**Premiere Pro - Birthday Party**

Create a ***Birthday*** folder in your Premiere folder on your Desktop.

Start Premiere Pro > new project

* Location: Browse to your ***BirthdayLastName*** folder on your Desktop
* Sequence Name: BirthdayLastName

Adding clips to timeline – Drag the video clips to the timeline in this order: Birthday 500 01, Birthday 500 02, Birthday 500 05, Birthday 500 04, Birthday 500 07, Birthday 500 06, Tape2\_01, Birthday 500 08, Birthday 500 03, Tape2\_02.

**SAVE!**

Delete unnecessary clips – Birthday 500 02.avi should be deleted – it is video of his feet as he is walking. Right Click and ripple delete to deleting clip. Also ripple delete Tape 2\_01.

Trimming clips

* Birthday 500 01
  + Delete the very first part of the clip where the man clears his throat & shrugs his shoulders – it should start right with him saying “Welcome everyone….”
    - Hint: you may need to scrunch your scroll bar to the left to make the track bigger when editing – OR you could slow down the duration/speed of that clip to really make sure you are trimming it accurately; and then change the speed/duration back to normal after trimming
  + Play until the man finishes the statement “the smallest racing event”. Razor & delete everything after that. Ripple Delete
* Tape2\_02
  + Razor the wait time in the beginning – it should start where he says “And they’re off….”

Video Transitions – use *page peel* and *cross dissolve* between the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd clips.

**SAVE your project.**

Trimming/Editing

**500 03**: Increase Duration to 300% speed

**Tape 2 02**: After the girl wins the race, she turns around to look behind her at the others. When she starts to turn around, razor the clip and then slow the last half of the clip down to 25% speed/duration. You’ll notice when you do this that the audio is also slow-mo. To fix it, right click on the clip and Unlink, then right click on the audio portion and increase the speed back to 100%.

* Then as she starts to turn her head back forwards, razor it again, and add the Brightness/Contrast effect (color correction folder) – and under the effect controls, increase the brightness to 76

Birthday 500 04: The boy looks at the camera and then looks forward – we want to cut off the video before he turns his head back forward (we want to see him looking at the camera only). Razor & delete that portion of the clip.

Birthday 500 07: Speed up 200%

Birthday 500 06: The boy looks at the camera and then looks forward – we want to cut off the video before he turns his head back forward (we want to see him looking at the camera only). Razor & delete that portion of the clip.

Birthday 500 08: We don’t want to see the handlebars on the bike. We want the clip to start with her looking at the camera, and then also trim AFTER she looks at her friend. Let her look at her friend VERY briefly, but then razor & delete after that.

Transition between 500 03 and Tape 2\_02: Dip to Black (Dissolve)

Audio – Bring in Racecar2.wav to start at the 2nd clip – but insert keyframes to make the audio come in slowly.

Working with text and titles – **Still**, Rolling, Template

* Add Title based on Template on the first slide (Education – Balloons2 low3)
  + Title - Happy Birthday! Subtitle - none
  + Add the title clip to the end of the video. (Video 1 layer) Change the background color if you want (double click the title icon & check the background box, then pick a color)
* Add Rolling Credits on Birthday Image at end (Video 2 layer)
  + Starring: Billy, Jane, Bobby, Sally, John
  + Add font effects & centering as desired to make it appealing

**SAVE your project.**

Working with sounds – import to timeline – adjusting volume – fade in and out

* Add racing sound to the Tape 02\_02 – it should start after he says “And they’re off”
* Drag the audio volume down as low as possible so that you can still hear the guy talking but can hear the racecar sound slightly in the background
* Fade the audio out at the end of the clip
* Drag the birthday.wav sound clip to the end of the video to go along with the rolling credits & birthday template. Trim appropriately.

SAVE your project.

**Extra:**

1. Use the racing audio sounds again throughout the video where needed – there shouldn’t be any place without audio except at the beginning when the guy is introducing the race, and the end. Trim & fade in/out appropriately.
2. Use video effects on 2 clips – don’t forget to change Effect Controls
3. Add titles on each little kid clip to give them names. (choose your own names)
4. Add a title to the ending scene to declare the winner ☺
5. Add anything else you think will enhance the movie!

When finished:

* + - 1. Export – Media
      2. Format Windows Media
      3. Check the Output Name Link – should be Named BirthdayLastName and located in the Birthday folder on your Desktop.
      4. Upload