Pictures of the Day Our Baby Turned Into a Toddler

Description

Phew, we survived her first birthday! Better yet, so did she! There were more people around than Avery was used to and way too much going on, but she eventually warmed up to the crowd.

The cake, being the first time sheâ€™s had sugar, mightâ€™ve helped a little. Her cake was actually a pumpkin brownie recipe I used as a base but cut out some of the sugar called for and used stevia in place. This is what we served as dessert to our guests and no one said they *didnâ€™t* like it, so thatâ€™s good, right?

We are still in recovery mode after the long weekend, so Iâ€™m cutting it short and just making this a photo dump of the big day. Enjoy!

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You spend hours creating my cake, Iâ€™ll reduce it to rubble in under a minute!

Ummm, dad, your nose is in my eye and both of you are in the way of my cake!

While demolishing her cake, it suddenly hit herâ€¦â€¦â€•Iâ€™m one!!!â€•

It only makes sense to be in your birthday suit, opening birthday gifts, on your birthday, right?

Chocolate Pumpkin Brownies for the guests. We had a lot left over!!

Seriously, anything that lights up is an instant win!

Going Mom opens gifts, I write who they were from, Avery plays with wand and paper. Sums up most of the party!

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I hope she always feels this way about sugary food!

We made cake from the chocolate pumpkin brownie batches I baked and Kelley used Greek yogurt for icing and blueberries for the â€œ1â€•

Fun times indeed! Hoping to post a follow up with a quick summary of events and more photos of the fun Avery has been having with her new toys. Maybe sheâ€™ll even be walking by then. Hmmm, how long have I been saying that now??

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