

# Hey, Laddy!

(a variant of "Hey Lolly!")

Words & Music:  
Traditional

*This is a call and reponse song with one person making up the rhyme and everyone else joining in on "hey, laddy, laddy-o!" continue for as long as you can make up rhymes for the names of people in the room! Clearly, this is a version of "Hey, Lolly!", but it is the one I learned as a kid and a good example of how songs mutate as they are passed along!*

CHORUS:

C  
Hey, laddy, laddy, laddy!  
C G7  
Hey, laddy, laddy-o!  
G7  
Hey, laddy, laddy, laddy!  
G7 C  
Hey, laddy, laddy-o!

I knew a girl, her name was Heidi! [Hey, laddy, laddy-o!]  
She wasn't neat, but she sure was tidy. [Hey, laddy, laddy-o!]

CHORUS:

I knew a boy, his name was John. [Hey, laddy, laddy-o!]  
He goes around with one shoe on. [Hey, laddy, laddy-o!]

CHORUS:

*Etc. etc. Be creative with everyone in the room!*