THE BASICS

- For competitive play, place a set of cornhole boards 27 feet apart from front edge to front edge.
- Four (4) bags are tossed per set and must be thrown via underhand toss.
- The front of the board represents the foul line. Players may not step in front of the board or behind the board. Players must remain within three feet of their side of the board.

SCORING

- Bag on Board = 1 point
- Bag through Hole = 3 points
- Bags that hit the ground prior to landing on the board or going into the hole do not count.
- Any bag hanging off the board and touching the ground does not count.
- Any bag hanging in the hole only counts as 1 point.
- Cancellation scoring method will **NOT** be used (for sake of time). After all 8 bags have been thrown, the score will be determined by the total bags that remain on the board and/or have gone in the hole.
 - e.g., Prior to the beginning of the round, Team A has 12 points and Team B has 10 points. If Team A then throws 8 points, and Team B throws 6 points, the new score at the end of the round is 20 to 16.
- A game is played to 21+. There is <u>NO</u> win by 2 or bust rule for going over 21 (for sake of time). If both teams exceed 21 points in the final frame, the team with the highest total score will be the winner.

GAMEPLAY

- Coin toss takes all. The team that wins the coin toss chooses the initial side of board to throw from and whether to start out throwing first or second.
- Players will alternate throwing their 4 bags down to the board on the other end.
- Throwing out of turn or outside the throwing box is a foul. The bag that was thrown when the foul occurred does not count and is immediately removed from play.
- Partners stand on the opposite side from each other. This means that one player from Team A will throw from the right side of the board on one end and the partner will be throwing from the left side of the board on the other end.