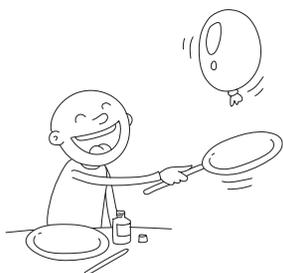


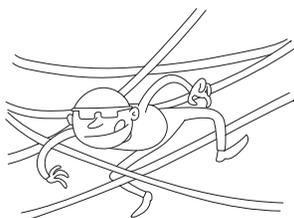
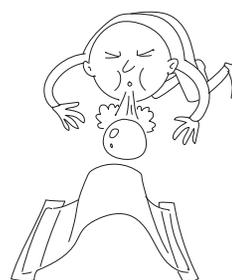
# BIRTHDAY PARTY GAMES

In this **Joybox** you'll find everything you need for tons of fun games and activities at your birthday party. The only things you have to add yourself are **sweets, biscuits and apples**. Ready?



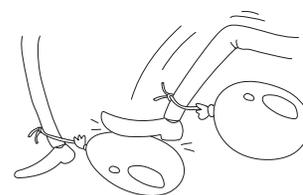
**1. Balloon tennis.** Take the paper plates and glue a wooden lolly stick to the back of each plate. Blow up a balloon and voila, you can start playing tennis.

**2. Blow ball.** For this game you need the coloured paper. Glue them to the ground in the shape of an arch, creating a trajectory of gates. Try not to make it too easy, okay? Now what? Try to blow the ball as fast as possible through the track. Tip: don't like blowing? Then use a balloon and release the air inside to steer the ball.



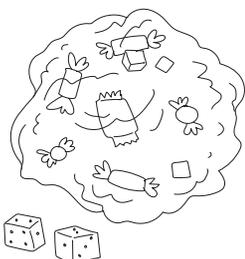
**3. Mission impossible.** Take the red ribbon. Tape the ribbon in a zig-zag pattern across a room in as many ways as possible. Your mission? Try to get through the space without touching the red 'laser'.

**4. Balloon Stomper.** Take some balloons, put a sweet inside them, blow them up and then tie a balloon to each player's ankle with a piece of string. Everybody ready? 3, 2 1, go! If you stamp on someone's balloon and pop it, you can have the sweet. The player who can protect their balloon the longest, wins. Tip: do not use sweets with sharp edges or sweets that are easily crushed. Duh.

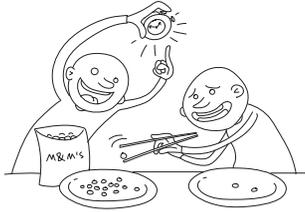
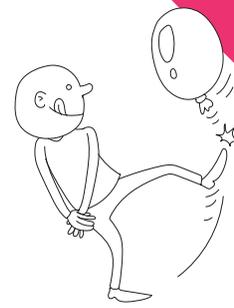


**5. Ball of Sweets.** For this game you will need cling film and sweets. Lay a sheet of cling film on the floor. Put a sweet in the middle and roll it into a ball. Place another sweet on top of the ball and wrap it with cling film again. Repeat this action and make sure it keeps its ball shape. Eventually you get a big ball in which all the sweets are hidden. How do you play it? The players sit down in a circle. One child gets the ball of sweets, they are the 'unwrapper!' Take the two large dice and give them to someone else, the 'thrower'. As soon as you shout "GO", the unwrapper can start unwrapping and the thrower can start throwing the dice. They continue to do this until the two dice show the same number. When this happens, the unwrapper stops and may keep all the sweets or prizes they've unwrapped.

**Tip:** Make the first sweet/prize you wrap when you're making the ball the best, it makes the ending even more exciting and fun.



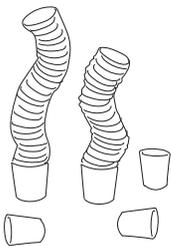
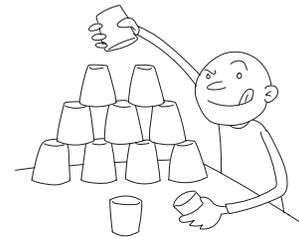
**6. Balloon challenge.** Who can keep a balloon in the air the longest? Everyone gets a balloon. Blow it up (not with helium) and try to keep it in the air as long as possible without it touching the ground. Make the game even more difficult by keeping one hand behind your back after a few minutes, and then both hands behind your back after that. Better put in your earplugs because there will be screaming and shouting!



**7. Chopstick challenge.** You will need 2 plates. One is filled with 20 small sweets. M&M's, skittles, grapes ... What's the challenge? Every child gets 1 minute to move as many sweets as possible from one plate to the other, using the chopsticks!

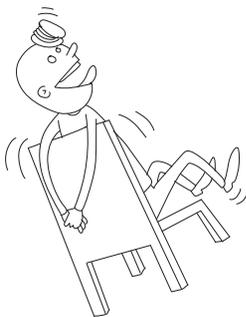
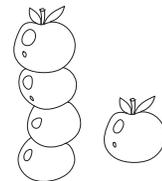
**Tip:** For smaller children this works better with something bigger, like marshmallows.

**8. Cup stacking tournament.** There are 42 cups in the Joybox. Divide them up and give 2 kids 21 cups each. By stacking 21 cups you can build a perfect pyramid and that's the goal! Let the children compete against each other and build a pyramid with the cups as fast as they can. The more kids there are, the more fun the tournament will be. Use the timer on your smartphone and time them. Whoever builds the pyramid the fastest, wins.



**9. Cup up.** Stapel 20 cups op elkaar. Markeer 1 cup duidelijk, met een stift of sticker, en plaats deze erbovenop. Doe dit 2 keer zodat je 2 stapels met 21 cups krijgt. 20 gewone cups + de gemarkeerde cup erbovenop. Hoe spelen? 2 spelers spelen tegen elkaar. Als je 'GO' roept, moeten ze de gemarkeerde cup onderaan insteken. Ze moeten om ter snelst de cups onderaan bijsteken totdat de gemarkeerde cup opnieuw bovenaan staat.

**10. Can't get enough?** Then do the apple stacking challenge. Try to stack 5 apples on top of each other in as little time as possible. Make 2 teams, set the timer, and go!



**11. Still want more?** Try the biscuit face challenge. Sit on a chair and keep your hands behind your back. Tilt your head back and place a biscuit (Oreos are perfect for this) on your forehead. The goal? Once the timer starts, you have to get the biscuit into your mouth as fast as you can, without dropping it and without using your hands. Warm up those facial muscles and go! Who's going to be the quickest??

### What's in it?

Paper plates	A red ribbon
Wooden lolly sticks	Cling film
Balloons	Chopsticks
Coloured paper	42 cups
2 styrofoam balls	

