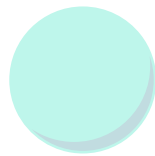


GIANT YARD PONG RULES



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Equipment Needed

- 12 Large Buckets (6 for each side)
- 2 Large Balls (resembling oversized ping pong balls)

Setup

Place the 12 buckets in a pyramid formation (3-2-1) at opposite ends of a flat playing area. The buckets should be roughly 12-30 feet apart, or adjust to fit the playing area and the skill level of players.

Create two opposing teams (roughly 2-6 players each).

Each team stands behind their set of buckets.



How to Play

- **Decide which team will go first. This can be determined by a coin toss, rock-paper-scissors, or any other fair method.**
- **Teams alternate turns, throwing one ball per turn at their opponent's buckets.**
- **When a ball lands in a bucket, that bucket is removed from the game.**
- **Players cannot interfere with the trajectory of the balls.**
- **If a team manages to land a ball in each of the remaining buckets in one turn, it's known as a 're-rack'. The opposing team must rearrange their buckets back into a pyramid shape. This can be done once per game by each team.**

Note: If playing with adults of legal drinking age, you can make a person of the opposing team take a drink when a bucket is removed on their side of the game.



Winning The Game

- The objective of the game is to eliminate all of the opposing team's buckets before they eliminate yours.
- If both teams eliminate their last bucket on the same turn, the game goes into "overtime".
- In overtime, each team sets up three buckets in a pyramid formation. The game continues as before, and the first team to eliminate the other's buckets wins.



Additional Rules

- Buckets can't be rearranged unless a 're-rack' is achieved.
- If a ball bounces off one bucket and lands in another, the bucket in which the ball lands is removed.
- Distractions are allowed, but players cannot physically touch or cross into their opponent's side.
- If a team throws out of turn, they lose their next turn.
- Players may not step past the front of their bucket formation during a throw.

Remember, the most important rule is to have fun and play safely!

