

## **Tropical Fruit Platter**

### Dressing

- \* 1/4 cup confectioners' sugar
- \* 1 tablespoon lime juice
- \* Dash salt
- \* 1 cup sour cream

### Pecan cheese treats

- \* 1 1/2 cups (6 ounces) shredded Cheddar cheese
- \* 1/4 cup sour cream
- \* 32 pecan halves

### Salad

- \* 8 slices Michigan cantaloupe
- \* 8 slices avocado
- \* 4 slices pineapple, cut in half
- \* Lime juice
- \* Michigan leaf lettuce

For dressing: Fold sugar, lime juice and salt into sour cream. Chill.

For pecan cheese treats: Whip together Cheddar cheese and sour cream. Shape scant tablespoonfuls to form 16 cheese balls. Press each ball between 2 pecan halves and chill.

For salad: Dip avocado slices in lime juice. Arrange cheese balls on large platter; alternate cantaloupe and avocado slices, pineapple and leaf lettuce. Garnish tray with fresh strawberries and watercress, if desired. Serve dressing separately. Serves 8.