

*Strictly*  
*Murdered*

**INFORMATION AND  
SAMPLE GAME  
MATERIALS**

# STRICTLY MURDERED

Thank you for downloading this information and sample file. The documents you need to run the game are contained in the main pdf file which is available to purchase.

## THIS SAMPLE CONTAINS

- Instructions for running Strictly Murdered
- A group clue
- An invitation
- A sample from the player rounds section
- A sample from the player clues section

## THE MAIN GAME CONTAINS

- Instructions
- Introduction
- Group clues
- Invitation
- Costume suggestions
- Player rounds
- Player clues
- Accusation list
- Solution
- MP3 introduction

## HOW TO PLAY THE GAME

Strictly Murdered is for 8,9 or 10 players. The actual game is sold in different versions for each number of characters. There can four or five female characters and four or five male characters. The host is responsible for printing out and organising the documents for the game (Full instructions are provided)

Games usually take two and a half to three hours and are designed to be played around a meal or a buffet

## STRICTLY MURDERED

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Join judges Craig Level-Crossing, Bruno Mortì and Alicia Gottfrew as they cast a critical eye over the dances which our teams of celebrities and professional dancers have been practicing for weeks,

The phenomena that is 'Let's All Dance' keeps on growing. This immensely popular show draws large audiences every Saturday night. Some suggest that it's popularity is partly due to the bickering and increasingly personal comments dished out by judges. The excitement grows as the couples are whittled down and head for the grand finale next week. Will Craig Level-

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# How to run this downloadable Murder Mystery Game

## Instructions for 'Strictly Murdered – 10 Players

The male roles are Bruno, Joe, Seymour, Dan and Max.

### 1) Instructions For Printing After You Have Purchased And Downloaded

- You will need Paper (A4 or similar), scissors and 10 envelopes (minimum size 22cm by 13cm)
- You should have ready for printing:

- A/** These 'How To Run' instructions  
Introduction/Group clues
- B/** Player invitations  
Ideas for costumes
- C/** Player slips
- D/** Player clues
- E/** Accusation list  
Solution to the mystery
- F/** Labels

### 2) Printing

Print out the following:

- A/ One copy**
  - How to run
  - Introduction/Group clues
- B/ Ten copies**
  - Invitations
  - Costume suggestions
- C/ One copy**
  - Player slips

Cut along the dotted lines and place each player's slips in an envelope on which you should write their name (do this task with the papers upside down and try not to read anything!)
- D/** Print out the player clues (one copy of each). Fold each clue up from the bottom leaving only the top two lines showing
- E/** Print out one copy of the accusation list and solution taking care to fold the solution without reading it
- F/** Print out the labels directly onto labels or stick them on to the labels yourself

THEN DOWNLOAD THE MP3 INTRODUCTION FROM THE WEBSITE THAT YOU PURCHASED THE GAME FROM

### 3) In advance of playing the game

- Allocate the characters to the players using the information on the invitation and ideas for costumes.
- Send an invitation and ideas for costumes sheet to each player at least one week before the Murder Mystery takes place (to give them chance to organise their costumes). Send each person their pass with the invitation so that they can add their own photograph.
- You may wish to prepare labels or nametags for each character on the night (if you do, please be careful with delicate fabrics)
- Check that you are able to play the MP3 file containing the introduction.

#### 4) On The Night

- Welcome your guests with a nametag or label
- Hand out the player envelopes and clues
- Play the MP3 file containing the introduction. If this is not possible then read out the introduction
- Each player reads their 'Secret information' slip to themselves
- Commence the game with each player reading out his or her 'Round 1-Reveal this information now' slips (starting with the hosts)
- Work through the remaining rounds ensuring that each player has read their slip (and clue if appropriate) before moving on to the next round . Hand out group clues for Rounds 3, 4, 5 and 6 at the start of the round.
- This game has seven rounds. After the final round the players should make their accusations giving their reasons. Use the list to decide the order of the accusations
- When all accusations have been made the host reads out the solution to the mystery.

### **Important Notes**

*The story and characters in this Murder Mystery are fictitious. Any resemblance to any person living or dead is purely coincidental.*

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**GROUP CLUE TO BE CIRCULATED AT THE START OF ROUND 5**

THIS IS A PHOTOGRAPH OF THE SCORE PADDLE USED TO KILL CRAIG LEVEL-CROSSING



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Joining Craig Level-Crossing will be:

- Bruno Mortì** • Judge
- Alicia Gottfrew** • Judge
- Joe King** • Presenter
- Tess Tickle** • Presenter
- Seymour Noods** • Contestant & Glamour Photographer
- Natalie Drest** • Professional Dancer
- Dan Swithmee** • Professional Dancer
- Dee Cup** • Contestant & Model
- Max Throttle** • Contestant & TV Motoring Show Presenter
- Tapya Feet** • Professional Dancer

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VENUE.....

DATE:..... TIME.....

YOUR CHARACTER IS.....

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The excitement grows as the couples are whittled down and head for the grand finale next week. Will it be Seymour Noods, Dee Cup or Max Throttle that make it through to the final and will Craig Level-Crossing upset anybody on tonight’s show?

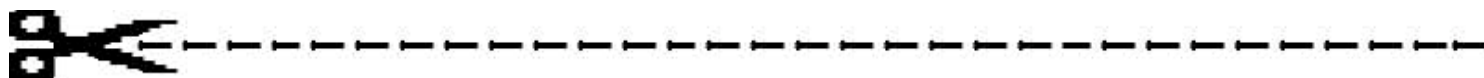
### ROUND 3

#### ANSWER WHEN ASKED BY DEE CUP

The day I retire is when they carry me off the set in a box. I love my work. I would never settle down to a life of boredom.

#### ASK DEE CUP

Dee, what job are you going to do when you are too old to be a topless model?



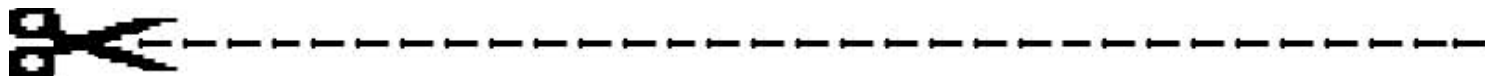
### ROUND 4

#### ASK BRUNO MORTI

Bruno, that policeman has just asked me about the score paddles. It seems that all of the score paddles are in place in the studio so it must be a spare or something. Do you know if there are any spares anywhere?

#### ANSWER WHEN ASKED BY NATALIE DREST

I haven't done much dancing recently. I had a nasty injury but, like the bloke who fell into the upholstery machine, I'm fully recovered.



### ROUND 5

#### ANSWER WHEN ASKED BY BRUNO MORTI

Don't be so insulting! I was a bit upset about being fired but I am not a violent person. I didn't kill Craig.

#### ANSWER WHEN ASKED BY SEYMOUR NOODS

Oh that's just powdered Viagra. It doesn't do much for my sex life but it stops my biscuits going soft.

#### ASK TAPYA FEET

Tapya, were you a full time professional dancer when you were in Russia?

**CLUE TO BE READ BY ALICIA GOTTFREW  
ROUND 5**

