

A Game of Chance

Learning Outcomes:

1. Tactical awareness
2. Maintaining bowls on the head
3. Shot selection and execution

The Game:

- ✓ 2 Bowls per player - triples
- ✓ Rink set up with 3 jacks placed at short, medium and long
- ✓ Mat on the 2m mark
- ✓ No kills - if jack is killed it is replaced on the same spot
- ✓ Play is in one direction only
- ✓ Skips to nominate which jack they are playing to for each bowl
- ✓ If a bowl is more than one mat length short or two mat lengths long of the jack played to, it is declared dead and lifted from the rink
- ✓ Scoring is determined by the roll of the dice – if 1 or 2 short end scores, if 3 or 4 medium end scores, if 5 or 6 long ends scores
- ✓ Toss for start of game – winner of toss has first roll of dice - roll of dice alternates from there onwards.

Equipment Required:

- ✓ 3 jacks
- ✓ 1 mat
- ✓ 1 dice
- ✓ 3 coloured disks to mark location of jack
- ✓ Sense of humour

