

Death Downunder

A Host-Party Murder Mystery Game



Game Materials



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ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

Pathologist's report
reveal clues
Optional Shared Dialogue round 2
Optional Shared Dialogue round 3
Optional Shared Dialogue round 4
Game Instructions

These materials are available for download on our site.
Login at www.hostparty.com and go to Materials page.

Notes From Author

Thank you for downloading a sample of this game. This is an abbreviated sample of the full game kit available for purchase. This sample should give you a basic understanding of the game and how it is played. If you have any questions, check out our Frequently Asked Questions: http://www.host-party.com/murdermysterygame_faqs.asp.

Host Preparation

Here are a few tips to help you prepare yourself and your cast for the murder mystery.

Read the Guide on How to Host a Host-Party Murder Mystery. This guide will give you all the specifics on preparing for and hosting your party. This guide should have been emailed to you upon purchase. It is also available from the Materials menu on the Host-Party website.

Guest Instructions

To play one of our murder mysteries requires no special acting abilities, just a willingness to have fun. Our site gives you all the details you need to prepare for the party including character descriptions of all guests, internal information about your character (do not reveal this to others), and costume/prop recommendations.

During the party, each of you will be given clues. The clues provide all the information required to unlock the mystery. Each clue is designated as a clue to be concealed or a clue to be revealed. Conceal clues are generally information about your own character that you try to hide (without lying) from the others. Reveal clues are clues that you should share with others in casual conversation.

The mystery game is designed so that you and the others who are playing will mingle around asking questions about each other's character and about clues you have received. As the game progresses, you will gather more and more information and at the end of the allotted time you will need to sift through what you think is fact and fiction to make your choice of who you is the murderer.

The characters can be played to suit the comfort zone of each player. If you like the spotlight or enjoy role playing, immerse yourself in your character's persona and live the night as you think they would. You may even decide to exaggerate your character's personality for even more effect. On the other hand, if you prefer to participate in a less theatrical capacity, you may want to sit on the couch and let people come to you, approach each character off to the side or just listen in on other conversations until you get your feet wet and are feeling a bit more comfortable.

There are only a few simple rules to follow when playing our games.

- 1) Stay in Character. (Costumes are highly recommended)
- 2) Hide/Stretch the truth, but don't lie!
- 3) Interrogate others.

Round 1 - Introductory Round

Round Instructions

Detective Inspector Bruce McBruce speaks first to introduce the murder, thereafter all the guests introduce themselves in the order given in their clues.

Round 1 Clue for Bruce McBruce

The murder is announced

Bruce McBruce speaks first using the following dialogue

G'day mates. My name's Detective Inspector McBruce, Bruce McBruce in fact, but you can all call me Bruce. I'm afraid the mate you've all come to see, Willy Willy is dead, carked it, kicked the bucket, shuffled off this mortal coil, run down the curtain, and joined the choir invisible, that kind of dead. You get the picture?

Anyway it wasn't food poisoning that got him, though that's always my first thought with bar-be-ques, especially Willy Willy's ones, they're notorious you know? Bacteria, Listeria, E-coli, Sally Monella – oh, no that's one of his neighbours, Salmonella... Anyway, he didn't die from the food, at least not directly. He was murdered! Skewered to death with a bar-be-que skewer to be precise. A nasty way to go if you ask me.

Anyway, given that he's dead, we've now got a problem, and it's not just who's going to man the bar-be-que! You see, I know for a fact it was one of you sports that did it. So perhaps while you're all tucking in (providing of course a dead bloke in the kitchen doesn't put you all off) you might put your minds to work and find out who did it. Perhaps you should start off by introducing yourselves. Goodness only knows who you all think you are, but we might as well find out!

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This clue should be revealed to others.

Round 1 Clue for Crocodile Dunkirk Introductory Speech

Crocodile Dunkirk speaks first using the following dialogue:

Well I suppose given that I found the man I ought to go first. My name's Crocodile Dunkirk, though most folks round here call me Kirk. I'm the Ayres Rock National Park Park Ranger. I knew Willy Willy was dead the moment I clapped eyes on him. I'm used to seeing dead things in my line of work.

This clue should be revealed to others.

Round 1 Clue for Frank Furter Introductory Speech

Frank Furter speaks after Crocodile Dunkirk using the following dialogue:

And I suppose the skewer sticking out of his chest wasn't a complete give away. I think even I could have worked out the poor man was a gonna. My name's Frank Furter. I'm one of Willy Willy's neighbours. I suppose it could have been worse. At least he finished the preparations for the Bar-be before he went and copped it.

This clue should be revealed to others.

Round 1 Clue for Sally Monella Introductory Speech

Sally Monella speaks after Frank Furter using the following dialogue:

Well at least he didn't die of food poisoning; otherwise we'll all be in for it later. My name's Sally Monella. I am, or rather was, Willy Willy's next door neighbour. As neighbours we got along quite well really. It's a shame he's dead, absolutely anyone could move in!

This clue should be revealed to others.

Round 1 Clue for Dame Edna Average Introductory Speech

Dame Edna Average speaks after Sally Monella using the following dialogue:

Neighbours! Everybody needs good neighbours! Pity Willy Willy's went and bumped him off. My name's Dame Edna Average. I was Willy Willy's steady girlfriend. I may not have seen Willy Willy often, (we were both busy people), but that doesn't mean I cared any less for him.

This clue should be revealed to others.

Character Information

The information below will provide you with the basic information for each character. If you have assigned guests to the characters, these pages will include the guest name and login information. THESE PAGES MAY INCLUDE DETAILS RELATED TO SOLVING THE MYSTERY! You may want to avoid these pages if you intend to try to solve the mystery. This sample kit will only show the first two characters.

Frank Furter (Neighbour) played by Kelly

Description: A bar-be-que and Foster's lager fanatic.

Motive: You are a stereotypical lager lout, loud, abrasive, and close to being blind drunk. Make sure you slur your words.

Willy Willy and you quite frequently sank a few tinnies together in the evenings. You both liked bar-be-ques and drinking and as luck would have it Willy Willy seemed to have an almost inexhaustible supply of Foster's. (Your favourite beverage.)



Frank Furter (Neighbour) played by Lance Hollandsworth

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Suggestions from Other Hosts

Suggestions from other hosts are provided in the purchased game kit.

Suggested Recipes

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Other Games From Host-Party.com

Below is a list of other games available from Host-Party.com.

A Rockin' Hot Tub Murder

A classic style murder mystery game for 8 to 12 players set in the present. Ideal for playing around a hot tub or pool or for a summer barbecue. It's electrifyin'!

A Broken Heart Murder on Valentine's Day

"A Broken Heart Murder" is a simple to use murder mystery for 8-14 people. It's a great way to move a party, have lots of fun and entertain your guests. How exciting to celebrate with the trivia and dancing that is included, and of course a murder! Everyone is a suspect, so come join the fun!

A Devilish Masquerade

A non-murder mystery game for at least 5 teens. A great choice as a Halloween party for teens, can be expanded to include an unlimited number of characters. A brief appearance by an adult hostess is built into the game to help set the scene.

A Holiday Murder

This holiday murder mystery game for 8-14 party guests is a great way to move a party, have lots of fun and entertain your guests! Set in the era of the 70s & 80s, it includes trivia, dancing and of course, a murder! Come join the fun!

A Knight's Quest

King Arthur is dying. The Knight's of the Round Table have been called together. They are to be sent on 4 quests with the final goal of finding the Holy Grail, a magic cup that will heal the King. However, Mordred and his band of evil knights will be doing everything they can to stop the Knights of the Round Table from helping the King.

A Lethal Luau

This simple to use adult murder mystery for 10-15+ people is a great way to have lots of fun with your guests! So don your colorful Island attire and prepare for an exciting evening that spikes up a murder!

A Licence To Murder

The party is being held at Funnymunny's Health Spa to celebrate the wedding of top secret agent James Bland, and you are invited to attend. A murder mystery game for 8 to 12 players set in the world of secret agents and mad megalomaniacs.

A License To Murder

A murder mystery game for 8 to 12 players set in the world of secret agents and mad megalomaniacs.

A Medieval Murder

This is a simple to use, entertaining and innuendo packed murder mystery appropriate for both first timers and regular players. The scripted dialogue enhances the rounds, and the mystery combines the fun of a medieval night with a murder most horrid!

A Mediterranean Murder

A Mediterranean Murder is a simple to use, entertaining Murder Mystery appropriate for both first timers and regular players. Ideal for Murder Mystery fanatics who want just that little bit more complexity in their game.