

Kits for the Rocky Horror Picture Show—What’s in it, what is allowed and what isn’t?

On Saturday, October 30th, we’re pleased to feature the cult-classic, Rocky Horror Picture Show. Showtime is 7pm, and doors open at 6:30pm for fans to find their seats and get settled.

The Rocky Horror Picture Show is renowned for its audience participation roles at different times and scenes during the film. While we want to have fun, we also want to make sure our sweet little theatre isn’t totally trashed or burned down – hence, no open flames are ever allowed inside Vinegar Hill. We highly encourage costumes and dress up and are thrilled to offer appropriate props available for purchase to enhance your experience and bring the show to life!

Show kits are available for \$10 per kit and include the following:

- Balloon, Glow Stick, Time Warp Flier, Rubber Glove, Noisemaker, Confetti Popper, Toilet Paper, Party Hat, Sponge, Paper Plates, Cards, Instructions, Bag

How to use the kit for the ultimate Rocky Horror Show experience:

Balloon

In the kit? **Yes** (1 qty)

Is it allowed? **Yes**

When to use: During the song Science Fiction Double Feature, the move When Worlds Collide is mentioned – pop the balloon at this time.

Large “J”-“A”-“N”-“E”-“T” cards

In the kit? **No**

Is it allowed? **Yes**, we just didn’t include it since it takes some decent coordination between people to pull off. You’re welcome to do it if you feel like your four friends can spell.

When to use: During the song “Dammit Janet” when Brad says Janet’s name, and when spells out Janet’s name, each card is held up as he spells it. Some people also write “Oh” “B”-“R”-“A”-“D” on the back of them and use them then.

Glow Stick / flashlight

In the kit? **Yes** (1 qty)

Is it allowed? **Yes** (NO Lighters, matches, flammables due to fire code restrictions). Get creative and download a concert lighter app on your phone. Those are much less flammable!

When to use: During the song There’s a Light (Over at the Frankenstein Place), while the “There’s a Light” chorus is playing. Do this during the chorus and when they say “in the darkness” lower it.

How to Time Warp Flier

In the kit? **Yes** (1 qty)

Is it allowed? **Of course!** Yes but try to keep the aisles open if possible for people trying to get through.

When to use: During the Time Warp – get up and dance!

Rubber Glove

In the kit? **Yes** (1 qty)

Is it allowed? **Yes**

When to use: During Frank’s speech at the tank when he puts on the gloves, stretches and snaps them. He does this three times and try to snap them at the same time!

Noisemakers

In the kit? **Yes** (1 qty)

Is it allowed? **Yes**

When to use: During the “Lab” scene, when the Transylvanian Guests use their noisemakers at the end of the creation speech.

Confetti

In the kit? **Yes** (1 confetti streamer popper)

Is it allowed? **Yes**

When to use: At the end of the “Lab” scene when the wedding march is being played when they head to the bedroom.

Toilet Paper

In the kit? **Yes** (1 qty)

Is it allowed? **Yes**

When to use: When Dr. Scott makes his entrance and Brad exclaims “Great Scott!”. Get it? Like Scotts toilet paper? Yeah, that’s why people do it. Wait to toss it when Dr. Scott crashes through the wall. By the time Dr. Scott hits the Transducer wall and Frank has his leg on the chair it’s time to stop tossing.

Party Hat

In the kit? **Yes** (1 qty)

Is it allowed? **Yes**

When to use: During dinner, Frank will put on his party hat, and you should too. It’s a party after all and you should be dressed appropriately 🤪

Newspaper

In the kit? **Yes**

Is it allowed? : **Yes**

When to use: When Frank pulls the table cloth off the dinner table.

Bell

In the kit? **No**

Is it allowed? **Yes**, if you didn’t bring a bell you can use your keys also. However it doesn’t look as cool.

When to use: When Frank is chasing Janet after dinner and asks the musical question “did you hear a bell ring?” during the song “Planet Schmanet”

Sponge

In the kit? **Yes** (1 qty)

Is it allowed? **Yes**

When to use: When Columbia is doing her “bitch out” speech and says to Frank, “you’re like a sponge!”

Cards

In the kit? **Yes** (8-12 qty)

Is it allowed? **Yes**

When to use: After floor show, when Frank is doing his solo number and sits down and sings the line “cards for sorrow, cards for pain”. Make it rain!

Rope

In the kit? **No**

Is it allowed? **Yes**, we just didn't include it in the kit.

When to use: When the rope falls from the rigging after Riff finishes shooting.

What's ABSOLUTELY NOT ALLOWED:

- Hot Dog and Prunes
- Rice
- Water Guns
- Toast

Lastly, please not throw things at the screen, so no damage is done and we can keep offering movies in the Barn. Feel free to contact us at info@vinegarhillmusictheatre.com with questions, or call 207-985-5552.