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25 (4 ounce) packages sliced pepperoni 2 cups oil for frying, or as needed  
sausage, cut into strips 1 (14 ounce) jar marinara sauce

1. Lay out the egg roll wrappers one at a time. Place one piece of string cheese in the center near the edge, then arrange some pepperoni, sliced mushrooms and garlic around the cheese. Roll up the string cheese a little, fold in the sides, then continue to roll up, and seal the edge by moistening with water. Repeat with remaining wrappers, cheese and fillings.  
2. Heat oil in a large heavy skillet, or deep fryer to 365 degrees F (185 degrees C). Fry enough to loosen in the pan, turning once after about 5 minutes. Continue to fry for 3 to 5 more minutes or until golden brown. Drain on paper towels.  
3. Warm the marinara sauce in a serving bowl in the microwave. Serve Pizza Stix on a platter with the bowl of sauce for dipping.

source: allrecipes.com

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"The universe is full of magical things patiently waiting for our wits to grow sharper." —Eden Phillpotts

### What's Happening

Dec. 12TH: Moonlight Madness in Downtown Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo, 6-11PM.

Dec. 13TH: Kalamazoo Winter Market, 1204 Bank St., Kalamazoo, 8-1PM.

Dec. 13-14TH: Christmas Craft Show, Kalamazoo County Expo Center, Kalamazoo, Sat. 9-3PM & Sun. 10-3PM.

Dec. 13TH: Story Time with Santa, Pathfinder Church, 8470 S. Westnedge Ave., Portage, 10-11:30AM.

Dec. 13TH: Walk Through the Lights at Gull Meadow Farms, Richland.

Dec. 13TH: Christmas in the Village, Downtown Paw Paw, 9-4PM.

Dec. 13TH: Rotary 5K Santa Run, Paw Paw, 9AM.

Dec. 13TH: Santa's Winter Workshop, Paw Paw District Library, Paw Paw, 10-1PM.

### Trivia

1. A peninsula, neck, or isthmus is narrow land connecting two larger masses.
2. France had three major revolutions—T/F?
3. What does heat measurement BTU mean?
4. This artist painted the Sistine Chapel ceiling.
5. A formation of rock on the top of hills is a tor, tumble, or butte?

(Flip bottom of page for answers)

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## ARIES

(March 20 - April 19)



You may have an opportunity during the middle of this week to advance your philosophy and beliefs. Try not to let an old issue hold you back from seizing this chance. Lucky numbers: 15, 22, 27, 29, 38, 48.

## TAURUS

(April 20 - May 20)



You may receive insights at midweek that challenge your current values and beliefs. Be open to adjusting your perspective to accommodate this new information. Lucky numbers: 12, 13, 16, 18, 37, 41.

## GEMINI

(May 21 - June 20)



The next few weeks may find you in overload mode, with too much to do. It might be helpful for you to find a healthy outlet or two to help you process any resulting anxiety. Lucky numbers: 3, 6, 8, 34, 40, 47.

## CANCER

(June 21 - July 22)



Cancers are sometimes reluctant to come out of their shells to seize an opportunity in unfamiliar territory. What adjustment in your view of the situation could help you do so? Lucky numbers: 6, 7, 9, 16, 35, 45.

## LEO

(July 23 - Aug. 22)



People usually see Leos as charming, but you may be having difficulties now. How could you adjust your viewpoint to see the situation from the perspectives of others? Lucky numbers: 17, 21, 23, 26, 35, 40.

## VIRGO

(Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)



The energy at midweek continues last week's pattern. You may have a heightened ability to focus on implementing necessary details to complete your current endeavors. Lucky numbers: 7, 10, 13, 21, 36, 37.

Lucky numbers this week: This week's odds favor Sagittarius winners with the luckiest number being 7.

## Did You Know...

**Gurgle guide:** That rumble in your stomach is often just digestion at work. As your digestive system processes food, liquids, and air, it creates sounds similar to water flowing through pipes. These noises also can happen when you're hungry.

**Tiny timing:** "Jiffy" is an actual time unit, not just a casual way to say "soon." In scientific terms, jiffy refers to a fraction of a second that's so small you'd miss it if you blinked. Even everyday sayings can have technical roots.

**Shark shield:** A shark's skin is covered in tiny, tooth-like scales called denticles, which help it glide smoothly through water, guarding against scrapes, bites, and parasites. This natural armor gives sharks both speed and surprising protection.

**Tree roots:** Before her music fame, Taylor Swift lived in Wyomissing, Pennsylvania (U.S.), on what once was a Christmas tree farm. Her dad kept it going part time, and one of the singer's early jobs was picking praying mantis eggs off trees.

**Sacred scent:** Frankincense has served many purposes throughout history, from temple rituals to home remedies. This fragrant tree resin has been burned in sacred ceremonies, dabbed in perfumes, and rubbed on for skin care.

## On the Lighter Side

My dentist calls a gold tooth "a flash in a pan."

I lift weights on Saturday and Sundays. Monday to Friday are weak days.

Billy: "I just had 10 rides on the carousel."

Bobby: "You really get around don't you?"

Knock! Knock! Who's there? Hammond. Hammond who? Hammond eggs for breakfast.

What did the bookshelves learn in school? Their upper and lower cases.

## Answers

4. Michelangelo 5. Thor

6. Lithium 7. True 8. British thermal unit

9. 1. Isthmus 2. True 3. British thermal unit

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