

Game → Prairie Roundup

Objective

The goal of this game is to avoid the “wranglers” by galloping through the prairie field.

Set-Up

- Use four cones to mark the galloping track inside the field.
- Assign participants to be either “wranglers” or “wild horses”. Give the “wranglers” “lassos” (pool noodles).
- On your “GO!” signal, both the wild horses and the wranglers begin to gallop.
- If tagged by the wrangler, the wild horse must go to the ranch, and complete five frog jumps before returning to the field.
- Switch the wranglers and wild horses every 3-4 minutes.

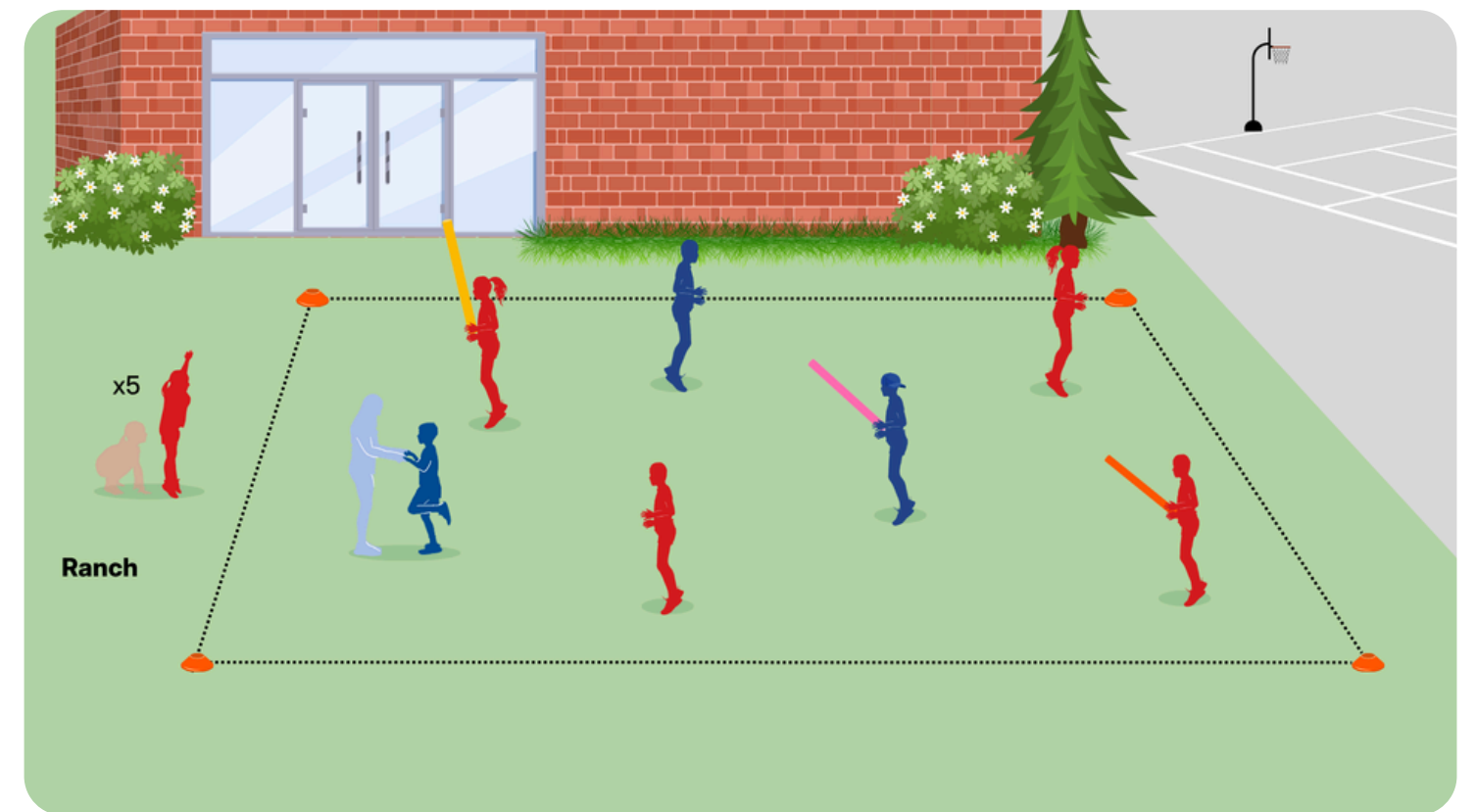
Adaptations and Modifications

- Increase/decrease the number of wranglers.
- Increase/decrease the size of the field.
- Allow participants to skip around the activity space.
- Add “shrubs” as obstacles.

Safety

- Make sure to remind participants to keep their heads up while galloping around the activity space.
- Ensure there is sufficient room for participants to gallop safely.

Diagram: Prairie Roundup



Equipment Pool noodles, cones