

Curriculum - First Kick Activity # - 12

Game Title:	Backyardigans	Game Theme:	Colors
Learning Outcome(s):	Dribbling and kicking		



Organization:

- 20 x 20 yard area with a10 x 10 yard area in the center, set up as shown
- 2. Lots of soccer balls
- 3. Disc cones

Story/Description:

- 1. Pablo the penguin's backyard is a mess
- 2. Before all players can go to Austin's house for a snack they must first clean up all the mess
- 3. To do this players must kick the balls into the manhole in the middle of the area
- 4. The only problem is there is a man in the manhole who keeps kicking the balls back into the Pablo yard!
- 5. When all the balls are in the manhole the players get to have their snack!

Coaching Points:

- 1. Look around to make sure all the balls have gone
- 2. Big kicks to make sure the ball goes all the way down the manhole

Developments:

- 1. Player can start by throwing the ball into the manhole
- 2. Then kicking
- 3. Add a second man in the manhole so players have to work quicker