**MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY**

**Campus Recreation**

**Intramural Sports**

**Corn Hole**

**ELIGIBILITY RULES:**

1. You must have an MTSU ID to participate. NO ID, NO PLAY…NO EXCEPTIONS!

2. No Person shall play on more than one single sex and co-rec team per sport. If caught doing so by supervisor or official, Player shall be suspended for remainder of season and that game shall be forfeited. Opposing team does not have to protest if caught by supervisor or official.

3. No person shall use false identification in order to participate. If caught, person will be suspended from Intramural Sports and possibly Campus Recreation activities for a period of time determined by the Associate Director of Intramurals, Sport Clubs, and Wellness.

**The Game**

1. **The Field:** Cornhole boards are placed on a flat surface 27 feet apart for men and 21 feet for women (front to front). The cornhole board surface should be 2’ x 4’. A 6” hole, centered 9” from the back and 12” from either side.

2. **Team:** Teams will consist of 2 players and you must have 2 players to start. The roster maximum is 4 players.

3. **Game:** Scoring will be rally to 21. The winner of each round is given the opportunity to throw the first bag of the next round. There are no washes.

4. **Time-outs:** There will be no time-outs in Corn Hole.

5. **Substitutions:** Substitutions may occur between games, not during play.

6. **Equipment:** There will be 8 Corn Hole bags, 4 bags of each color. Each bag should be 6 inches by 6 inches and have 1 pound of corn inserted into each bag.

7. **Mercy Rules:** There are no Mercy Rules for Corn Hole.
Point System:
The team to 21 first wins.
- 3 points for a cornhole bag that goes through the hole.
- 1 point for a cornhole bag that is on the playing surface.
- 1 point for a cornhole bag that is hanging off the edge but not touching the ground.
- 0 points for a cornhole bag that is on the playing surface, but also touching the ground.
- 0 points for a cornhole bag that is hanging off the front edge and is resting on a cornhole bag that is on the ground. If you can remove the bag on the ground without the one on the board falling then a point is given.
- Net the two scores together to determine the final score for that round.

Game Play:

1. In doubles play partners shall stand at opposite cornhole boards on the same side. In singles play both players will throw from the same board.

2. Each cornhole team will have 4 bags of one color.

3. All 8 cornhole bags begin at one end.

4. A coin flip or rock/paper/scissors determines witch cornhole team has honors in round one.

5. The team who has honors will begin play by throwing a cornhole bag at the opposite cornhole board.

6. A cornhole player may throw from anywhere behind the front of the cornhole board they are throwing from.

7. Alternate throws between the two opponents until all 8 cornhole bags have been thrown.

8. If a cornhole bag hits the ground then bounces up onto the board, remove that bag for it does not count.

9. Count the points scored during the round. If no team has reached the 21 point mark start the next round until a team reaches 21. The team that scores the highest amount of points on the previous round will have honors.
Cornhole Fouls:

1. A cornhole player's foot goes past the foot foul line. (Front of the cornhole board)

2. A Player goes out of turn.
   - The throw the foul occurs on is voided. If the bag is on the board remove it.

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