

## Easter Fair in Rigolet

An annual event, this fair is sponsored by the Anglican Church to raise money for the coming year. It has gone on for a long time, and as a result there are many traditions surrounding it.

### The Company - Grades 6,7 and 8

Stanley Wolfrey  
Jimmy Flowers  
Belinda Michelin  
Lottie Rich  
Elaine Flowers  
Norm Williams  
Alice Polliser  
Lorraine Shiwak

### Suggestions for Use

1. If using this script really try to ham up the different contests - play them for the audience. For example in the greasy pole climb you could have a scrawny boy and a big tough man play off a against each other.
2. If you don't know the Rigolet Birdie - make up your own square dance.
3. Think of an event in your community which you could dramatise. Ideas might be:
  - a) a special church service
  - b) a circus
  - c) the blessing of the fishing fleet, etc.

### I

We, the students of Grades 7 and 8 from Rigolet are going to give you some idea of what our Easter Fair is all about. I am Lottie Rich and I am the announcer for the evening. We want everybody in this auditorium to cheer when we have our competitions. The first event is a bean bag throw.

In Rigolet at the Easter Fair there is a bean bag throw. Here are 2 of Rigolets best throwers - Belinda Michelin and Lorrain Shiwak. There are 4 scores, 25, 50, 75 and 100. The winners first prize is \$20.00 and 2nd prize \$10.00. It costs only a cheap dollar for 3 shots. These 2 ladies don't need all 3 shots, their throws are so good. (Mime of bean bag throw)

### II

Now get ready folks, for the funniest movie you ever saw in your whole wide life. Let's have a big hand for the actors (clap) The name of the movie is, "She only just conked out!"

Stanley: 30  
Belinda: 50  
Stanley: 70  
Belinda: 75  
Stanley: 80  
Belinda: 100

Jim: Going once at \$100.00, going twice at 100

Stanley: 125

Belinda: Stanley, I know you want her but I'll go \$150.00.  
My final bet.

Stanley: 160

Jim: Sold \$160.00 to Mr. Stanley Wolfrey . Oh, I guess she  
wasn't worth \$200.00.

VI

Now for a good old western called "The Stranger and the Cowpoke". It takes place in a bar, where "Elaine Flowers, the bartender is serving drinks ooh 'la 'la! Stan the tough stranger is itching for a fight with card shark Jimmy. Watch closely or you'll miss the fights, and the good-looking sherriff. (acts out play).

VII

On the last day of the fair, there is a big square dance. This dance is called, the Birdie. It has been done for many years. Here we have Bill Adams on the fiddle and Bob Palliser on guitar. The dance ends the Easter Fair, which raises about \$2000.00 a year.

If you enjoyed our show please show your appreciation by throwing money on the stage.

Thank you.