Friday After Thanksgiving
Chain Reaction: Twenty-WON!

2018 Guidelines

• **Restrictions:**
  - Your link in the chain reaction should be no wider than 2', no taller than 4', and no longer than 6'.
  - Please do not use chemicals (although small amounts of baking soda and vinegar are okay), rely on plug-in electricity (batteries and low-power DC are okay), or use more than 1 cup of water.

• **Requirements:**
  - Your link’s action must be repeatable, so please test your chain reaction before bringing it to the event.
  - Please have your reaction last AT LEAST 30 seconds and end in LESS THAN three minutes. It’s a great idea to give your audience time to enjoy your event, be it funny, playful, clever, whimsical, or elegant.
  - Connect your machine using a single string pull: your reaction must begin AND end with a string that is pulled by the links before and after yours. Please be sure that it takes no more force than the hanging weight of a golf ball moving 1" to start your link and ends by pulling a string AT LEAST 1" in length with enough force to lift a golf ball.
  - Your link must include something to do with this year’s theme of “Twenty-WON”. So many favorite games aim for a winning score of 21. Create your “winning” link inspired by badminton, cornhole, table tennis, shuffleboard, horseshoe, or other games.

Good luck! We look forward to seeing your fantastic creation at the 21st Friday After Thanksgiving Chain Reaction!

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