

COWS, FISH, CATTLEDOGS & KIDS!



GAME SHOW & BOARD GAME INFORMATION

It's a Ruckus in the Riparian Area!

Welcome to **COWS, FISH, CATTLEDOGS AND KIDS!** the fun, interactive, and sometimes crazy game that's creating a ruckus in the riparian area! This information sheet contains information you will need to familiarize yourself with the **COWS, FISH, CATTLEDOGS AND KIDS!** game show and board game



fish



water



wildlife



cattle



plants



mother nature

DID YOU KNOW?

Riparian areas are used by 80% of all the wildlife in Alberta.

In Alberta, riparian areas make up about 2% - 5% of the landscape.

Alberta holds 2.2% of Canada's water.

If managed appropriately, cows can use a riparian area without harming fish and other wildlife.

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How the **COWS, FISH, CATTLEDOGS AND KIDS!** Game Works

COWS, FISH, CATTLEDOGS AND KIDS! educates children and family audiences on the importance of healthy riparian areas, the green zones of water-loving vegetation next to streams, rivers, lakes and wetlands. The game focuses on the links between healthy riparian areas and fish, wildlife, vegetation, water, cattle and the environment as a whole. Participants are divided into two teams and *moovove* their cow game pieces along the riparian zone after correctly answering a question posed by the game host (Alex/Alexis Troutbeck) in one of the following categories: vegetation, fish, wildlife, water, mother nature and cattle.



Audience

COWS, FISH, CATTLEDOGS AND KIDS! has been developed primarily for elementary school age children (Grades 2 to 6), although it can be used with children up to Grade 8. It is also excellent for family audiences.

The 4' x 5' **BOARD GAME** can be used with small groups, around 30 kids or fewer. It works well with 4-H groups, classrooms, or any youth group.



The **GAME SHOW** requires more space to set up and deliver and is therefore more suitable to use in a gymnasium or theatre (indoor or outdoor) or large classroom setting. The game show can be played with large or small audiences. Schools, agriculture shows, youth environmental education days or environmental interpretive programs are all good settings for delivering the game show.



How do you get **COWS, FISH, CATTLEDOGS AND KIDS!**?

- ◆ You can borrow the game from us. We will provide you with background information.
- ◆ We can put the game on for you, with your assistance and participation.

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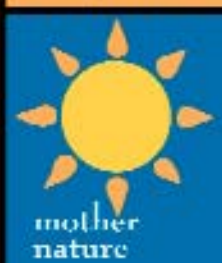
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