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Set Up INSTRUCTIONS

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- 1. The owner/renter of this game assumes all risk for its safe use.
- 2. Assemble/disassemble carefully in accordance with instructions.
- 3. While anyone can plan Pitchburst, it should only be used with appropriate adult supervision. Do not assemble, operate, play, or disassemble the game while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- 4. Assemble and use Pitchburst on level ground only. If wind is present or expected, add heavy weights such as sandbags to rear base structure to prevent tipping of game.
- 5. Use precautions to avoid risk of injury from slipping on wet or muddy ground, or (if used indoors) wet floors.
- 6.Keep game area clear so that thrown balls do not come in contact with participants, operators, or spectators.
- 7. Use only soft balls. Ensure that balls are thrown only at the target on the game board, not at people.
- 8. Play Pitchburst only in temperatures above 50 degrees Fahrenheit. In cold weather, especially in freezing temperatures, panels can become brittle.
- 9. WARNING: CHOKING HAZARD Children under 8 years can choke or suffocate on uninflated or broken balloons. Adult supervision required. Keep uninflated balloons away from children. Discard broken balloons at once.

ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

1. Place BASE STRUCTURE on flat, level ground. Pull out retaining pins on both sides, and raise legs diagonally.

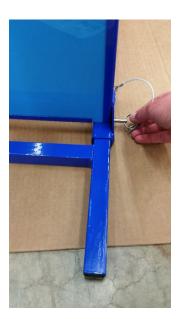






2. Fit BOTTOM PANEL on BASE STRUCTURE, aligning holes in "U" channels with holes in BASE STRUCTURE. Insert and push retaining pins completely through holes.





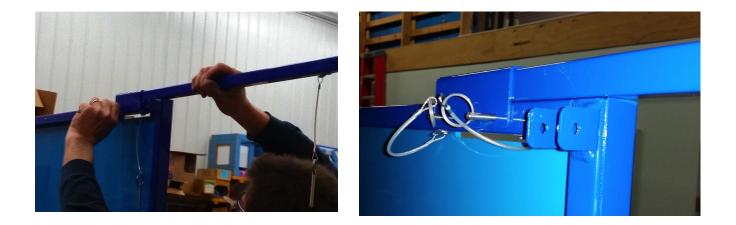
3. Place TOP PANEL (Pitchburst logo faces front) atop BOTTOM PANEL by inserting vertical columns into vertical holes in edges of BOTTOM PANEL.



4. Pull out retaining pins on both edges of TOP PANEL and lower legs diagonally so that they meet diagonal leg halves from BASE STRUCTURE. Align holes where diagonal leg halves meet, and insert and push retaining pins completely through leg connectors.



5. Place HORIZONTAL BAR (has 2 retaining pins attached) atop left top edge of TOP PANEL so that holes align and pins are in rear of TOP PANEL. Insert and push both retaining pins completely through HORIZONTAL BAR and TOP PANEL.



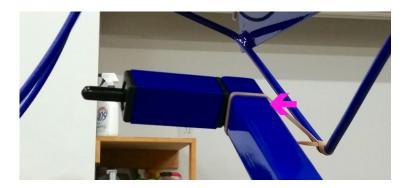
6. Slide BASKET onto far left edge of HORIZONTAL BAR so that both holes align and basket is on front (Pitchburst logo) side of game. From rear of BASKET, insert and push both retaining pins completely through BASKET and HORIZONTAL BAR.



7. Connect both halves of the DIAGONAL BAR so that the red target circle and popping pin are on the same side. Align hole in connected DIAGONAL BAR with hole in the hinge on the left side of TOP PANEL, and insert the retaining pin and push down all the way through. Covered popping pin should now be behind BASKET.



8. Connect a rubber band to the base of the BASKET structure and stretch it around the top of the DIAGONAL BAR, below the popping pin. This will return the target to the "ready" position after being hit. Remove and store protective pin cover.



9. Attach round TARGET RIM to BOTTOM PANEL by sliding leg ends downward into slots on BOTTOM PANEL.



Fully Assembled Pitchburst



NOTE: FOR OUTDOOR USE, place heavy weight (i.e. sandbags) or use tent stakes across the back horizontal leg of BASE STRUCTURE to provide stability in case of wind.

HOW TO PLAY

Before operating, inspect and test each part of the game, including all retaining pins, to ensure tightness. Add heavy weight across the back horizontal leg to ensure stability, especially if outdoors. Operator supplies game, chair, balloons, balls, and disposal for broken balloons.

 Fill balloons as desired. Game works best with 11"-12" balloons filled so that the surface is tight. Balloons can be filled completely with water, or partially with water and partially with air. Alternatively, insert confetti in balloons (using a



simple funnel) and fill with air. It's best if you have a ready supply of balloons prepared in advance and stored near the game.

- 2. Participant stands or sits in a chair below the basket.
- **3.** The operator places a filled water balloon in the basket. If you are using a balloon with confetti, lift and place the metal cover arm atop the balloon in the basket to prevent it from blowing away. Remove the pin cover.
- **4.** Player throws the ball at the target from a distance. When the target is hit (bulls eye!), the pin end of the diagonal arm swings forward, bursting the balloon and dropping water (or confetti) on the participant.
- 5. To reset, operator removes broken balloon and places a new balloon in the basket.
- **6.** Be sure to dispose of broken balloon parts properly and promptly.
- 7. To play indoors, set an inflatable or hard plastic kiddie pool under chair/basket to catch the water.