



# BIG BUCK'S FOOTBALL

It's all about the Big Bucks with Big Buck's Football.

For 2 to 10 Players / Ages 21 and up  
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## Object

It's time for your favorite team to play—all your friends are over and ready to watch—everyone has their predictions—it's time to put your money where your mouth is—see who know the game of football best. To win, correctly predict which play is going to be next. Each play is another chance to show your football knowledge and win BIG BUCKS!

## Equipment

- ❖ 1 Big Buck's Replica Football Field Game Board
- ❖ 500 Big Buck's Game Currency (not included)

# Setup

Place the Big Buck's Game Board on a table or flat surface, easily accessible by all players. Each player is given 50 Big Bucks to start the game. The remaining Big Bucks are not used.

# Game Play

The game board is divided into three main areas. The three areas are; The **PLAYING FIELD**, **SIDE BETS** and **YARDAGE BETS**. The Playing Field is used for both **PLAY BETS** and **ODDS BETS**. There is also a large area in the center called **THE POT**.

## PLAY BETS

The PLAY BETS are the circles between the YARDAGE BETS and the SIDE BETS, next to the type of play, which is either RUN or PASS. These bets are used to predict the type and direction of the next play. If a player believes the next play is going to be a RUN MIDDLE then they should place BIG BUCKS on the RUN side of the board in the large circle marked with an M.

Direction of the PLAY BETS is determined by which way the offense in the game is facing.

- ❖ M: Middle is between the tackles
- ❖ R: Right is to the right of the right tackle
- ❖ L: Left is to the left of the left tackle

If a player correctly guesses the type and direction of the next play, they get to pick up each of the other PLAY BETS. Except for the INT, QB Sack and FUMBLE BETS (for more detail explanation see ODDS BETS).

If a play is run and no one has placed a Big Buck on the correct PLAY BET, the PLAY BETS remain on the field and other players can fill in the remaining PLAY BETS until all six slots are full or the correct PLAY BET is placed.

## ODDS BETS

- ❖ The Blue and Red circles titled FUMBLE, INT (short for interception) and QB SACK are considered ODDS BETS and work in conjunction with PLAY BETS.
- ❖ The FUMBLE and INT stay on the field for one set of downs and are not picked up when a correct Play Bet is made.
- ❖ A FUMBLE can only pick up RUN BETS. If a PASS play results in a FUMBLE the player who placed the FUMBLE BET can only pick up the RUN BETS. The player who picked the correct PASS play may pick up the remaining PASS BETS. If the correct passing play was not called any PASS BETS will remain on the field. If an INT BET is placed it cannot be cleared by a FUMBLE BET.
- ❖ An INT BET plays similar to a FUMBLE BET, but an INT BET can only clear the PASS PLAYS.
- ❖ The QB SACK BET is only on the field for one down and can clear all PLAY BETS and ODDS BETS.
- ❖ IF a QB SACK does not occur on the one down the bet is placed for it then goes into THE POT.

- ❖ The INT and FUMBLE BETS are also placed into THE POT if the set of downs they were placed for has ended without the bets being claimed.

### **SIDE BETS**

- ❖ The area marked SIDE BETS is used for on-going bets throughout the game. They are based on which team will next achieve a particular event, whether that be a TOUCHDOWN, FIELD GOAL, TURNOVER, etc..
- ❖ SIDE BETS are between two players and the number of BIG BUCKS BET is determined by how many BIG BUCKS each player is willing to bet. The amount of the bet has to be equal between the two players.
- ❖ If any SIDE BETS remain at the conclusion of the game, those SIDE BETS are placed into THE POT.

### **YARDAGE BETS**

- ❖ The area of the board marked with numbers from ZERO - TOUCHDOWN are YARDAGE BETS.
- ❖ At the beginning of each drive players can place BIG BUCKS on blocks of ten yards trying to guess where a play will end once the drive begins no more bets can be placed on the YARDAGE BETS.
- ❖ The player who places their BIG BUCKS on the correct block of yardage where the drive ends wins all the YARDAGE BETS and THE POT.
- ❖ If the drive ends in a FIELD GOAL, the player who has placed his BIG BUCKS on the yardage line where the drive ended in order to kick the FIELD GOAL wins the YARDAGE BETS.
- ❖ If a turnover occurs, the player with BIG BUCKS on the correct yardage marker where play came to a stop after the turnover wins all the YARDAGE BETS.
- ❖ If no player has BIG BUCKS on the correct block of yardage at the end of a drive, all YARDAGE BETS are placed into THE POT.

### **THE POT**

THE POT is the large circle in the center of the PLAYING FIELD. To win the pot a player must win the YARDAGE BETS.

## **Winning**

The player with the most Big Bucks at the end of the game, wins.

## **Additional Questions**

We'll be glad to answer any questions about this game on our website at [www.bigbucksfootball.com](http://www.bigbucksfootball.com).

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