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Exploding Head



This trick utilizes the dummy or scarecrow. For a different effect, make the head out of a large balloon, fill it with confetti, and use a black, wide-tipped marker to carefully draw a simple amateurish face. Gently mount the head on the shoulders of the dummy. Run bell wire with a model rocket engine igniter touching the back of the balloon at one end, and mount the other end to a remote hiding place with a 9 volt battery, where you can clearly see the kids (possibly indoors). Get the parts at a hobby shop. Also hide a speaker in or near the dummy, or run a dryer vent hose out to the dummy. The kids come up laughing at this ridiculous looking dummy, and a voice from the dummy says, "Boo! Did I scare you? Don't you think I'm scary?" When they yell, "No!" and laugh, the voice returns warning, "Then I'll show you!" Touch both ends of the wires to the battery, and boom! This can also be done using shaving cream, or filled with 2/3 water and 1/3 air in the balloon.

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