# **2023 Musky Fest Cornhole Tournament Double Elimination Tournament**

## **Doubles Play Rules:**

- 1. Each team will stay in their designated lane for the whole game. The pitcher must be behind the foul line at the time of release. Underhand release is required.
- 2. Players at the headboard will alternate pitching bags until each player has pitched all four.
- 3. Players at the footboard will take score and resume pitching back to the other board.
- 4. The top of an inning is completed when both players pitching from the headboard pitch all four bags; the bottom of the inning is completed when the remaining players pitching from the footboard pitch all four bags.
- 5. The team who scored in the preceding inning has honor pitching first in the next inning. If neither team scores, the team who pitched first in the preceding frame shall retain first pitch in the next frame.

### Value of the bag:

- 1. A bag which comes to rest anywhere on top of the board is worth 1 point each. Bags that hit the ground first do not count as resting on the board and therefore are not worth 1 point.
- 2. Any bag which is thrown through the hole or knocked through the hole by another bag is worth 3 points.
- 3. Each team is eligible to score each frame and should count total points scored for each round.
- 4. A foul bag is one that has not been determined as either of the above throws or is the result of a rules violation.
- 5. Please see an event operator for any scoring or game play questions.

#### Length of match and games:

- 1. Match length is best 2 out of 3 games.
- 2. The games shall be played to the predetermined number of 21 points. The first team to reach 21, but 2 points ahead of their opponent, at the conclusion of an inning is the winner ("race to 21"). Note to clarify: upon reaching 21, to win you must beat your opponent by 2 or the game will continue until a winner is determined.

### <u>Prizes:</u>

- 1. Prizes will be awarded for first, second, and third place teams. Prizes are as follows:
  - a. First: \$300 cash and \$200 in gift certificates for Ignite Dispensary
  - b. **Second:** \$120 cash and \$150 in gift certificates for Ignite Dispensary
  - c. Third: \$80 cash and \$100 in gift certificates for Ignite Dispensary