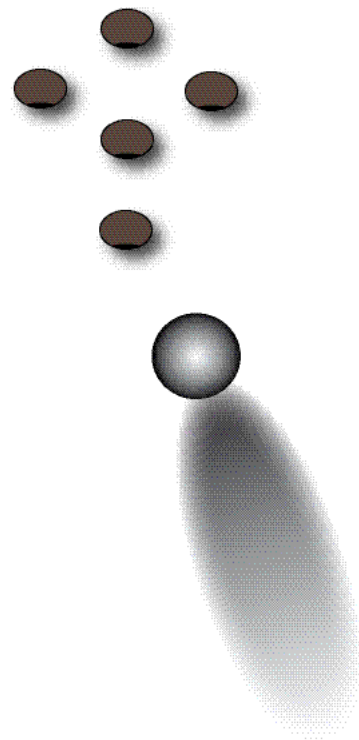


# Games

## Russian Hole Ball



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For any small number of participants

This is a kind of bagatelle *à la nature*.

Small holes are dug in the ground to form a suitable pattern, marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and a throwing line is cut ten feet (three metres) from the nearest hole.

Each player throws a ball, scoring according to the hole in which it lands.

Twenty-five or fifty points constitute a game. (The target depends on the skills of the participants or the size of the holes!)

Useful for the snow, hence the 'Russian'. First catch the snow.

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