

## Skeeball

Skeeball is a favorite at county fairs and carnivals. Why not make a skeeball game for your boys club? Skeeball can be used as a story recall game or just for fun at the end of a meeting.

### Materials needed:

#### Ball Chute:

1. One 13 1/8" x 46" x 1/4" AB plywood (cut to make 2 quadrangles as shown in diagram).
2. One 12" x 24" x 1/8" Masonite® for curved bottom of chute.
3. Seven 1" x 2" x 12" pine/spruce (for support of the Masonite chute).
4. 8" x 12" x 1/4" AB plywood for rear end.



#### Angled box for can and semi-circles, and for haki sac storage.

1. 20" x 20" x 3/8" AC plywood (to mount can and semi-circles).
2. 52" x 4" Masonite (for outer semi-circle).
3. 38" x 4" Masonite (for inner semi-circle).
4. 20" x 4" x 3/8" AB plywood for rear, top (used to attach semi-circles at top end).
5. 14 - 1 1/2" angle brackets (for attaching Masonite semi-circles to 20" x 20" plywood and the top rear (20" x 4" plywood).
6. 9" x 18" x 1/4" AC plywood (to make both triangular sides of the base box).
7. 9" x 20" x 1/4" AC plywood for rear (cut door into this piece as shown).
8. One 4" tall x 4" diameter can (for center target).
9. Misc. 2'-3' of scrap 2"x 2" for inside corners, screws, nails, two 1" hinges, one hasp, glue and paint.

#### Assembly:

1. Cut all wood parts.

#### Ball Chute:

1. Attach sides to end piece (use scrap 2"x2" inside corners to give stability).
2. Glue and nail seven 1" x 2" x 12" boards (to support 1/8" Masonite) in a gentle curve (as shown in diagram) to outside pieces.
3. Glue 12" x 24" x 1/8" Masonite to 1" x 2" to make curved bottom of the chute.
4. Paint as desired.

#### Angled box with semi-circles and storage:

1. Use a saber saw to cut oval door in 9" x 20" x 1/4" plywood as per diagram.
2. Install two hinges and the hasp lock.
3. Attach two triangular sides to the end piece (use scrap 2"x 2" inside corners to give stability).
4. Attach top (20" x 20" x 3/8" plywood) to angled box.
5. Attach 52" x 4" x 1/8" Masonite to top (20" x 20") forming the outer semi-circle using three 1 1/2" angle brackets. Attach the top rear piece (20" x 4" x 3/8" AB plywood) to the Masonite semi-circle using four 1 1/2" angle brackets.

6. Attach 38" x 4" x 1/8" Masonite to top (20" x 20") forming the inner semi-circle using three 1 1/2" angle brackets. Attach the top rear piece (20" x 4" x 3/8" AB plywood) to the Masonite semi-circle using four 1 1/2" angle brackets.
7. Attach 4" x 4" diameter can to top using two 1" sheetrock screws and paint as desired.

**To play:** Place the chute about 2-3' from the target. Give each boy 2 or 3 haki sac balls to 'bowl' the balls. Haki sacs don't bounce all over the room and under the furniture!  
**Scoring:** In the Can = 500 pts., inner semi-circle = 200 pts., outer semi-circle = 100 pts.

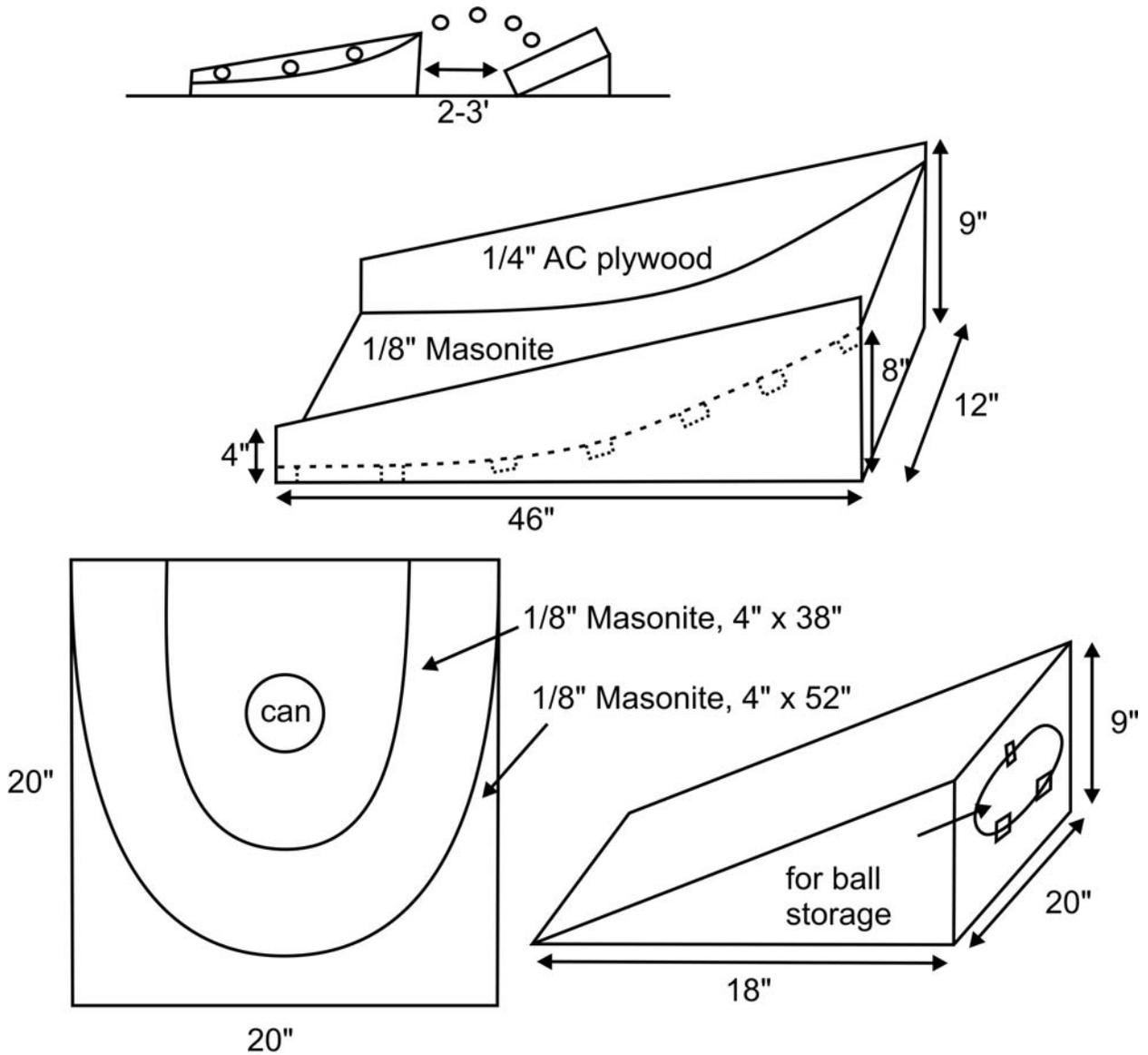


Diagram for skeeball game