

2024 Summer Games / Bocce Ball Information

August 30, 2024 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Renaissance Reno, Bundox Bocce, 1 South Lake Street, Reno

Sport Fee: \$15.00

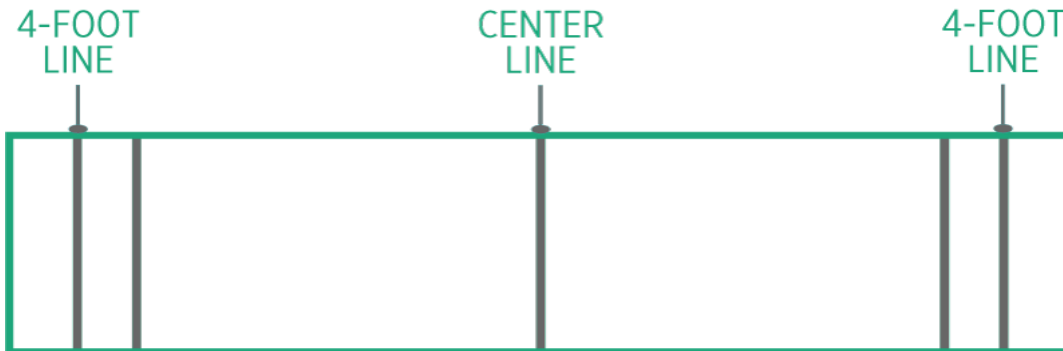
Hosts: Health and Wellness Staff | (775) 657-4602 | Healthandwellness@reno.gov

RULES OF THE GAME:

The object of the game is to roll your bocce balls closer to the Pallino (Jack) ball than your opponent.

PLAYERS:

We will play co-ed/partner teams. Two players per team = two balls per player, for a total of 4 balls per team.



STARTING A FRAME :

Start with paper, rock, scissors.

The player that wins throws the pallino.

Rules for pallino- stays between the centerline and the 4-foot line.

Then, the same player throws the first bocce ball.

Next, the second team gets a turn rolling one of their bocce balls.

Rules for bocce balls- must be past the center line and can NOT strike the back wall, unless it strikes the pallino or another bocce ball first.

Each succeeding ball is thrown by the team that does NOT have the ball closest to the pallino.

PLAY:

The goal is to (A) get the ball closest to the pallino, (B) move the pallino closer to their ball, or (C) move the opponent's ball.

POINTS:

Measure the distance of each teams' balls to the pallino (once all balls have been tossed). Get a point for each ball closest to the pallino than the opposing team. The team with the most points wins Round 1 and gets to throw the pallino the next round.

Event Coordinator will facilitate the event. Staff to gather scores from the Event Coordinator. Staff will reconcile by Age, Gender and overall best scores.

The game continues until **12 points have been scored.**