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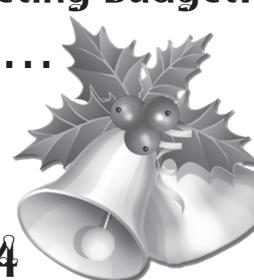


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1tbsp each- sage/rosemary, thyme, oregano, parsley, onion powder, garlic powder, salt and pepper

Your Weekly Horoscopes

ARIES

(March 20 - April 19)



For the last several months, you might have felt that it took a lot of your effort to break out of an old emotional pattern. That dynamic could begin to shift now. Lucky numbers: 1, 6, 8, 13, 26, 31.

TAURUS

(April 20 - May 20)



If you are looking to make structural changes in your life, what adjustment in your viewpoint would be helpful? Conversations with others about your beliefs could aid with this process. Lucky numbers: 5, 11, 22, 32, 35, 46.

GEMINI

(May 21 - June 20)



You may be overwhelmed by how much information is quickly coming your way. Consider developing a healthy coping mechanism now; this pattern may continue into 2026. Lucky numbers: 10, 15, 17, 33, 35, 47.

CANCER

(June 21 - July 22)



Six months have passed since your birthday. As we head into the new year, consider reviewing the goals you set then. What projects are ready for completion or change? Lucky numbers: 6, 17, 32, 41, 43, 46.

LEO

(July 23 - Aug. 22)



The childlike side of Leo loves moments of fun and play. This weekend may be a good time to schedule some downtime to do something that satisfies your inner child. Lucky numbers: 11, 15, 17, 21, 24, 30.

VIRGO

(Aug. 23 - Sept. 22)



For the next few months, your sense of self may be highly sensitive to interactions with a partner. Both of you would do well to be very conscious of those exchanges now. Lucky numbers: 4, 13, 17, 18, 35, 38.

AQUARIUS

(Jan. 20 - Feb. 18)



An intellectual mindset may not work well in your interactions with others at the end of the week. This may be an invitation for you to develop a more sensitive approach. Lucky numbers: 8, 10, 11, 17, 27, 35.

PISCES

(Feb. 19 - March 20)



This week you may experience low energy levels and a desire to retreat from the world. If you can, dial back on projects that require a large amount of your stamina. Lucky numbers: 2, 5, 11, 18, 36, 42.

Lucky numbers this week: This week's odds favor Leo winners with the luckiest number being 17.

Did You Know...

Stone king: Western Australia's Mount Augustus is known as the world's largest rock. Rising dramatically from surrounding plains, its central ridge stretches nearly 8 kilometers (5 mi.). Its impressive size and striking presence make it an unforgettable landmark.

Carbon clues: Ticks don't need sight to find people. Instead, they track the carbon dioxide we exhale. Along with body heat and movement, the scent helps them zero in on a host with remarkable accuracy. It's one reason ticks are so hard to avoid.

Not-quite solid: Glass may look solid, but unlike ice, its molecules never lock into place. Instead, they slow down into a dense, disordered jumble, leaving scientists debating whether glass is really just an extremely sluggish liquid.

Frosty bonus: When temperatures drop, carrots boost their sugar to shield their cells from freezing. This natural defense helps prevent damage. As a bonus, this gives us sweeter carrots to enjoy throughout the cold months.

Moon mementos: NASA's Lunar Reconnaissance Orbiter has photographed shadows of several Apollo flags still standing on the Moon, even though Earth's telescopes can't pick them out. Years of intense sunlight have likely faded the flags to white.

On the Lighter Side

Knock! Knock! Who's there? Stephanie. Stephanie who? It's Stephanie going to be a nice day.

How does an octopus go into battle? Fully armed.

A turkey farm installed a cobblestone driveway.

There's nothing more odd than numbers not divisible by two.

Tom: "Have you ever seen a catfish?"

Jerry: "Sure!"

Tom: "How did it hold the rod?"

Answers

4. Doctors 5. "Monopoly"

Trivia answers: 1. True 2. His feet 3. UV light

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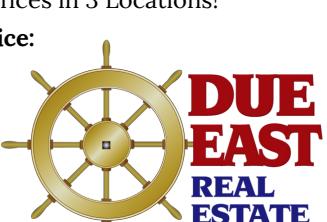
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