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TEASER

SC. 1 - EXT. DODGE JUNCTION - OUTSKIRTS - EARLY EVENING

Close on NO-NAME PONY sporting a Clint Eastwood-style "No-Name" hat. A rubber chicken sits on his shoulder. With steely eyes, he saunters away from the western town.

Looking like he was up to no good, the pony gives his rubber chicken a confident side glance.

1 NO-NAME PONY
 (ominously)
Well, Boneless, looks like our work
here is done. Time for us to get
the heck out of Dodge.

SC. 2 - EXT. DODGE JUNCTION - MAIN TOWN - CONTINUOUS

Angle back on Dodge Junction. It is bursting at the seams with balloons, streamers, flags, party lights, and beacon spotlights. Clearly a HUGE party is going on in town. The ponies of Dodge are hootin', hollerin' and going wild!

2 DODGE PONIES
<HOOTIN', HOLLERIN', and MERRIMENT>

SC. 3 - EXT. DODGE JUNCTION - OUTSKIRTS - CONTINUOUS

Back on No-Name, who now has a deflated balloon dangling from his mouth at a slight smile on his face.

3 NO-NAME
Yeah, those ponies never partied so
hard. Thanks to me...

He looks straight to camera.

4 CHEESE SANDWICH
Cheese. Cheese Sandwich.

CHEESE SANDWICH then blows up the balloon and lets it go, sending it flying into the air. He nods to camera, breaks his gaze and saunters on with the party raging behind him.

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ACT I**SC. 4 - EXT. PONYVILLE - MORNING - ESTABLISHING****SC. 5 - EXT. PONYVILLE - TOWN SQUARE - CONTINUOUS**

PINKIE PIE wears saddlebags and walks through Town Square marveling at the awesomeness of Ponyville. MUSIC begins and she sings the INTRO...

5 PINKIE PIE
Ponyville! You're my party space!
Nowhere in all Equestria could take
your place!
And here am I! Your Pinkie Pie!
I'm here to plan a party!
That's my Battle Cry!

An UPBEAT, CHEERY, PURPOSEFUL SONG continues as Pinkie approaches the VENDORS singing.

6 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
On this fine morning, I am glad to
see you.
I have so many things to buy.
Yes, I need them right away.
For the party is today!
I'm the super party planner Pinkie
Pie!

Through the song, Pinkie gets various supplies from lights to streamers to balloons that fill up her saddlebags.

As she does, other PONIES begin to sing her praises. A NEWLYWED COUPLE steps up, stopping to thank Pinkie.

7 NEWLYWED COUPLE
Oh, Pinkie, thanks so much! It all
was perfect!
We still are floating on cloud
nine!
Because each and every guest...
Said our wedding was the best!
We just cannot thank you more,
sweet Pinkie Pie!

8 PINKIE PIE
<Giggles> You're welcome!

Pinkie gets too many balloons from a balloon vendor and begins floating into the air.

Before she can get too far, MR. CAKES catches her tail and drags her back down. Mr. & MRS. CAKE (with the BABY CAKES) begin to sing.

9 MR. & MRS. CAKE
And then, dear Pinkie, threw the
best Foal Shower.
Before our little ones arrived.
We all played such silly games.
Guessing Pound and Pumpkin's names.
Yes, nopony plans it quite like
Pinkie Pie!

10 PINKIE PIE
Oh, it was nothing!

DIAMOND TIARA sings in a mildly disgruntled tone.

11 DIAMOND TIARA
Yes, Pinkie Pie did plan my Cute-
ceañera.
The finest party of all time!
So expensive and so grand.
Just the best in the land.
Even I admit it's thanks to Pinkie
Pie.

12 PINKIE PIE
Thanks? I guess?

Pinkie steps up to some vendors. They SING into the CLIMB...

13 ART SUPPLY VENDOR
What color paints?

14 PINKIE PIE
I need the rainbow!

Paints fly into her saddlebags.

15 ART SUPPLY VENDOR
A paint brush too?

16 PINKIE PIE
Yes, if you please!

The paintbrush goes in.

17 BANNER VENDOR
And what from me?

18 PINKIE PIE
Your biggest banner!

A Banner lands on her back. Pinkie looks triumphant.

19 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
This party's going to be the best,
you'll see!

With her supplies in her saddle bags and her banner on her back, Pinkie goes to the center of the square. She bucks the banner off, so that it unfurls in the middle of the square. Pinkie then grabs her brushes and paints and starts painting.

20 PONY CHORUS
(BRIDGE)
Yes, Pinkie's so amazing!
There is not a pony that compares.
For, when she plans a party...
Pinkie Pie is always sure to give
it Pinkie flair!

Wow! Will you look at Pinkie!
We just wish we had the words to
say.
She is so super duper!
The most super duper party pony of
today!

Pinkie is now really going wild with her (unseen) painting.

TWILIGHT, SPIKE, FLUTTERSHY, APPLEJACK, RARITY, and RAINBOW DASH join to praise Pinkie in the VERSE.

21 TWILIGHT
Just look at Pinkie...

22 RARITY
She's the best at parties!

As they continue, Rarity and Twilight use their unicorn magic to raise up the banner that Pinkie has just painted and tie it up to posts (we still don't see it).

23 RAINBOW DASH
She has no limits but the sky!

24 APPLEJACK
It is sure to be great fun,

Fluttershy comically musters up her biggest voice.

25 FLUTTERSHY
Because Pinkie's number one!

Pinkie beams as everypony surrounds her for the final chorus.

26 PONY FRIENDS/CHORUS
Yes, no party pony equals her!
And that is a fact, I must concur!
Yes, no party pony equals Pinkie
Piiiiiiiiie!

Pinkie jumps up in the air as the **SONG ENDS**.

SC. 6 - EXT. SUGARCUBE CORNER - CONTINUOUS

As Pinkie lands, she turns excitedly to her friends.

27 PINKIE PIE
And I am so, so, so excited because
today I'm planning the birthday
bash of...

Pinkie gestures up to the banner she just painted. It's an awesome Pinkie-style portrait of Rainbow Dash.

28 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
RAINBOW DASH!!!

Pan down to Rainbow under the banner, beaming.

29 RAINBOW DASH
Yeah!

They "hoof-bump" but then Pinkie pulls Rainbow in close, looking her seriously straight in the eye.

30 PINKIE PIE
Rainbow Dash.

31 RAINBOW DASH
Yes, Pinkie?

32 PINKIE PIE
You realize that by enlisting me as
your party planner, I guarantee
that this is going to be the
funnest, most fantabulous,
superbial party in Ponyville?

33 RAINBOW DASH
Yeah, I guess.

34 PINKIE PIE
No guesses. Parties are no picnic.

35 FLUTTERSHY
Oh, I like a nice picnic party.

Pinkie shoots Fluttershy a fierce look.

36 FLUTTERSHY (CONT'D)
Oh!

Pinkie turns back to Rainbow.

37 PINKIE PIE
Parties are serious.

Pinkie does her "Pinkie Promise" gestures.

38 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
And you have my certified "Pinkie
Party Promise" that you will have
the best birthday party ever!

Rainbow is a bit freaked by this.

39 RAINBOW DASH
Okay?

Pinkie finally breaks the seriousness and smiles.

40 PINKIE PIE
Great! Now, who's ready to plan a
par-tay!?

41 CHEESE SANDWICH (O.S.)
I am.

The Ponies all turn in surprise...

42 TWILIGHT/FLUTTERSHY/RARITY/RAINBOW/
APPLEJACK/SPIKE
Really?/Who's that?!/Well, hello./
Hunh?/Nice hat./Cool!

And see Cheese Sandwich, looking all rough and tumble.

43 PINKIE PIE
Who are you, stranger?

44 CHEESE SANDWICH
Name's Cheese Sandwich. I plan
parties.

Pinkie's eyes light up.

45 PINKIE PIE
What an amazing coincidence! I'm
Pinkie Pie and I'm planning a
party!

Cheese gives a smooth look.

46 CHEESE SANDWICH
Oh, it's no coincidence, my little
pony. My Cheesy Sense was a-
tingling, telling me a party was in
the works.

47 PINKIE PIE
A Cheesy Sense!? Ah! Double
Amazing! I have a Pinkie Sense!

48 CHEESE SANDWICH
(intuitively)
Yes. I sensed you did.

Rainbow steps in.

49 RAINBOW DASH
Enough of this NON-sense. I've
gotta birthday party to be planned!

50 CHEESE SANDWICH
And I happen to be the premiere
party planner in all of Equestria.
If there's a party in need, there
I'll be. Be it wing-ding, hoe-
down, hootenanny, or shindig, I'm
your pony!

Pinkie's about to burst. She gets right in Cheese's face.

51 PINKIE PIE
A pair of Party Pony Planners in
Ponyville?! What could be more
perfect?!

Rainbow flies above them.

52 RAINBOW DASH
I'll tell you what! Making this
party 20% more epic!!

Rainbow strikes an awesome pose.

53 PINKIE PIE
Oh, I think we can do that!

54 CHEESE SANDWICH
Oh, I don't think so.

Pinkie and Rainbow look at Cheese wide-eyed and mortified.
But then Cheese busts out a sly smile.

55 CHEESE SANDWICH (CONT'D)
I know so.

56 RAINBOW DASH
Yeah!

57 CHEESE SANDWICH
After all...

Cheese breaks his cool western persona and launches an upbeat, playful SONG, dancing and bringing his party persona on. Thru the song Pinkie interjects excitedly.

58 CHEESE SANDWICH (CONT'D)
(sings)
Super-duper-party-pony. That pony
is me!

59 PINKIE PIE
Me too!

60 CHEESE SANDWICH
I always knew that was the kind of
pony I would be.

61 PINKIE PIE
Unh hunh!

He produces party cannons, a turntables, and laser lights.

62 CHEESE SANDWICH
With party cannons, jammin' tunes,
and awesome laser lights.
You know that with Cheese Sandwich,
you'll be partying all night.

63 CHEESE SANDWICH (CONT'D)
(VERSE)
When I was but a little colt, I
just wanted to play.

64 PINKIE PIE
Like me!

65 CHEESE SANDWICH
But everypony told me, "Cheese!
That fun just wastes the day!"

66 PINKIE PIE
Oh yeah!

Cheese starts getting a group of GRUMPY PONIES to dance.

67 CHEESE SANDWICH
But when I threw a party and I
busted out some moves.
The ponies fin'ly saw the light and
got into the groove!

68 PINKIE PIE
Yeah!

Cheese starts giving out his business card. Everypony is
drawn in and impressed. Pinkie's looking worried.

69 CHEESE SANDWICH
Super-duper-party pony--says so on
my card.
Party with the Cheese-meister, and
you will party hard.
A party by Cheese Sandwich is the
best party, bar none.

70 PINKIE PIE
But I thought all the ponies said
that I was number one!

Cheese sidles up to Rainbow.

71 CHEESE SANDWICH
I've got some great ideas for your
party, Rainbow Dash.

72 PINKIE PIE
Me too!

73 CHEESE SANDWICH
You seem to be the kind of pony who
would like some flash.

Pinkie pulls out sad little fairy lights from her saddlebags
and waves them about. But nopony notices her efforts.

74 RAINBOW DASH
Yeah, hunh!

75 CHEESE SANDWICH
How 'bout a big bright beacon that
will shine in the night sky.
The partyers will watch in awe as
into it you fly!

76 RAINBOW DASH
Yeah!

77 CHEESE SANDWICH
I bet you are the kind of pony that
can shake her tail.

78 PINKIE PIE
Like this?

Pinkie jumps in and starts doing a goofy dance.

Cheese pulls a pair of ENORMOUS SPEAKERS from O.S.

79 CHEESE SANDWICH
I'll break out kickin' music. Yeah,
it's really gonna wail.

Cheese now has the crowd dancing with Rainbow in the center.
Pinkie continues to do her own dance, gradually getting
shoved out.

80 CHEESE SANDWICH (CONT'D)
Beats are thumping, cool hoof
pumpin'. Ponies rock the floor.
Cheese Sandwich throws an epic bash
with 20% more!
(CHORUS)
Yeah! Super-duper-party-pony.
That pony is me!

Pinkie jumps up from the outside, trying to be seen.

81 PINKIE PIE
And me!

82 CHEESE SANDWICH
You'll never meet another party
pony quite like Cheese!

Pinkie jumps up again desperately.

83 PINKIE PIE
Pinkie!

84 CHEESE SANDWICH
If you do need a party pony, then I
am your guy!

Outside the group, Pinkie is worried and sings softly.

85 PINKIE PIE
But what about the super party pony
Pinkie Pie?

As the crowd joins Cheese in the song, Pinkie looks left out.

86 CHEESE SANDWICH/PONIES
C'mon, everypony, let's all party
down with Cheese.
This party's gonna be the best,
that is his guarantee.

Yes, Cheese Sandwich is certified.
This guy is no phony.
So come and join the Super-Duper-
Paaaarty Poooo-ny!

SONG ENDS.

Rainbow does a flip in the air.

87 RAINBOW DASH
Yeah! That's what I'm talking
about! I am so stoked you're here,
Cheese Sandwich.

After that big musical number, Cheese nods humbly.

88 CHEESE SANDWICH
Just doin' my job, ma'am.

89 RAINBOW DASH
I mean, Pinkie Pie's parties are
fun and sweet and all, but now this
party's gonna be...

90 CHEESE SANDWICH
20% more epic?

91 RAINBOW DASH
You said it!

Cheese and Rainbow do a super hoof bump. Rainbow looks at
Pinkie on the sidelines.

92 RAINBOW DASH (CONT'D)
No offense, Pinkie.

Pinkie hide her sadness and smiles at Rainbow.

93 PINKIE PIE
None taken.

But then she looks back and she's clearly crushed.

END ACT I

ACT II

SC. 7 - EXT. PONYVILLE - TOWN SQUARE - CONTINUOUS

Pinkie watches sadly as her friends and other ponies surround Cheese Sandwich. He hangs a fantastic, professional banner with Rainbow on it, above Pinkie's smaller, homemade one.

94 RAINBOW DASH
I'm feeling the epic, Cheese Sandwich!

95 CHEESE SANDWICH
Alright, party ponies! I've got some planning to do!

96 PONY FRIENDS/PONYVILLE PONIES
<CHEERS!> Yay!/Hoorah!/Go Cheese!/
Make it epic!

Pinkie turns and starts walking away. Twilight sees her.

97 TWILIGHT
(calling out)
Pinkie! Aren't you going to help Cheese Sandwich plan the party?

Pinkie looks back at Twilight.

98 PINKIE PIE
No. He's obviously got what it takes to do it all by himself.

Pinkie turns and walks away. Twilight goes back to watching Cheese decorate for the party.

99 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
After all, if Cheese really is the superest-duperest partyingest pony of them all, maybe that means...I'm not.

Pinkie begins **SINGING** a **BALLAD** bemoaning her terrible state.

100 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
(singing)
All of my life, all I've wanted to be...
Is a pony that planned the best of parties...
And in Ponyville I thought that I'd found my home.
But maybe I was wrong.
Perhaps party planning just isn't for me.

(MORE)

PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)

A different vocation is now what I
do need.

A new kind of work for Pinkie!

SC. 8 - MONTAGE - INT. HOSPITAL - OPERATING ROOM

Pinkie is dressed in scrubs and she stands next to DR.
WHOOVES who is performing surgery on an INJURED PONY.

101 PINKIE PIE (V.O.)

(singing)

Sorry, I can't plan your parties!

I fear that I'm not your pony.

I'm done with steamers and party
canons.

No more elated, balloons deflated.

Dr. Whooves holds out his gloved hoof for an instrument.
Pinkie gives him a scalpel. He gestures for another
instrument. Pinkie puts her gloved hoof in his and Dr.
Whooves begins to SHAKE WILDLY as he gets SHOCKED. Pinkie
shakes with laughter.

REVEAL that she's holding a BUZZER in her hoof.

SC. 9 - MONTAGE - EXT. PONYVILLE - VARIOUS MAILBOXES

Pinkie is now dressed as a Mail Carrier and is delivering the
mail with DERPY, who is also a mail carrier. Looks like
Pinkie is doing a good job. She opens a mailbox and puts the
mail in. Derpy smiles at her encouragingly.

102 PINKIE PIE (V.O.)

I must find new purpose. Must find
something new.

There must be a place for me--
something to do.

After all I am more than a party
pony.

But when Derpy goes to open the last mail box, confetti flies
in her face. Pinkie bursts out in a huge smile, but Derpy
gives her a scornful look.

SC. 10 - MONTAGE - EXT. PONYVILLE - SWEET APPLE ACRES

GRANNY SMITH and APPLE BLOOM have a stand outside the barn
where they're selling apple pies. Pinkie is ready to sell.

SOARIN' flies down from a cloud and nods at an apple pie.
Pinkie tries to give it to him, but she's struggling.

103 PINKIE PIE (V.O.)
But all I've lived for and all I've
done for ever so long...
Is plan celebrations and burst out
in song.
But now I feel that is all wrong!

Pinkie simply can't do it. She can't hand over the pie.
With her hoof shaking, she turns the pie on herself and
throws it in her face. Soarin' looks absolutely crushed.

END MONTAGE as Pinkie walks off, completely dejected yet
dramatic.

104 PINKIE PIE
Don't come to me for your parties!
I'm finished now and forever!
That's what I've spoken.
Piñata's broken.
No more connections...
With all confections!

SC. 11 - INT. PINKIE'S ROOM

Pinkie bursts in dramatically, overwhelmed by her failure.

But then she looks up and sees pictures on her walls from her
parties past. NOTE: These should be still images of parties
taken from previous episodes.

Looking at the photos, Pinkie has an epiphany.

105 PINKIE PIE
 (singing)
But look at these parties I planned
for ponies!
It made me so happy!
My friends were so pleased.
Oh, yes this is my calling!
Yes! This is my dream!

Pinkie suddenly understands her purpose and stands tall.

106 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
I need to take charge!
I need to put my silly doubts all
aside.
To dry all the tears that this pony
has cried.
I need to have my Pinkie Pride!

Pinkie pushes open to sing on her balcony triumphantly.

107 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
Yes! Pinkie can plan your party!
Cheese Sandwich won't steal my
thunder!
I want that feeling!
And joyful squealing!
For celebration...
gives me elation!

But then Pinkie down and sees all the party planning that has gone on without her. Cheese is at the center of it all with Rainbow and her friends surrounding. Doubts suddenly fill Pinkie's head as the wind blows dramatically through her mane.

108 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
Is it too late?
Has Ponyville gone to the Cheese?

But then she rallies her strength again.

109 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
No, Pinkie!
You are a party pony!
And Ponyville needs me!!!

Pinkie is looking wonderfully majestic as the...

SONG ENDS.

SC. 12 - EXT. PONYVILLE - TOWN SQUARE - LATER

Cheese Sandwich has completely decorated the Town Square for Rainbow's birthday and it looks wildly festive but also with an edge. Very Rainbow Dash. Her rainbow cutie mark is everywhere. Balloons in the shape of lightening bolts. Hard edge decorations (not soft like Pinkie would have done).

Cheese is hanging up the final lightening bolt as Rainbow and the ponies look up in awe.

110 TWILIGHT/FLUTTERSHY/RARITY/RAINBOW/
APPLEJACK/SPIKE
I can't believe it./It's
beautiful./So gifted./Totally
awesome!/Best I've seen!/Amazing!

Just then Pinkie steps up.

111 PINKIE PIE
Freeze, Cheese Sandwich!

Cheese freezes. Pinkie's friends look at her.

112 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
Drop the decoration!

Looking nervous, Cheese drops the decoration with a clatter.

113 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
I challenge you...

She points her hoof at him challengingly.

114 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
to a GOOF-OFF!!!

The friends look in horror and...

115 PONY FRIENDS
<GASP!>

116 FLUTTERSHY
Oh no! Not a Goof-Off!

Twilight leans in to Fluttershy and softly asks...

117 TWILIGHT
What's a Goof-Off?

118 FLUTTERSHY
I have no idea.

119 CHEESE SANDWICH
A Goof-Off is when two competitors
try to "out goof" each other with
fun, silliness, and general
merriment.

120 PINKIE PIE
Very good, Cheese Sandwich. And
today, the stakes are high.
Whoever wins gets to headline the
Rainbow Dash Birthday Bash!

121 TWILIGHT
And the loser?

122 PINKIE PIE
Never gets to throw another party
ever again!

Cheese's eyes grow wide. The Friends surround Pinkie.

123 RARITY
Pinkie, don't do it!

124 FLUTTERSHY
It's too dangerous!

125 RAINBOW DASH
And there's no way you can win!

The friends all look at Rainbow.

126 RAINBOW DASH (CONT'D)
What? That guy's awesome!

Pinkie turns to Cheese.

127 PINKIE PIE
Are you in, Cheese?

Cheese nervously hems and haws.

128 CHEESE SANDWICH
Oh, Pinkie, I don't know...I'm just
a party planner not a competitor
and I'm really not comfortable
going up against you and...

129 PINKIE PIE
What are you...chicken?

Pinkie flicks the rubber chicken on Cheese's shoulder. This
chaps Cheese's hide.

130 CHEESE SANDWICH
No pony calls me chicken!

131 PINKIE PIE
Then the Goof-Off is on for High
Noon!

Twilight looks up at the Town Square clock which reads 3:00.

132 TWILIGHT
Um...Pinkie, it's already 3:00.

This befuddles Pinkie for a second.

133 PINKIE PIE
Oh, well, then...Make it 3:10 to
Goof-Off!

Cheese steps up and is face to face with Pinkie.

SC. 13 - EXT. PONYVILLE - TOWN SQUARE - 3:10

On the clock, which now reads 3:10.

On the dusty streets of Ponyville, Pinkie (now wearing a cowboy hat) and Cheese step into the scene on either end of the road like an old western showdown.

Ponyvillians watch anxiously. Rainbow, Spike, Applejack, Rarity, and Fluttershy stand together on the sidelines.

Twilight steps into the middle of the road.

134 TWILIGHT
Alright everypony!

She magics a book up and opens it so she can read.

135 TWILIGHT (CONT'D)
According to my official Goof-Off
Rule Book...

On Rainbow leans in to Spike.

136 RAINBOW DASH
She actually has a Goof-Off Rule
Book?

137 SPIKE
Are you kidding? Twilight can find
a rule book for everything.

138 TWILIGHT
The two competitors have free range
to Goof About be it by singing,
dancing, playing, prancing, joking,
or performing to make the Judge...

She turns to Rainbow Dash, who smiles and waves nervously.

139 TWILIGHT (CONT'D)
Chortle, chuckle, giggle, guffaw,
hoot and holler, whoop it up, and
party down! The funnier, sillier,
wilder, and goofier the better.
Cheese Sandwich...Pinkie Pie...Are
you ready?

On Pinkie and Cheese looking super intense.

140 PINKIE PIE/CHEESE SANDWICH
I was born ready!/Ready as ever!

141 TWILIGHT
(shouting)
Then...Let the Goofing Begin!!!

The showdown starts with SILENCE. Who will goof first?

On Pinkie. On Cheese. On Pinkie. On Cheese. On Rainbow sweating, biting her lip. On Pinkie who breaks and yells...

142 PINKIE PIE
EVERYPONY CONGA!!!!

Rainbow beams.

143 RAINBOW DASH
Yeah!

Rainbow joins the conga line as Pinkie SINGS to a conga beat.

144 PINKIE PIE
Everypony conga! Everypony conga!
I don't mean to be pushy!
You gotta grab my tushy!
Just hold on to my booty,
right by the mark of cutie!
You hold this pony's hiney...
to form a conga liney!
Everypony conga! Everypony conga!

The conga line is huge and snakes around the town square.

But then suddenly, the "Oompa Oompa" of a polka pushes through the conga beat.

145 CHEESE SANDWICH
Everypony! Do the Pony Polka!

Rainbow looks over with excitement to see Cheese is playing the accordion.

146 RAINBOW DASH
What pony doesn't love a polka!

Rainbow and all the other ponies leave the conga line and start pairing up and dancing, leaving Pinkie in the dust.

147 CHEESE SANDWICH
(singing)
Go grab a partner and come join the dance.
This is the Pony Polka!
Kick up your hooves now!
Just give it a chance!
This is the Pony Polka!
It's big in Manehattan...
where they do the prance.
It caused a Polka passion!
Come and join the latest fashion.
And do the Polka with Rainbow Dashin'!

On Pinkie all alone, looking steaming mad.

148 PINKIE PIE
No pony steps on my conga with a
polka! No more Miss Nice Pony.
This Goof-off is on!

MUSIC BEGINS

This **SONG** is done in Voice Over as Pinkie Pie and Cheese Sandwich try to outdo each other to with the Goof-Off.

149 PINKIE PIE (V.O.) (CONT'D)
(singing)
Whatever you do! I will out do you!
For Pinkie is the Party Pony!

150 CHEESE SANDWICH
(singing)
You never will win! Cause I'll make
her grin.
Cheese Sandwich is the Party Pony!

151 PINKIE PIE
So you think that you're a big
smarty. But I've got the stuff for
this party.

152 CHEESE SANDWICH
Oh, just face the fact that I'm
greater. The party creator!

153 PINKIE PIE
I'll get my goof-on and work til
you're gone.

154 CHEESE SANDWICH
I fear you're in over your head!

155 PINKIE PIE/CHEESE SANDWICH
I'll go all night to win this fight
and then my name will be in lights.
I will be the party pony!

156 CHEESE SANDWICH
While you do intrigue, you're out
of your league.
Cheese Sandwich is the Party Pony.

157 PINKIE PIE
Your goofs are all fine. But they
can't beat mine.
Yes Pinkie's the real Party Pony!

158 CHEESE SANDWICH
You're jealous my goofs are more
brainy. And yours are not nearly
as zany!

159 PINKIE PIE
You just gotta know I'm more goofy.
Your tricks are just "hoofy."

160 CHEESE SANDWICH
You oughta just stop, cause my
antics pop.

161 PINKIE PIE
But Pinkie Pie still has her pride!

162 PINKIE PIE/CHEESE SANDWICH
Just wait and see! I guarantee, on
the marquee, it will be me.
I will be the Party Pony!

163 PINKIE PIE
It's you that I'll beat. And it
will be sweet.
You know I'm the true Party Pony!

164 CHEESE SANDWICH
You'll beg and you'll plead, but I
will succeed.
This Cheese is the best Party Pony!

165 PINKIE PIE
You must see that I am more funny.
The forecast for me is more sunny.

166 CHEESE SANDWICH
Your party dreams sadly are waning.
The forecast says raining!

167 PINKIE PIE
Your boat, it will sink...down into
the drink.

168 CHEESE SANDWICH
This party is meant just for me!

169 PINKIE PIE/CHEESE SANDWICH
I'll go all night to win this fight
and then my name will be in lights.
I will be the party pony!

Just wait and see! I guarantee, on
the marquee, it will be me! I will
be the Party Pony!

END SONG.

DURING THE SONG: At the opening, everypony is still doing the Polka with Cheese, having a great time.

Pinkie flies straight for Rainbow wearing a huge propeller beanie while juggling balls. Rainbow cracks up.

Then Cheese comes rolling in on a huge ball while bouncing his rubber chicken on his head. Rainbow laughs even more.

Pinkie comes in blowing huge bubbles. With each bubble she blows, it pops in a pony's face, making them giggle. Pinkie blows a HUGE bubble which pops in Rainbow's face, making her laugh.

But Cheese bounces in on bouncy shoes making ridiculous faces. Rainbow is rolling!

Pinkie has a bunch of "balloon animal" balloons. Close on her hooves working furiously. Reveal a huge balloon portrait of Rainbow. Rainbow loves it!

But then she sees a huge, life-size "Balloon Rainbow Dash" flying in towards her. Rainbow has to duck out of the way. She is really impressed.

Cheese rolls out cupcake cart. Rainbow is about to chomp into one when Pinkie appears with a conveyor belt. Now treats get delivered straight into Rainbow's open mouth. Amazing!

Pinkie is about to shoot her little party canon when Cheese rolls in a HUGE party cannon. But when he shoots it, it nearly blows Rainbow away. Now she's looking annoyed.

Pinkie has a spectacular light display. Rainbow smiles. Cheese steps in with a huge beacon, blinding Rainbow.

Cheese reveals a big, fun piñata. Rainbow is about to hit it when suddenly a shadow appears. Pinkie has brought in the biggest piñata ever! She gives it a swift kick and candy begins raining down on Rainbow and all the other ponies, pelting them painfully.

Oblivious to their pain, Pinkie looks over at Rainbow to see if she's enjoying this. But instead she sees Rainbow on the ground, covering her head, trying to keep from being pelted.

On this, the **SONG ENDS**. A stunned Pinkie looks at Rainbow.

170 PINKIE PIE
 (to herself)
Rainbow's not having the best
birthday party ever. I...I broke
"Pinkie Party Promise."

Cheese has set up a huge speaker and is about to blast it in
Rainbow's ear when Pinkie yells...

171 PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)
STOP!!! The Goof-Off is off!

Everypony looks over at Pinkie.

172 PONY FRIENDS/PONYVILLE PONIES
<Confused Walla>

Rainbow looks up exhausted.

173 RAINBOW DASH
But I haven't named a winner.

174 PINKIE PIE
You don't have to. I forfeit.
Which means, Cheese Sandwich wins!

Cheese Sandwich looks pleased, but confused.

175 CHEESE SANDWICH
I do?

Pinkie does her Pinkie Promise gesture.

176 PINKIE PIE
Yes, and as the loser, I Pinkie
Promise to never throw a party ever
again!

On everypony's horrified looks we...

END ACT II

ACT III

SC. 14 - EXT. PONYVILLE - TOWN SQUARE - MOMENTS LATER

Defeated, Pinkie has packed up her party stuff and is leaving
Town Square. Her friends come running up to her.

177 RAINBOW DASH
Pinkie wait! I'm sorry I got all
swept away by Cheese Sandwich.

178 TWILIGHT
We all are.

Applejack, Fluttershy, Rarity, and Spike all nod.

179 APPLEJACK/FLUTTERSHY/RARITY/SPIKE
Don't know what got into me./So
insensitive./I feel just dreadful./
Sorry, Pinkie.

Pinkie turns to Rainbow Dash.

180 PINKIE PIE
No, I'm sorry I let my pride get in
the way of you having a the best
birthday bash ever. Cheese
Sandwich really is great. I should
have been a big enough pony to
admit that and let you have your
day.

181 RAINBOW DASH
But don't you get it? You're both
great! Sure, Cheese Sandwich is a
great *guest* party pony. But you're
Ponyville's *permanent* party pony!
No pony could ever take your place
and we could never have a party
without you!

Cheese Sandwich steps up.

182 CHEESE SANDWICH
Rainbow Dash is right. I never
meant to take your place in
Ponyville. I just wanted to show
you what a great party pony I am.

183 PINKIE PIE
Why me?

184 CHEESE SANDWICH
Well...

Cheese **REPRISES** his "Super-Duper-Party-Pony" **SONG**.

185 CHEESE SANDWICH (CONT'D)
(sings)
I fear I told a little fib about my
pony past.
I hope that when you hear the
truth, you will not be aghast.
I wasn't quite the super party pony
like I claimed.
(MORE)

CHEESE SANDWICH (CONT'D)

The fact is that I was so shy,
no pony knew my name.

SC. 15 - FLASHBACK - EXT. FILLYDELPHIA - DAY

A much shyer Cheese walks through town, all alone.

186 CHEESE SANDWICH (V.O.)

I never got invited to the parties
ponies threw.
Since no pony did notice me, I
totally withdrew.

SC. 16 - FLASHBACK - EXT. PONYVILLE - TOWN SQUARE - DAY/NIGHT

Cheese comes into Ponyville where a party is raging. At first, he's nervous, but everypony welcomes him and he's swept up into the festivities.

187 CHEESE SANDWICH (V.O.)

But then one day I stumbled into
Ponyville just when...
There was the biggest, brightest
party that has ever been.

Suddenly my world did change. My
darkness became light.
I partied with those ponies and I
danced all through the night.

A rubber chicken gets thrown into the air and lands on Cheese's shoulder. Cheese smiles brightly.

188 CHEESE SANDWICH (V.O.)

I vowed that day to change my life--
the past I did destroy.
For now Cheese Sandwich was a party
pony full of joy!

SC. 17 - FLASHBACK - EXT. ALL OVER EQUESTRIA

Now sporting his "No-Name" hat, Cheese Sandwich goes from MANEHATTAN to CLOUDSDALE to CANTERLOT being welcomed by everypony and throwing fantastic parties.

189 CHEESE SANDWICH

A super-duper-party-pony is what I
became.

I traveled all Equestria and ALL
did know my name!

(Slow, poignant)

(MORE)

CHEESE SANDWICH (CONT'D)
But that never would happened on my
own--I'll tell you why...

SC. 18 - EXT. PONYVILLE - TOWN SQUARE - NIGHT

Back at the Ponyville party from the past. Cheese Sandwich looks up and sees Pinkie on stage headlining the party.

190 CHEESE SANDWICH
Because that raging party was
thrown by you...Pinkie Pie!

MATCH CUT TO:

SC. 19 - RESUME REALITY - EXT. PONYVILLE - TOWN SQUARE

Pinkie's face. She looks at Cheese stunned. HOLD ON THE MUSIC as they talk.

191 PINKIE PIE
Me?

192 CHEESE SANDWICH
Yes!

193 PINKIE PIE
Really?

194 CHEESE SANDWICH
Really!

195 PINKIE PIE
So I was the pony that threw the
awesomely spectacular party that
inspired you to become an awesome
spectacular party thrower?

196 CHEESE SANDWICH
Yes!

197 PINKIE PIE
EEEEEEEE!!!!!!

The two begin dancing around happily together SINGING.

198 CHEESE SANDWICH/PINKIE PIE
Super-duper-party-ponies, that is
you and I!
A party thrown by one is good, but
two super fly!
Just come and party with us both
and soon enough you'll see...
(MORE)

CHEESE SANDWICH/PINKIE PIE (CONT'D)

That you'll be filled from head to
hoof with awesome party glee!

Super-duper-party-ponies to the
bitter end.

And now it's even better cause the
two of us are friends.

Yes, now that we've joined forces,
we have twice the expertise!

So let's go to the party planned by
Piiiinkie Piiiie and Cheeeeeeeese!

SONG ENDS.

Cheese and Pinkie hug when Rainbow flies up to them.

199 RAINBOW DASH

Enough with the warm fuzzy stuff,
you two. It's my birthday and
you've gotta throw me a bash!

200 PINKIE PIE/CHEESE SANDWICH

Yeah!/Let's go!

SC. 20 - EXT. PONYVILLE - TOWN SQUARE - EVENING

Ponyville is now completely decked in both Cheese and
Pinkie's decorations. Lights, beacons, balloons, lightening
bolts, big and small party canons that shower confetti
everywhere, and the most amazing balloon animals ever. Ponies
are everywhere ready to party.

Pinkie and Cheese get up on stage and go to the microphone.

201 CHEESE SANDWICH

Alright, everypony! We are here to
celebrate the birthday of Rainbow
Dash!

A beacon spotlight pivots and Rainbow Dash flies in, doing
the most amazing flip and fly.

202 RAINBOW DASH

Hey everypony! Who's ready do get
their party on?

203 PONY FRIENDS/PONYVILLE PONIES

<WILD CHEERING>

204 RAINBOW DASH

Hit it Pinkie!

On Pinkie at the microphone. **MUSIC** begins to play, thumping out a cool, dancible **PARTY SONG**.

205 PINKIE PIE

(singing)

Hey! Hey! What do you say?
Partying down on this birthday!
It will be a thrill!
Dance, sail, shimmy, and wail.
Come on and shake your pony tail.
Let's go Ponyville!

Glad you got the invitation.
To come join the celebration!
You're the party inspiration!
Let's all have some fun!

Kick up your hooves and party on!
Yeah, all you ponies!
Dance with all your might!
We will always be ever free!
This is outta sight!
Hey, everypony!
Let's get down all night!

Hey! Hey! Shake out your mane!
C'mon and join the party train!
It's time to get down!
Boom! Smash! Watch Rainbow Dash!
This is an awesome birthday bash.
Let's all paint the town!

You are so enthusiastic!
And this party's so fantastic!
We have really made it epic!
20 percent more!

Kick up your hooves and party on!
Yeah, all you ponies!
Dance with all your might!
We will always be ever free!
This is outta sight!
Hey, everypony!
Let's get down all night!

So let's all party on! Party on!
Yes, come and party on! Party on!
With us!

SONG ENDS.

DURING THE SONG, everypony is dancing and having a blast at the party--doing Pin the Tail on the Pony, breaking the piñata, and eating cupcakes and other party treats. Rainbow Dash is the center of attention as the party rages on.

Through it all, Cheese Sandwich is surveying the scene, making sure everypony is having the best time ever. As the song ends, he approaches Rainbow Dash, who's out of breath.

206 CHEESE SANDWICH
Rainbow Dash?

207 RAINBOW DASH
Cheese Sandwich! I gotta tell ya,
you and Pinkie have totally made
this party 50% more epic! Best
Birthday Bash Ever! Thank you!

Cheese smiles.

208 CHEESE SANDWICH
That's all I needed to hear, little
lady. Happy birthday!

Cheese gives his rubber chicken a nod. The two turn and walk away as the dancing and festivities continue.

SC. 21 - EXT. PONYVILLE - THE ROAD OUT OF TOWN - CONTINUOUS

With his hat tipped over his eyes, Cheese and his rubber chicken saunter out of town. Cheese has a coiled party horn dangling from his mouth. Behind them, the party is going wild.

209 CHEESE SANDWICH
Well, Boneless, another job well
done. But it's time we mosey along.
Another party, another town.

He blows the horn and the coil unfurls as he walks on.

Pull back to...

SC. 22 - EXT. PONYVILLE - EDGE OF TOWN - CONTINUOUS

Where Pinkie, Twilight, Fluttershy, Rarity, Applejack, Rainbow Dash, and Spike watch Cheese walks off into the sunset. A tumbleweed rolls across the road.

Watching him go, Pinkie wistfully says...

210 PINKIE PIE
I never did get that pony's name.

The friends all look at Pinkie baffled.

211 PONY FRIENDS
CHEESE SANDWICH!!!!

Pinkie smiles and giggles.

212 PINKIE PIE
<Giggling> Oh yeah!

She turns and bounces back to the party. Her friends shake their heads at her but then quickly follow as the party continues on into the night.

THE END.