## Lamb Pepperoni

## with Black Dragon Pearls Tea

This lamb pepperoni is infused with a blend of spices and the rich, smoky flavor of Black Dragon Pearls tea. It's perfect for adding a unique twist to your favorite dishes.

**PREP TIME**: 20 minutes **TOTAL TIME**: 1 hour 20 minutes

**COOK TIME**: 1 hour

1 lb ground lamb 1 t onion powder 1 t salt 1 t ground cumin

1 t black pepper 1/4 t curing salt (Prague Powder #1)

1 t paprika 1/4 C ice water

1 t cayenne pepper 1/4 C red wine vinegar

1 t crushed red pepper flakes 1/4 C brewed Black Dragon Pearls tea,

1 t garlic powder cooled

MIX SPICES: In a small bowl, combine all the spices and curing salt.

**PREPARE MEAT:** In a large bowl, mix the ground lamb together. Add the spice mixture and mix until well combined.

**ADD LIQUIDS:** Stir in the ice water, red wine vinegar, and brewed Black Dragon Pearls tea until the mixture is smooth and sticky.

**SHAPE AND WRAP**: Divide the mixture into two equal portions. Shape each portion into a log about 2 inches in diameter. Wrap tightly in plastic wrap.

**REFRIGERATE:** Place the wrapped logs in the refrigerator and let them cure for at least 24 hours.

**BAKE:** Preheat oven to 200°F. Unwrap the logs and place them on a wire rack over a baking sheet. Bake for 1 hour, or until the internal temperature reaches 160°F.

**COOL AND SLICE**: Let the pepperoni cool completely before slicing.