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Bad Ghost at the Door



In this scenario, the host answers the door playing one of many simple practical jokes on unsuspecting trick-or-treaters. One is to have a "Plant" join the other kids at the door dressed as a ghost in a white sheet. The host greets the treaters, but is startled by the ghost, as if it were real, and shouts. "Watch out kids, I'll take care of that ghost!" Then the host begins hitting the planted ghost trick-or-treater with a stick, rubber ax, mallet, or a fly swatter, while blood rapidly appears to be coming from under the sheet. The trick is played with the host using a squeeze ball (from a drug store) filled with fake blood attached to plastic tubing (from a pet supply store) running down the sleeve to their wrist. As the host hits the ghost, he squeezes the ball, and blood squirts onto the white sheet. Another technique is for the ghost to have a water bottle with plastic hose filled with fake blood under the sheet. The ghost character screams, and runs around while being hit. Practice these techniques for realism. This scare is not recommended for younger kids. Obviously this may be one of several other pranks you could pull, otherwise in time, you'll run out of sheets. I'm sure that you can think of many variations of this (like the host acting like he's cutting his arm with a large knife trick).