

Saskatchewan Provincial Good Sam Bean Bag Toss

RULES

Principles of the Game

1. Bean Bag Toss is similar to other lawn games such as horseshoes.
2. Boards are placed 25 feet apart from centre of hole to centre of hole.
3. Bean bags shall be made to the following specifications:
 - a. Material – Denim
 - b. Quantity – 4 bags of 2 colours (total 8 bags)
 - c. Size – 5 ½ x 5 ½ inches
 - d. Weight – 10 ounces (popcorn or pinto beans)

Rules for Players:

1. The bean bag toss game can be played with 2 or 4 players.
2. Each team gets 4 bean bags to throw.
3. When 4 players are used, team members stand at opposite ends and may throw from either side of the board.
4. A foul line shall be clearly marked and even with the front of the board.
5. Each player throws from behind the line. This is the foul line. The player must not pass the foul line or the player's throw does not count and the bag is removed from play.
6. Each game will consist of 8 innings (4 by each player).
7. All bags either in the hole or on the board will be counted for each completed inning.
8. A bag that is tossed in play and knocks another bag off the board or in the hole is legal.
9. A bag that bounces off the ground onto the board or a bag that comes in contact with the ground after landing on the board will not be counted and the bag will be removed from the board before play continues.
10. Each team alternates shots beginning with the team that had scored last.
11. Players will alternate the side they throw from.

Scoring is as follows:

1. Points are scored when a player has a bag on the board or in the hole.
2. All bags either in the hole or on the board will be counted for each completed inning.
3. Counting as follows:
 - a. In the Hold – 3 points
 - b. On the Board – 1 point

Referee & Scorekeeper

1. One person shall act as both the referee and the Scorekeeper.
2. That person shall not be a player.
3. The scorekeeper is required to record scores for both teams.
4. The referee will call all fouls and their decision is final.

Games

1. Day one – Single knockout
2. Day two – Double knockout