



# **MRC FAMILY GAME NIGHT**

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## BACKGROUND

- Started Game Night in 2007
- A fun way to teach preparedness concepts
- Old and New members could participate



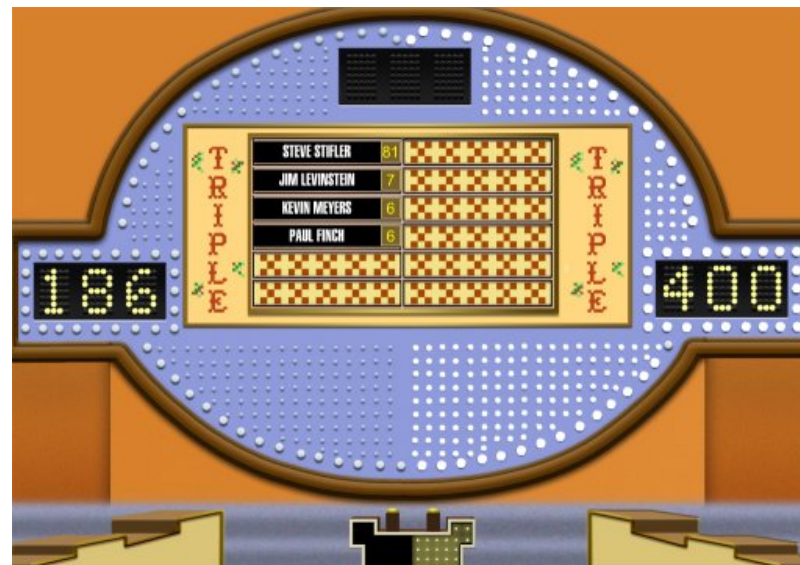
## CONCEPTS TAUGHT

- ICS
- Make a Kit
- Make a Plan
- Fire Safety
- Earthquake Safety
- Weather Disasters/Safety
- Communications Plan
- Pet Preparedness
- Family Preparedness
  - Children
  - Elderly
  - Disabled persons



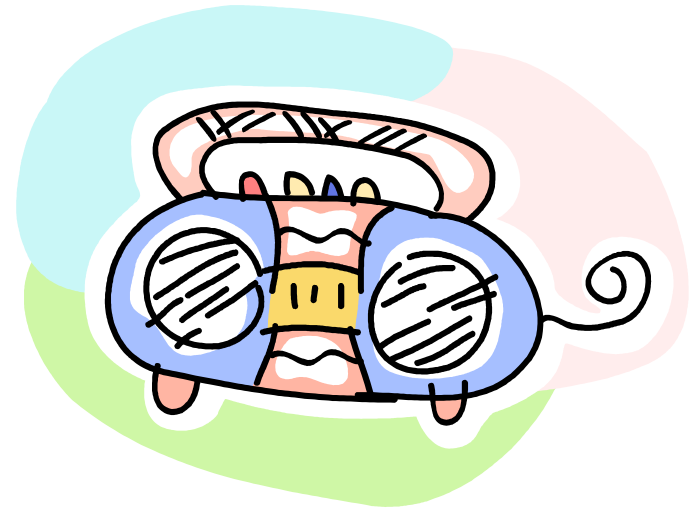
## GAMES PLAYED

- BINGO
- Pictionary
- Family Feud
- Hollywood Squares
- \$100,000 Pyramid
- Trivial Pursuit
- Price is Right Games



## PRIZES AWARDED

- Red Cross 3-day kits
- Red Cross weather radios
- MRC go kits
- Pet preparedness kits
- Umbrellas
- Multi-purpose tools
- Foldable shovels
- Car preparedness kits
- Backpack preparedness kits



# PRIZE TABLE

- Have 2 prize tables
  - One for Winning Games & a Consolation Table
- Let participants “shop” for prizes
  - Let’s people get what they want
  - Members who have been there several years can choose items they don’t already have
  - Avoids issues with people not playing games because they want a certain prize



# TEMPLATES

- Search for Game Templates or by specific game
- Most templates are found on school websites
- Most include instructions for modifying template
  - Follow instructions carefully, some templates will not work if you delete/change certain things within the PowerPoint
- Some games are easy to do yourself
  - Bingo, Pictionary, Pyramid, Price is Right



# LOW TECH GAMES

## ○ BINGO

- Very simple to understand for low literacy participants
- Good for little prizes, lots of winners
- Fast

## ○ Pictionary

- Fast
- Need to be able to read cards, can use pictures but can be confusing
- Everyone wins a prize
  - Nicer prize for winning team, consolation prize for other team





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Bleach



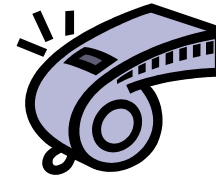
Books



Battery

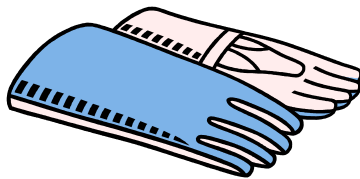


Whistle

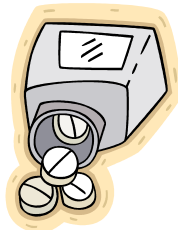


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Gloves



Medication



**FREE  
SQUARE**

Pet  
Food



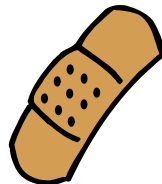
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Clothes



Bandages



Water



Scissors



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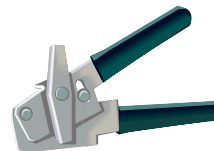
Canned  
Food



Flashlight



Can  
Opener



Glasses



B

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N

G

O

# POWERPOINT GAMES

## ○ Family Feud

- Very labor intensive, lots of pre-planning
- Develop questionnaire to either send to staff or unit members for game
- Pre-fill in boxes in template
- Easy to play
- Remind people it's the Survey answers that count
- 5 people win main prize, 5 consolation prizes
- Fast Money
  - Use a flipchart & markers
  - Remind participants of the rules
  - Make sure to keep time



Please answer the following questions:

1. Name 3 items commonly found in a **FAMILY Preparedness Kit**:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name 3 items commonly found in a **PET Preparedness Kit**:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

3. Name 3 **Incident Command Positions**:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_

4. Name a **Professional Baseball Team**: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Name your favorite **Disney Movie**: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Name a **First Aid Kit** item: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Name a **Common Natural Disaster** that happened in the United States:

\_\_\_\_\_

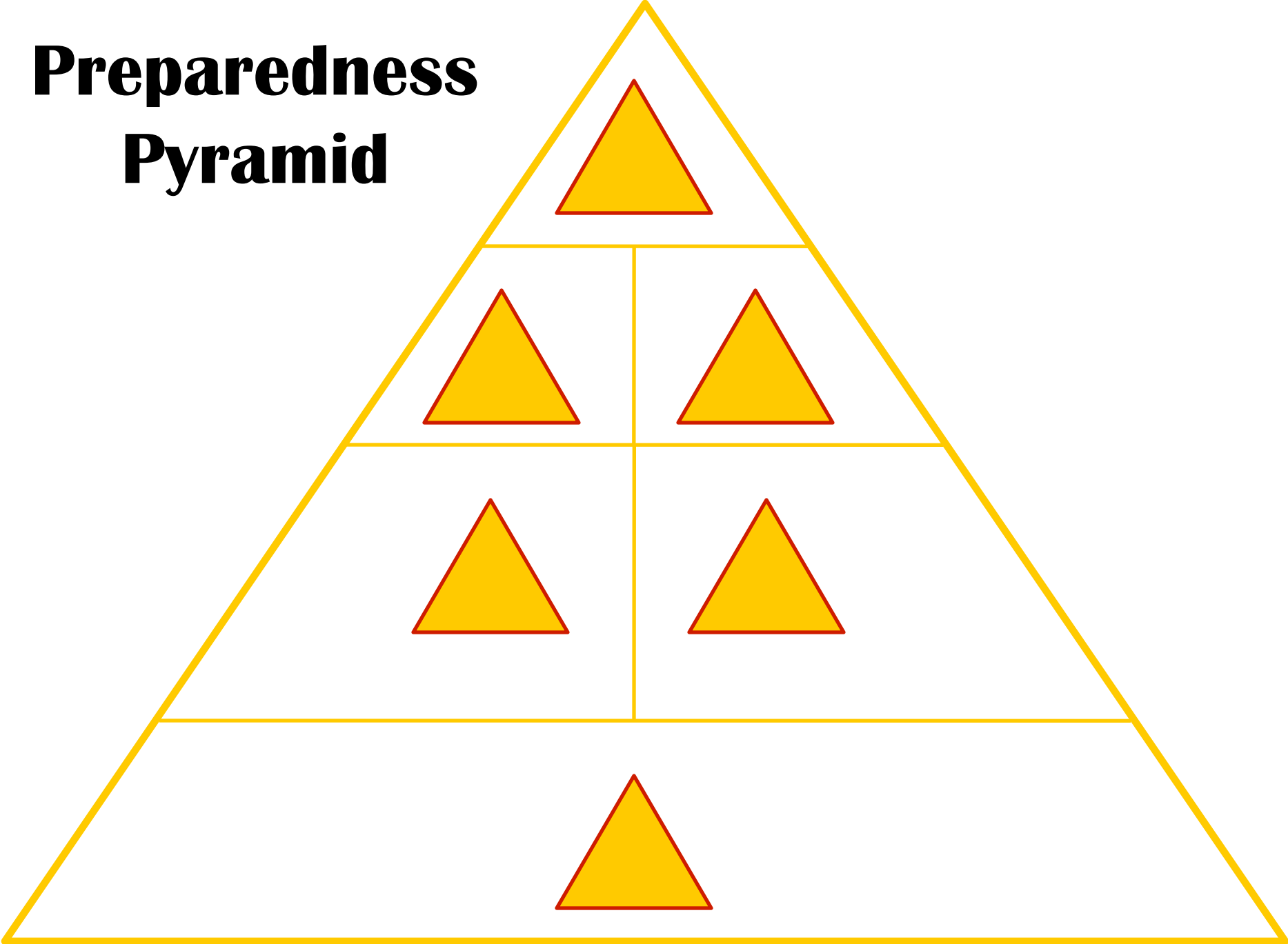


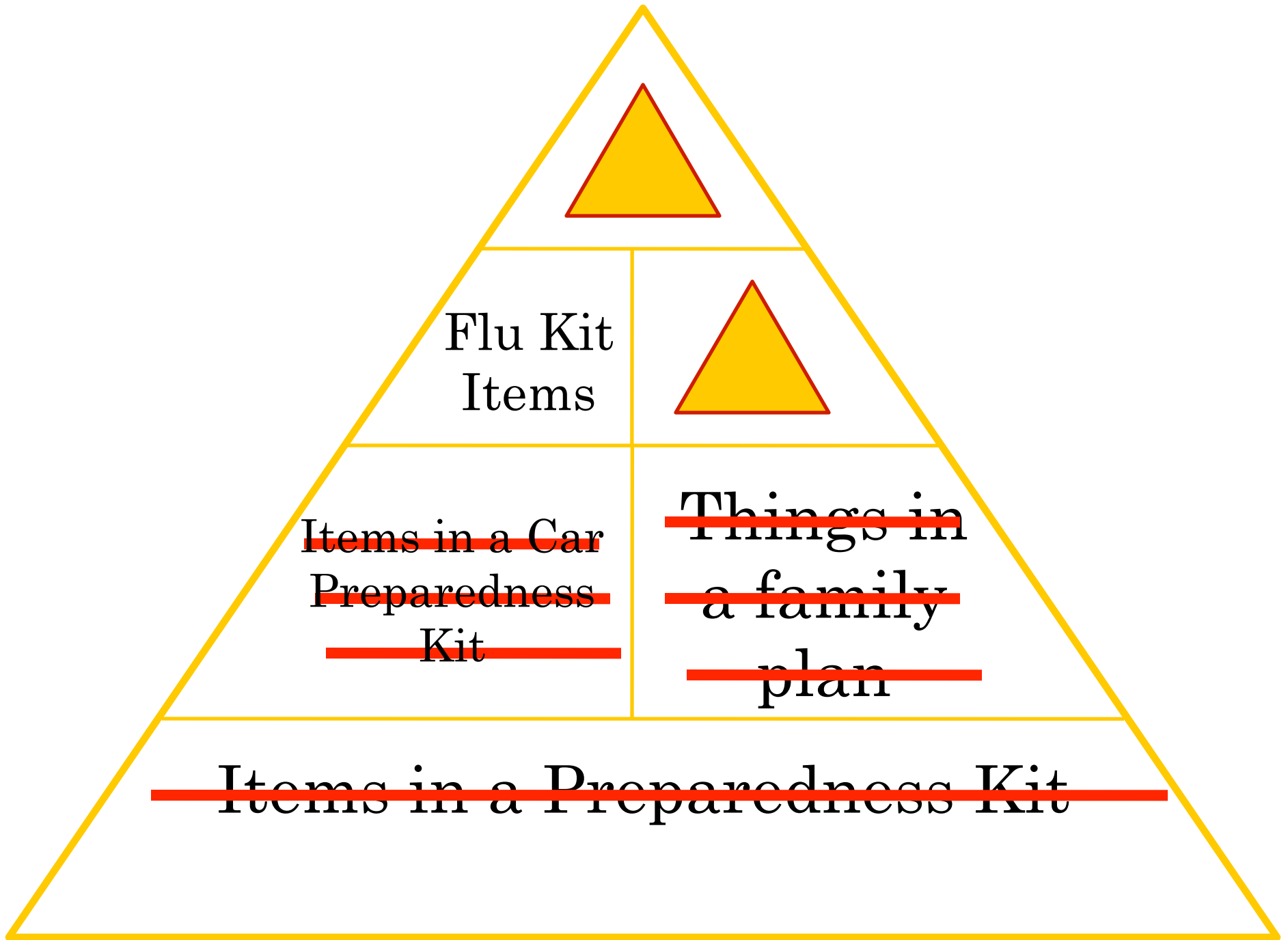
# POWERPOINT GAMES

- \$100,000 Pyramid
  - Easy to update and play
  - Only 2 people can win prizes
  - Fast, able to play multiple rounds quickly
  - Working on a full length version
- Hollywood Squares
  - Need 9 volunteers to prep beforehand
    - Provide some with correct answers and some with no answers
  - Still working with template to display all features
  - “Squares” get small prize for playing as well as 2 participants



# Preparedness Pyramid





Flu Kit  
Items

~~Items in a Car  
Preparedness  
Kit~~

~~Things in  
a family  
plan~~

~~Items in a Preparedness Kit~~

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