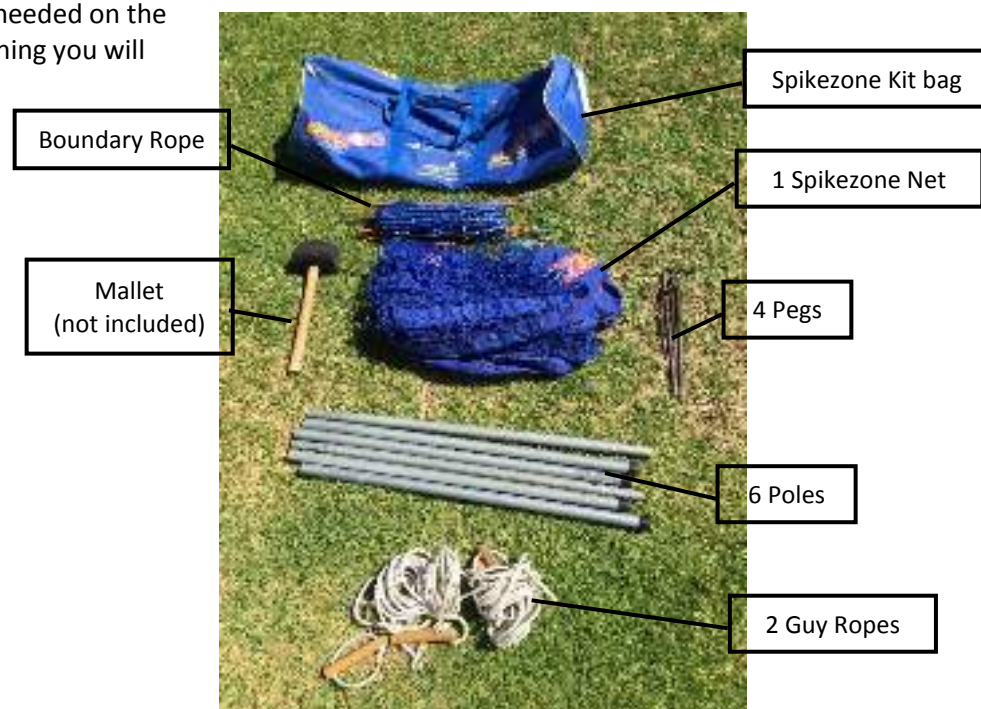


SETTING UP THE SPIKEZONE NET

- 1. Equipment:** Lay out the equipment needed on the floor first to ensure you have everything you will need.



- 2. Net:** Check the playing area for a suitable, safe area for the court. Lay the net out on the ground. Connect three poles together: one top with loop for guy rope, one middle (two open ends) and one end and slide net on the top of the pole. Repeat on other side.



- 3. Guy Ropes:** Hook one guy rope to one pole, separate the two ropes and lay on ground in a V shape (not too wide). Insert the pegs in the loop of the guy rope with the hook facing away from the net and use a mallet or hammer to set firmly in the ground.



- 4. Raising the net:** Move pole to standing position so that the guy ropes form a triangle. Pull wooden handles upwards on guy ropes to tighten. If your guy ropes are tight and pole is in correct position the pole may stand on its own, however, someone can hold the pole in place while you set up the other end. Cones can be used cover pegs to make a boundary for participants.



- Repeat previous step on next side and adjust poles and guy ropes as needed to ensure the net is secure.



- 6. Shorter Net:** Remove the bottom pole and tighten guy ropes for a shorter net for younger kids.



- 7. Boundary line:** Temporarily tie the end of the line to the end of one pole. Unwind the line until you meet a hook and stick hook in the grass. Continue for each corner until you return to first pole.



- 8. Closing the boundary:** Untie line from pole and connect both ends. Adjust and tighten boundary line as needed. The ends should connect in line with the



pole.