## General Rule Information:

\$200 cash prize, winner takes all
No township employees may participate
Min. 4 teams/Max. 10 teams
2 person teams
Double elimination
Must be 18+ years to enter
Family-friendly dress is required
Draw for spots on bracket- enter each team name into hat
No tobacco or alcohol permitted

## Baggo Boards \& Bags:

All boards and bags will be provided
Boards will be placed 27 feet apart (front to front)
There will be 8 bags per lane, 4 bags of one color and 4 of another
This tournament will use 2 boards

## Point System:

You will play a Traditional 21 Point Game with a coin toss held before the first frame of the first game in the series. The winner of the coin toss decides who pitches first.

3 points for a bag that goes through the hole whether it be thrown through, slide in or pushed in by another bag.
1 point for a bag that lands and stays on the playing surface.
1 point for a bag that is hanging into the hole but does not fall completely through.
1 point for a bag that is hanging off the edge of the playing surface but is NOT touching the ground.
0 points for a bag that is on the playing surface but is ALSO touching the ground.
0 points for a bag that lands on the playing surface after touching the ground first (this bag must be removed before another bag is thrown).

0 points for a bag that is hanging off the edge of the playing surface and is resting on another bag that is on the ground. If you can remove the bag on the ground without the one on the board falling then touching the ground - then a point is given.

## Scoring System:

Game scoring will be held on an honor system. If an agreement cannot be made between players, DO NOT MOVE ANYTHING, there will be a tournament VOLUNTEER on site to make the final decision. If a bag or board is moved before an official is able to make a decision, those points will be forfeited. Do not argue with tournament VOLUNTEER. Take the official ruling with a grain of salt and remember - it's just a game!

A Traditional 21 Point Game is a game played until one team reaches or exceeds 21 points. The winning team needs to win by two or more points. If we are faced with time constraints, this score could be lowered.

This is a cancellation format where opposing players' frame points cancel one another out. Only those points that do not cancel out apply to the total overall score. For example: Red team scores 7 points and Blue team scores 9 points in the same frame. The difference is $2(9-7=2)$. Blue Team scores 2 points in that frame.

## Game Play:

In doubles play, partners shall stand at opposite boards.
Each team will have 4 bags of one color.
All 8 bags will begin at one end (the decision will be made by the winner of the coin toss).
A player may throw the bag in any manner they choose (overhand, underhand, hook shot etc.), however; it MUST be from behind the front of the board they are throwing from. If a player crosses the front of the board they are throwing from it's considered a foul -0 points will be awarded and the bag must be removed from play before another is thrown.

The pitching area in which a bag must be thrown is a $4^{\prime} \times 3^{\prime}$ area. (This is between the front and the back of the board and $3^{\prime}$ to the side.)

A player has 15 seconds to throw a bag or it is considered a foul.
Alternate throws between the two opponents are made until all 8 bags have been thrown.
Count the points scored during that frame. If no team has reached the 21-point mark, start the next frame until a team reaches 21 or more. Once the 21 mark is broken and all 8 bags from the same side have been thrown the game is over.

The team who scored in the preceding frame shall pitch first in the next frame. If neither team scores, the team who pitched first in the preceding frame shall retain first pitch in the next frame.

Every effort shall be made to keep the board-playing surface in perfect playing condition.
Players are responsible for making sure the court is in good condition prior to starting the match. Players are responsible for removing any trash that might accumulate around their playing area after the game is finished.

## Fouls:

A player's foot goes past the foot foul line (front of the board).
A player goes out of turn. The throw the foul occurs on is voided and the bag must be removed from the playing area before another can be thrown.

If a player does not throw their bag within 15 seconds.

