



## BOCCE TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Only one player can be on the court at any given time.
2. A coin toss is necessary to determine which team starts first.
3. Pallinos must be tossed on the court past mid-line and at least 12" away from borders of court.
4. The player or team that tossed the Pallino throws first Bocce.
5. Players or teams' alternate tosses until all Bocce balls are tossed.
6. Players on the teams need not toss bocce balls in the same tossing order for the entire round.
7. Bocce balls (not the Pallino) that hit the back board are out of play and must be removed from the court before the next toss, regardless if ball touches another ball or the Pallino prior to hitting the back board.
8. Only one team scores points in a frame and there is no score until all balls have been tossed. One point is awarded for each ball that is closest to the Pallino and two points are awarded for a "Kiss"
9. The scoring team begins the next frame.
10. The game can be played to any score as agreed to by players prior to game start. For the tournament all games will be played to 15.
11. Please do not walk on the court. Use walkway to get to the other side.
12. Have fun and good luck!