



New Hope Cornhole Team Tournament Rules 2021

- Boards are placed 27 feet from front edge to front edge.
- Games are played to 21 or more points. Finish the frame at the 20 minute time limit. Championship Round must be played 21
- Mercy Rule after 3rd frame up by 7
- Woody: Refers to any cornhole bag that has been pitched and remains on the cornhole board playing surface at the conclusion of the frame. Each woody is 1pt.
- Cornhole: Refers to any cornhole bag that has been pitched and passes through the cornhole board hole at any time within the frame. Each cornhole is 3pts.
- A bag that comes to rest touching the ground AND the board does not count as a point and will not count if hits the ground first and bounces onto the board.
- Cancellation Scoring: In cancellation scoring, the points of one player cancel out the points of their opponent. Using this method, only one team can score in each frame.
- Both players play one board at a time and stay in their designated lane for the whole game (right or left).
- Players start the game at one board and alternate pitching bags until each player has pitched all (4) of their bags.
- Players must deliver the bag with an underhanded release.
- Feet must stay behind the line of the front of the board (foul line) at the time of releasing the bag.
- The team who scored in the preceding frame pitches 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.
- If bags become piled inside the hole and may interfere or obstruct with the next pitch or if there is question whether a cornhole bag would have naturally fallen through the hole, a player may request to rake the cornhole bags that have fallen inside the hole.
- 3 Game Guarantee. First 2 games are pool play. Bracket play will begin the 3rd game.
- Seating goes by: record, points scored, points differential, points allowed, draw names out of hat.