

Floating Bean Bag Toss™ game

Players: 2 - 4

Ages: 3+

Object (Standard Game): Be the player or team to score the most points by tossing your bean bags onto the target and through the hole. Great game for the pool, lawn, or indoors; first player to reach 21 points wins in traditional game. Have Fun!

Equipment Contents:

- 1 – Inflatable FBBT Target
- 8 – Water Proof Bean Bags in 2 colors
- 1 – Breathable Mesh Storage Bag

Assembly and Setup:

- Setup is fast and easy, start by removing the bean bags and inflatable target from the mesh storage bag
- Inflate the target either by mouth or with an air pump (sold separately). When using a pump inflate until slightly firm, but **BE CAUTIOUS not to over inflate** to prevent popping the target. Tightly close the inflation valve.
- Floating Bean bag toss can be played in the swimming pool, on grass, sand, or indoors on carpet. In all cases place the inflated target 10-27' away from where the players will be tossing, based on the skill level of the participants.

Standard Game Play:

1. Floating Bean Bag Toss (FBBT) is played just like traditional yard bean bag toss games but in the pool!
2. FBBT can be played by two players or four players divided into two teams.
3. A game consists of a series of rounds with scoring taking place at the end of each round. A round consists of all eight bean bags being tossed at the opposite target
4. Players on each team take position at tossing mark 10-27' back from the target, based on skill level and space restrictions.
5. Each team chooses a color bean bag and shall toss all four bags of this color each round.
6. A player tosses one bean bag at the opposing target.
7. The round continues by alternating tosses between the two opponent players until all eight bags have been tossed.
8. Scoring is done at the end of each round (see Scoring)
9. In doubles play the partners toss in the next round.

Scoring:

1. The score is tallied at the end of each round (tossing of all 8 bags).

2. Players only score the difference between the highest and lowest player's score. For example the Red team's bags add up to 7 points while the Blue team's bags add up to 5 points. The Red team is awarded 2 points for the round ($7 - 5 = 2$)
3. The team that scores is given honors and tosses first in the next round. If players tie, this is called a "Wash", no points are awarded and the next round is started by the same team who last scored.
4. **Points:**
 - a. In the Hole – **3 points** are scored for bags landing in the hole, even if falling, or being pushed in the hole by other bags later in the round
 - b. On the Board – **1 point** is scored for each bag that lands on the board top, is hanging over the hole, or hanging off the edge but is not touching the ground/water
5. First team to 21 points is the winner!

Optional Game Play Options:

1. **Full Scoring Rounds** – Standard game play but instead of cancelation scoring, the players are awarded the full points of their bags each round, thus both players with bags on the target or in the hole will get a score in each round. This makes the game faster and easier for younger players.
2. **Dive'n Toss** – Players toss their opponents bean bags into the water at various locations from outside the pool. Then at the same time players jump in the pool racing to their color bean bags. After they collect each bag they must toss it at the target from that location. Scoring is then done to see who got the most points and one extra point is awarded the player who completed tossing their bags first. The highest score is the winner or rounds can be played to 21 points.
3. **Play on Grass, Sand, Indoors, or any other smooth or soft surface** – just be cautious to avoid sharp objects that could tear the inflatable target

The rest is up to you, have fun and play fair!

Safety Precautions – If using game in water please ensure that all participants are proficient swimmers and/or are playing in shallow enough water with proper adult supervision. Remember - **Safety First!**



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