

Game Shows – Timed Challenges

Similar to TV's *Minute to Win It*, **THEY improv's Timed Challenges** involves country club members competing in a variety of challenges that can involve physical as well as mental effort.

THEY improv leads the way for Country Club entertainment with their Game Shows. These shows are designed to entertain and to produce positive results. Participants in the games have fun while lowering their personal barriers and enhancing their personal relationships to benefit the communities we serve.

Each show is individualized with elements adjusted based on the needs of the audience. This includes shifting from ratings G through NC-17, wholly audience-driven to packing participants with comedic performers, and from innocuous shows to shows that ambush unwitting audience members.

Most Game Shows are provided as a low-tech adventure to focus on the human element, though additional set elements, equipment, scoreboards, etc. are available at an increased cost. Besides the host, a "Vanna" is available at an increased fee for larger audiences.

While this can be done like other game shows for 30-45 minutes, timed challenges are often spaced throughout the event with 3 or 4 ten-minute contests. This can also be expanded to 60-90 minutes. Prices range based on length of show, required cast, size of audience, prizes, etc.

Contact **THEY improv** to find out the variety of shows available, and how hiring **THEY improv** is a winning proposition for everyone. Email **THEY improv** at info@THEYimprov.com or by telephone at (866) 219-4386.

Some examples of Timed Challenges are:

The Balloon Toss: One competitor has to toss a series of balloons across a space to his teammate, who has a bucket to catch the balloon and where he has to maintain the position of his or her feet.

The Shooting Gallery: As it sounds, each contestant has to shoot at a number of targets and has a limited time to do it. Usually the rifle shoots foam darts and the targets are something goofy. For example, we once had a group of parents shoot at dolls of Dora the Explorer.

The Paper Plane Challenge: Contestants compete for the quickest, most accurate and furthest throw of paper airplanes. Sometimes contestants operate individually or in teams.

The Construction: Using identical tools, such as Legos, Lincoln Logs or Playing Cards, contestants attempt to build the best building. The best building can be judged objectively, such as by height, or by audience applause. This can be done individually or by teams, and is often done with the variety of contestants competing simultaneously side-by-side.

Many Many More: There are literally hundreds of these games that we can devise based on location, organization involved and people who are playing. We adjust to operate individually or in teams and with various measures of success. We have had sand castles built on the beach, snow men in the snow and the largest splashes in pools. Simply contact us to challenge us creatively.