

COSTUME SUGGESTIONS

Nettie Zelma

Pioneer prairie dress, leather shoe boots

Dalton Clyde

Blue jeans, long-sleeved shirt, vest or suspenders, boots, bandana, derby hat

Marshal

Black jeans, white long-sleeve shirt, vest, black duster (coat), Kentucky string tie, black cowboy hat, boots, law badge

Reverend

Blue jeans, white long-sleeve shirt, vest, Kentucky string tie, boots

Vera

Pioneer prairie dress, apron, leather shoe boots, bonnet (tied around neck and worn off head)

Calamity Gang (Jack & Mack)

Blue jeans, long-sleeve shirt, vest or cowboy poncho, boots, cowboy hat

Tip Corner

- Thrift shops are a good source for inexpensive clothing and accessories.
- Check the internet for a myriad of costume supplies and ideas.

PROPS LIST

Day 1

- ☐ Dalton Clyde's shirtful of candy
- ☐ **Wanted Poster** (see **Resource Download**)
- ☐ Reverend's book
- ☐ Buford's cage (see NOTES below)
- ☐ Vera's picnic basket
- ☐ Pitcher and 4 glasses

Day 2

- ☐ Vera's chicken ("Flora Ellen")
- ☐ Marshal's **Wanted Poster**
- ☐ Newspapers
- ☐ Bumblin' Bandits disguises (see NOTES below)

Day 3

- ☐ Reverend's painting supplies (wood brush, small metal bucket)
- ☐ Vera's picnic basket with muffins
- ☐ Dalton Clyde's harmonica
- ☐ Nettie Zelma's bag of thievin' tools (see NOTES below)

Day 4

- ☐ Nettie Zelma's broom
- ☐ Dalton Clyde's flat flowers (see NOTES below)
- ☐ Vera's chicken ("Flora Ellen")
- ☐ Buford's cage
- ☐ Marshal's handcuffs (2 sets)

Day 5

- ☐ Reverend's broom
- ☐ Vera's picnic basket
- ☐ Calamity Mack's large sack
- ☐ Marshal's handcuffs (2 sets)
- ☐ Vera's rubber snake "Buford"

Notes

BUFORD'S CAGE

Use a large shoebox for Buford's cage. Cut a door in one end and spray-paint the box brown. Use a permanent marker to draw a grid of small air holes or wire mesh on the sides, then add a handle to the top.

BUMBLIN' BANDITS DISGUISES

Use a Russian hat or cap and a black mustache for Dalton Clyde. A head scarf is all you need for Nettie Zelma.

NETTIE ZELMA'S BAG OF THIEVIN' TOOLS

Use a burlap sack and some tools, especially a crowbar and a stick of dynamite. Make the dynamite with a paper towel tube covered with red duct tape. Use a black or white pipe cleaner for the fuse.

DALTON CLYDE'S FLAT FLOWERS

There are lots of ways to make paper flowers. Just make sure they're bright, colorful, and flat. Stems are optional. Make 7 or 8 (at least) large flowers and put loops of masking tape on the back so they're ready to mount to the schoolhouse.

MUSIC & SOUND EFFECTS

Download these sound effects from the [Resource Download](#).

Day 1

- ☐ Theme Music

Day 2

- ☐ Theme Music
- ☐ Train Whistle
- ☐ Chicken Clucks
- ☐ Long Irritated Chicken Clucks
- ☐ Sassy Chicken Clucks
- ☐ Muffled Chicken Clucks
- ☐ Offended Chicken Clucks
- ☐ Happy Chicken Clucks

Day 3

- ☐ Theme Music

Day 4

- ☐ Theme Music
- ☐ Laughing Chicken Clucks
- ☐ Long Slow Chicken Clucks
- ☐ Chicken “Taps”
- ☐ Outlaw Entrance

Day 5

- ☐ Theme Music
- ☐ Rattlesnake Rattle
- ☐ Chase Scene Music