Thanksgiving hosting checklist

What comes with hosting

Everything to plan besides the food.

Besides the food

- [ ] Who's bringing what
- [ ] Who lands when
- [ ] Where everyone sleeps
- [ ] Enough chairs, plates and forks
- [ ] Something for the kids to do
- [ ] What can be done ahead
- [ ] Who's on dishes

Who's bringing what

Count back from the table

☐	*2 to 3 weeks*	Guest list, and who's bringing what
☐	*Weekend before*	Big grocery run. Count chairs and plates
☐	*Sunday*	Frozen turkey moves to the fridge
☐	*Tuesday*	Second grocery run
☐	*Wednesday*	Do what can be done ahead. Set the table
☐	*Thursday*	Cook. Then sit down

What hosts forget

- [ ] Ice
- [ ] Foil and leftover containers
- [ ] Extra toilet paper and hand towels
- [ ] A place for coats and shoes
- [ ] Trash bags
- [ ] A lighter for the candles

Or say it to Lawna: "We're hosting Thanksgiving. Turkey out of the freezer Sunday. We need two more chairs."