

# Kids Rodeo

Saddle up for a rootin' tootin' good time! This family-friendly event brings the excitement of the rodeo to your neighborhood with themed games and activities.



Budget \$600

Front yard

required)

Local park

Playground

💼 1-2 Months Before Event

#### Material List | Estimated Cost

#### Costumes - Brought by neighbors

- Decorations | \$80
  - Western-themed banners
    - Bales of hay
    - String lights
- Refreshments | \$60
- First aid kit | \$20
- Cowboy hat decorating supplies | \$80
- Rented tables and chairs | \$40-\$70

#### Games and activities, rent or buy

- Stick horse races | \$30
- Horseshoe toss | \$25
- Lasso throwing | \$20
- Bottle tipping | \$15
- Potato sack racing | \$25

#### • Optional:

- Rentable inflatables | \$200-\$1000
- Block Party Permit

**City Support** 

Location Suggestions

Closed street (Block Party Permit)

Mini-Grant funding is available!

## Step by Step | How to Plan this Event

#### Set a Time & Location

- · Choose a time when families are likely to be available, such as early evening.
- Pick a location that is large enough for a number of lawn games and inflatables.

Difficulty Level

Easy

#### **Obtain Any Necessary Permits and** Permissions

If you're closing a residential street, you will need to apply for a Block Party Permit for an eligible street.

# **Plan Games and**

Decide on the rodeo-themed games, activities, and entertainment.

# **Gather or Rent Supplies**

Gather decorations, game supplies, and any other rented materials needed for the event. There are many options for renting!

#### Suggested rental companies:

- Dizzy Party Rentals
- Best Event Rentals
- Big Air Jumpers

#### **Recommended Games and Inflatables**

#### Inflatables



Prancing Pony 4 in 1 Combo from Big Air Jumpers



Inflatable Ponies from

#### Small Games



Horseshoe Toss



**Best Event Rentals** 

TPE/HIDG

Bottle Tipping

Mechanical Bull from Big Air Jumpers

#### Interactive Activities



Decorating



Potato Sack Racing

#### **Fun Tip**

# Try booking some fun entertainment that matches the theme!

- Live country music
- Rodeo clown
- Line dancing instructor

#### 🚔 3 Weeks Before Event

### **5** Plan Event Layout

**Arrange the layout** of the event space, including game stations, refreshment stands, and seating areas. *Sketch out a simple site map!* 

#### **Potential Layout**







#### **6** Promote Event

Extend invitations to your neighbors! Ask them to dress up in themed costumes.

- At Least 2-3 Weeks Before | Social Media and Email: Post on Nextdoor, Facebook, and/or Instagram. Email if you can.
- **1 Week Before | Flyers:** Go door-to-door. Design colorful flyers, postcards, or personal invitations.
- **1 Day Before | Reminder:** Send out a reminder message on social media or by email.

💼 Day-Of Event | 1-2 Hour Before

#### Set Up

**Give yourself enough time, around 1-2 hours,** to set up any games or rental inflatables. Rental companies may help set up for an additional fee.

