions and 2/3 of the peppers. Sauté until softened. Add the shrimp, crab, Cajun seasoning and lemon juice. Remove from heat.
- 2) In a large bowl, combine cream cheese, pepper mixture, cream, artichokes, and parmesan cheese and mix well.
- 3 Preheat oven to 350° F. In a medium bowl, mix the breadcrumbs, cracker crumbs and melted butter. Spray a 12-inch pie pan with cooking spray and press the mixture down to form a crust. Bake for 10 to 15 minutes until golden brown.
- (4) Pour cream cheese mixture into the pie pan over the crust. Top with remaining diced peppers.



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