



Murder Mystery Shows THE PRINCETON PERMUTATION Speeches That Are Killer

THEY improv: Comedy is Murder

Our **Cambridge Solution** mysteries have become quite popular and is a great way to get people to interact with one another. For companies, specifically, it's been a great way to get the bosses to have facetime with everyone as they answer questions about the crime.

The one limitation of the Cambridge Solution is that for larger groups, the prospects of talking to everyone can be daunting. Worse, though they may get some facetime, they don't have enough to really investigate in depth. And yet, larger and larger groups wanted to have access to the Cambridge Solution.

For this, **THEY improv** came up with another version of the Cambridge Solution called **The Princeton Permutation** that utilizes speeches from the suspects to get basic information out to the audience. It can be left there, or the characters can then be placed around the room to have people come up to them within a set amount of time to ask questions. Because they already have the more basic questions answered by the speeches, they can get more in-depth into the mystery.

There is a meeting before to make the people playing the characters comfortable. In this meeting, the Director answers any questions that they have and gives them a motivational nudge. They are also provided with two versions of two separate speeches. One is a long version, the other shorter.

Our Director gets in front of the audience and introduces the event. Each scenario is unique. For example, our Santa scenario has our Director introduce the idea that it is a tradition at the North Pole to allow anyone with issues towards Santa will clear the air by revealing their issues. This is to allow for the Christmas Spirit to flow freely and that will enable the reindeer to fly. One by one, the suspects get up and explain their issues with Santa. The characters are fun in nature, such as the Second Mrs. Claus who he met when flying over Bayonne, New Jersey, the head of the Elves Union, Jiminy Hoffa, and Santa's estranged daughter who ran off with Frosty the Snowman to Miami but it didn't last very long because he melted!

Once their speeches are done, a scream is staged and our Director announces that the victim was found dead. In this case, it was Santacide! Due to the first speeches, we now know characters that were motivated to commit the crime. They come up and deliver their second speech explaining how much they miss the victim and that they think one of the other characters did it!

There are several ways to resolve the crime and all of this will be discussed as we arrange the event with you. All decisions are yours, though some may impact the budget of the event. We can use plots we already have or customize new ones for you.

We look forward to discussing the Princeton Permutation with you and hope that we will get the opportunity to entertain your group while getting our people to interact with one another, even in a large crowd!

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