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## **BANKSHOT SPORTS™**

- BANKSHOT BASKETBALL
  - BANKSHOT TRI-SPORT
  - BANKSHOT PITCH & THROW
  - BANKSHOT SOCCER
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- ✓ BANKSHOT SPORTS ARE FAMILY SPORTS
  - ✓ NO RUNNING, NO JUMPING, NO OFFENSE OR DEFENSE, NO CONTACT, NO CONFLICT
  - ✓ PARTICIPANTS PLAY ALONGSIDE, NOT AGAINST EACH OTHER, CREATING EQUALITY FOR EVERYONE
  - ✓ NON-AGGRESSIVE, ACCESSIBLE AND INCLUSIONARY VARIATIONS OF MAINSTREAM SPORTS
  - ✓ PERMANENT, PORTABLE AND ON A ROLL TRAILER OPTIONS
  - ✓ SMALL SPACE ORIENTED ACCOMMODATING LARGE NUMBERS OF PLAYERS
  - ✓ FOR SCHOOLS CAMPS, RECREATION CENTERS, ALONGSIDE MINIATURE GOLF, BASEBALL CAGES, GO CARTS, FOR FAMILY SPORTS COMPLEXES AND FUN CENTERS
  - ✓ EXCEPTIONALLY ATTRACTIVE – DISPLAYED IN TWO INTERNATIONAL ART MUSEUMS (AS SPORT SCULPTURES), SCIENCE MUSEUM (AS APPLIED PHYSICS) AND ON PERMANENT EXHIBITION AT THE BOSTON CHILDREN'S MUSEUM

# **BANKSHOT BASKETBALL™**

Bankshot is a new game of skill and challenge that is often described as a "mini golf, but with a basketball." Players of all ages and abilities, including disabled participants, proceed through a course of angled, curved and non-conventionally configured brightly colored backboards, banking shots off the Bankboards™ and through the rims. Bankshot™ Sports are non-aggressive and entirely inclusionary. Participants play alongside, not against, each other.

A Bankshot™ course consists of a varying number of stations-depending upon the size of the court-each with a uniquely shaped Bankboard™. Each Bankshot™ requires a different banked shot to score. Some shots demand caroms off two Bankboards™. Some are ricochets and some diabolically maddening shots have three Bankboards™ and two rims. Players may use a scorecard to track their score as they shoot increasingly difficult shots at each of the stations.

## **SCORING**

Colored shooting positions reflect increased difficulty. Players attempt two shots from each position, and they must complete all three positions for each station before moving on to the next station.



10 points maximum at each station with bonus points awarded at double hoop stations



# Bankshot Tennis™/Tri-Sport™



- 1 Each player is assigned a "class" according to their ability at Bankshot Tennis™
  - > Beginner (triangle),
  - > Advanced (circle),
  - > Ace (diamond), or
  - > Grand Master (square).

The first time someone plays Bankshot Tri-Sport™, they are classed as a Beginner.

- 2 Players have 4 balls which they use one after the other at each Bankshot Tennis™/Tri-Sport station, starting with #1.
- 3 Players step to the position on the ground indicated by the player's level of ability: triangle (Beginner), circle (Advanced), diamond (Ace), or square (Grand Master).
- 4 Players serve the ball with a racket or pitch/throw the ball through hoops, off Bankboards™, into catchers for points.
- 5 Points are indicated on each hoop.
- 6 Players receive points only for the one highest Hoop scored at each station.
- 7 Successfully getting the ball into the netted Bankshot™ Catcher is worth 10 points - the maximum number of points for any single ball served/thrown/pitched.
- 8 The odd colored ball is worth double points.

- 9 The total maximum points possible at each station is 50 (10 points for each of the three similarly colored balls and 20 points for the odd colored ball worth double points).
- 10 After throwing the 4 balls players move on the next playing station and serve/pitch/throw from the same position (triangle, circle, diamond, or square).
- 11 When players have completed the last station, the game ends. The total points from all stations is the player's score for that round.
- 12 Whenever players score 200 points at the Beginner's level (triangle), they qualify to move on to the next level (Advanced, circle) next time they play. Similarly, whenever they score 200 points at the Advanced level (circle), they qualify to move on to the next level (Ace, square) the next time they play. And so on. Players play from the corresponding positions (circle, diamond or square) for their next round at Bankshot Tennis™/Tri·Sport™.



# **A STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE FOR YOUR BANKSHOT™ SYSTEM**

## **1. BANKSHOT™ LAYOUT OPTIONS**

The Bankshot™ Sports organization offers numerous layout options to customize the design of a facility in accordance with space designated for the Bankshot™ court. Whether indoors or outdoors, Bankshot™ can be installed imbedded or bolted down. Bankshot™ courts consist of lanes ranging between 5-8 ft width and 10-14 ft in length. Essentially an automobile parking lane, helpful in measuring out the best number of stations for a particular space. “Back-to-back” stations (requiring about 24ft in length) shooting “inward” appears to be the preferred layout when space provides for it. However, all shapes and configurations of Bankshot™ layouts may be made suitable and attractive.

## **2. CONSULTATIONS**

Following a pending Bankshot™ order our technical department will provide a schematic layout drawing for your area, modified in accordance with the specific space requirements.

Our local representatives will be pleased to provide consultation at your premises.

## **3. HOW TO PURCHASE**

Contact our local representatives or the home office by calling (domestic) (800) 933-0140 or (301) 309 0260 or email us at [info@bankshot.com](mailto:info@bankshot.com)

Further information is provided at <http://www.nareletsplayfair.com>

## **4. SHIPPING**

Bankshot Bankboards™ are crated and shipped from our plant in Syracuse NY. They are experienced in domestic as well as international shipping of Bankshot™ Systems. Be sure to allow 3 weeks for delivery of domestic orders when the Bankboards are in stock. For overseas orders please allow a minimum of 45-60 days for delivery once the order is placed.

## **5. SURFACING**

Indoor or outdoor Bankshot courts can be laid out on any flooring including asphalt, concrete, grass with stepping stones (there is no dribbling), etc. Bankshot Bankboards™ are equipped with sleeves for 3x3 inch steel structural tubing. The boards slide down the poles in their sleeves and the poles are embedded or mounted (bolted) on the surface.

It is suggested that there be adopted the same safety standards as any school playground. A Bankshot™ Playcourt in all other ways is like a traditional playground that is freely accessible to all children including differently able, wheelchair users, mainstreaming special populations.

## **6. INSTALLATION**

An installation manual will be provided for every size system selected. Poles are acquired locally to save on shipping cost.

Any contractor or competent installer of fences will have no difficulty installing a Bankshot™ Playcourt. There are other resources of skilled contractors; installation is not complex. The installation of the equipment is mostly a task of preparing the holes for the poles. The equipment is embedded in concrete. A pole schedule will be provided. Care and skill are required to make sure the placing the Bankboards™ align in accordance with the diagrams provided.

## **7. INSTRUCTIONAL INFORMATION**

Instructional plaques are provided for each station. Three shooting positions are marked off at each station.

## **8. MAINTENANCE**

Bankshot Bankboards™ are fiberglass and are incredibly durable. Maintenance consists of painting the shooting positions on the floor approximately every 3 years and changing the nets when needed. For optimal results maintain the fiberglass surface much like an automobile fiberglass surface. Even if durable, participants should be cautioned not to hang on the rims. Signage is provided for that purpose although smaller children need not be discouraged from hands on rim contact.

## **9. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

It is self evident that building a Bankshot™ court is more than purchasing the Bankboards and equipment for play. There is the promotion of the game; there are the initial instructions for the participants as to how to play ; therefore signage is provided with each set instructing participants how to proceed along the Bankshot™ court. Bankshot™ also provide operators with an Operator's Manual and how to conduct tournaments, press releases and DVD's and alike.

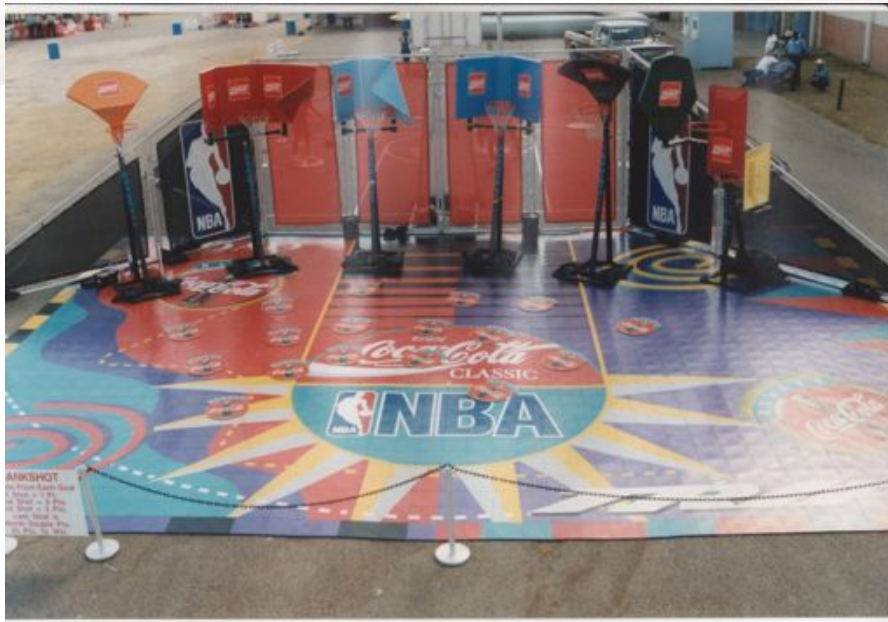
## **10. QUALITY**

The Bankshot Bankboard™ are precisely the same in every way including size, shape, weight as exhibited in the Boston Children's Museum.









**DUNKSHOT**



**BOSTON CHILDREN'S  
MUSEUM (PERMANENT  
EXHIBITION)**





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