**Boccia – Primary and Secondary**

**Date:** Friday 20th March 2020

**Venue:** Maiden Castle

**Age Group:** Year 5 & 6, Year 7 & 8, Year 9 & 10

**Gender:** Mixed

**Team Requirements:** The game will be played in teams of three, although schools may bring squads of five, which can be rotated between games.

**All competitors must be registered with a physical disability or on the school SEND register.**

* The side playing red throws the first jack. The captain chooses the player on their side to play the jack. The jack must cross the ‘V’ line to be in play.
* The player who propels the jack ball also plays their team’s first coloured ball. A player from the opposing side then propels their first coloured ball.
* The side furthest away from the jack must play until they either manage to get closer to the jack, or run out of balls. The side with remaining balls then propels them.
* The end is completed when all balls from both sides have been played (all 13 balls).
* The blue side starts the next end and start of end alternates by colour.
* Balls can be propelled in any manner providing the player has direct contact on releasing the ball – players can throw, roll or kick the ball or send it down a ramp.
* Eventually each player throws two balls corresponding to their team colour, red or blue.

**Scoring**

* An end is scored by awarding one point for every ball of the same colour closer to the jack than the nearest opposing coloured ball.
* After all ends have been completed; the winning side is the team with the higher accumulative score from all ends.

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