

Thanksgiving (2007 Short/Trailer) 1.0 By Horrorshowjack

The fourth Thursday in November is the mother of all holidays in Plymouth, MA. But one year a killer dressed as a Pilgrim will make the people pray to be blessed with survival.

Better gobble these up:

1000 Turkey Points.

Locations:

- 1. Plymouth Massachusetts on Thanksgiving Weekend
- 2. Somewhere Else

Origins: There are no backgrounds here. You can choose something plausible if you want an origin.

To make up for the lack of origin discounts you receive four Drumsticks. These may be spent to get something costing 100 points or less for free.

Age and Sex options: Pick whatever you want.

Perks: These cost 100 points unless otherwise stated. You may purchase any of these multiple times. Additional purchases have an additive effect. Perks with the [MULTI] tag may be purchased to get an additional specialty under the perk. They are then considered separate perks for upgrading.

Axe Crazy: You have mad axe skills at combat and cause much more damage than normal when using one.

Decapitain: If your attack with a slashing weapon would be fatal, you can choose to have it be a super cut. This is nearly completely silent and will result in full decapitation. However, the head will usually sit on the neck for a while until nudged.

Stealthy: You're an expert at being stealthy, and can disappear in a panicked crowd.

Cheerleader: You have the skills, experience, and training results of someone who has been a varsity cheerleader for four seasons.

Lettered: You have the skills, experience, and training results of someone who has lettered in chess, debate, or some similar activity for four years. [MULTI]

Woodsman: You have the survival skills of a pilgrim in their second year.

Skilled: You have a professional level of skill at some trade, craft, or profession practiced in Pilgrim times. [MULTI]

Native: You have the full set of skills needed to qualify as an adult of either gender for a local tribe during the time of the Pilgrims' settling. [MULTI]

Taste Tester: You can identify if something is blood by tasting it, and are immune to bloodborn diseases via your mouth. For 300 points, you can identify blood born diseases, sex, order, and blood type by taste.

Like Grandma: You have the experience and skill necessary to prepare multi-course meals for a large family in even a small kitchen.

Turkey: You are highly experienced and skilled at cooking traditional American holiday meals and treats.

Fear Turkey: You know how to cook humanoids safely, and table them well. Also, you suffer no reduction in skill from whatever other skills or perks you use for this.

Fuck the Fear Turkey: You don't have performance anxiety and are all ready to go when you want to. In fact, an audience improves things for you. A traumatized one even more so as the strong reaction of any viewers makes the experience more pleasurable and boosts any sexually charged powers or perks you may be using.

Leftovers: You can cause an erection or lubrication in a corpse via mystic stimulation.

Make the Dead Cum: As long as you started while they were alive, the sudden death of your partner won't stop you from getting them to pop. Also counts as completion with a living partner for any of your perks, powers, etc.

Comforting Fucker: Most of the time attempting to bed the bereaved (especially before the blood dries) would incur a high likelihood of a dual funeral. But not for you. In fact, you have a pretty good chance of sensitively providing supportive, nurturing orgasms that increases with how traumatized the other party is. Even if you fail they're unlikely to take it badly unless you're a complete ass about it.

Twirl My Baton: You are a skilled baton twirler and have all the manual dexterity expected of someone who has practiced for a few hours a day over the last two years.

In the Band: You know how to play an instrument used in a typical marching band at an expert level, and know the most common marches for your instrument. [MULTI]

Getting the Band Together: You have a few years of experience in marching band and/or drum corps, and can be considered an expert at it. Also, you're comfortable with group nudity. If you can't play an instrument, assume you're some sort of support type.

Parade Geek: You've participated in several parades in various capacities, and know how to organize one properly.

The Lord's Bondage: It's a lot harder to tie potential murder victims securely to a chair than people realize. But not for you. You are an expert at every sort of rope bondage, even the fun Japanese stuff.

Chum Rhymes With: When having sexy times in a (semi) public place, you can double the odds of being found by a killer, or triple them if someone is actively killing people having sex.

Thankful for a Day Off: You have five years of experience, and appropriate qualifications (less than or equal to a master's degree) for some mundane job. [MULTI]

Actual Pilgrim: (600) You don't age past your physical prime, and are immune to artificial aging and death by old age. Additionally, unless your body is destroyed, or some other issue prevents it, you'll return from the dead within one year. Although you will need to bloodily kill 27 people within the following month to avoid dying again. Sequels.

Items:

100 Turkey Points unless otherwise noted. May be purchased multiple times unless otherwise noted. Properties are warehouse attached or imported as desired on future jumps.

Shiny Axe: You have a shiny, stainless-steel axe that's ridiculously sharp and doesn't need sharpening or other maintenance. It's also nearly unbreakable, and will return in your warehouse the following week if destroyed.

Gas Guzzler: You have a 1950s-1960s convertible sedan of your choice with a big back seat and lots of chrome. Refilling gas tank, self repairing, and cleaning. Also, sex in or on the car will never result in unplanned pregnancies.

Thanksgiving Dinner: Once a day you can summon a traditional Thanksgiving dinner. Ham or Domestic Turkey, five sides, gravy, and three types of dessert. Enough to feed eight people. For each additional purchase, add another traditional meat to the options, two sides, and a dessert. You also get an additional meat selection, which can be the same type of meat prepared a different way.

Costume: You get self-cleaning, repairing, and resizing costume related to Thanksgiving.

Parade Permit: You have a preauthorized permit to hold a parade once a year. Updates to local town on future jumps.

Chef's Knife: Allows nearly flawless cuts in food prep or meat carving for even the clueless. If actually skilled, you may as well be using a laser cutter.

Recipe Book: Updating recipe book. Starts with great variations of traditional American holiday recipes, and any from your or your companions' families even if none of your party knew them. Never runs out of pages, and will collect new ones within one week in a new area.

Holiday Entertainment: Updating service of every NFL game played on Thanksgiving, even the ones that weren't broadcast. You can even select tech from old B&W, film quality, modern hidef, etc, and pair it with any announcing crew that has ever worked a Thanksgiving Day Game. Also the same options and selections for the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade. Will display properly on any television or monitor type device.

Cozy Cape Cod Cottage: (400) A cozy old family home. All food tastes better when the family eats here, it's generally good for emotional tranquility and mental health. Also torturing or terrorizing people is twice as effective.

Letterman Jacket: (400) Significantly increases sex appeal, stamina, sexual performance, and confidence while worn. Also allows you to survive comfortably in temps from arctic to subtropical while worn. Self-cleaning and repairing etc overnight. Tracks any additional things that would qualify for pinning and updates itself.

Cheerleader Outfit: (400) Significantly increases sex appeal, agility, sexual performance, flexibility, and confidence while at least the skirt is still on. If full uniform is worn, add a minor boost to strength and stamina. Commando still qualifies for full uniform bonus. Self-cleaning and repairing etc overnight.

Supplement Mode: You can choose to use this jump as a supplement and attach it to another jump.

Companion Options: These cost 100 points unless otherwise stated.

Recruit Anyone: Free! Anyone you want to recruit in this world is free to join you as a companion if they agree. This is a perk you can use in future jumps.

Import: You can import all your companions, and they'll get 600 points to spend. They also get the 4 Drumsticks, same as you got.

Drawbacks: Each of these offers 200 points unless otherwise stated.

Back to Work: Free! You can leave when the Thanksgiving weekend is over.

Continuity Toggle: Free! You can cross this over with any grindhouse-type movie set after 1970, or declare them in continuity with each other for separate jumps.

Longer Stay: You'll spend 10 more years here.

Item Lockout: You can't use items from outside this jump in this jump. Or access your warehouse.

Unbasted: Every sexual encounter you have here, even with yourself, will result in you being violently attacked or incredibly humiliated prior to you getting off. Every. Single. One.

Power Lockout: You can't use powers from outside of this jump in this jump.

Scaling Rival: You have an enemy who has as many Turkey Points to construct their build as you spent. They don't like you and seek to defeat you.

Grindhouse Night: You'll be subjected to random horror movie attacks or other b-movie stresses at least every other year while here. Incompatible with **Back to Work.**

Final Jumper: (400) The Pilgrim is fixated on you and your companions and will stop at nothing to kill and terrorize you. Has 50% more than the amount you spent, and a dossier on you.

Listen Fucker: (600) Seems that Alucard (Hellsing Abridged) is upset about the potential fear turkey fuckage and will be taking a walk in your neighborhood. Guess who he's looking for?

Ending Options:

What will you do now? Stay here? Go home? Move on to the next jump?

Notes:

Happy Thanksgiving. This is based on the mock-trailer *Thanksgiving* by Eli Roth. It was one of a series of fake trailers various directors made for the Quentin Tarentino-Robert Rodriguez movie *Grindhouse*. Two of the others, *Machete* and *Hobo With A Shotgun*, have actually been made into feature films in the years since.

Change Log:

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