

First, I would like to acknowledge Mike Rusnak for not only creating this and other PowerPoint games but also making them accessible to everybody. He does ask for donations so if you like it and plan on using it, please donate. [https://www.rusnakcreative.com/gameshow/family\\_feud](https://www.rusnakcreative.com/gameshow/family_feud)

Print a copy of the questions and Answers prior to playing the game

To run the game, open the ScoutingFamilyFeud.pptx file and start the slideshow.

On the first screen you have the option of Start Game & Game Settings.

Start Game is obvious. Game Settings is where you can change default settings like timers and winning point value.

When you start the game, a dialog box will popup that lets you name the teams. We have the team pick the order in which they will answer.

When ready click Start Round 1 at the bottom of the screen. The screen will change, music will play, and the game board will set. When this stops, click show question. We have our "Host" read the question aloud.

You will have to come up with a way to determine who buzzes in first. We're using Zoom for our meeting (require a password and enable the waiting room so you don't get uninvited guest) and whoever raises their hand first gets to answer. Refer to the answer sheet to see if they got one right and if so, where on the board the answer is and click on that spot. If wrong, do not click on the X on the initial asking of the question or the team will lose the first strike before the round starts.

When you determine which team plays, go down the line asking questions and clicking on answers or strikes (X) until the round is over. When the round is over, give the points to the winning team by clicking the >> or << arrows of the winning team then click "Add Round Points". After you have done this, click "Next Round" in the lower right of the screen and repeat the process again.

After the 3<sup>rd</sup> round, Click "Back to Scores". If no team achieved the minimum winning points, click the "Sudden Death" button at the bottom of the screen and play a final round. After the question has been asked and answered, click "Back to Scores". It is possible at this point that neither team was won yet, so there is an "Adjust Scores" button where you can make a judgement call and declare a winner.

For the Fast Money round, we put the second player out of the room. (in Zoom we put them out to the waiting room) The fast money round requires multiple administrators to run. The answer sheet has the questions for the Host to read and the top answers. When ready to play, click "Set Timer For 20 Seconds". That will open a dialog box the administrator. There are buttons for starting the timer and the wrong answers button at the top and places for their answers and the points below. We use 2 people for this, one to type, the other to relay points. The host reads the questions, and others will need to type their answers. When complete, click on "Return to the Big Board" then the host will ready the question and the players answer, at which point answer box is clicked on, which reveals the answer, then the point box is clicked. Do this for all 5 questions, then click "Clear the Board". At this point we Pause the screen share because, just like the TV show, the audience is reminded of the answers. bring in player 2 and repeat.

With a little practice it will run smooth and it's a lot of fun for the scouts