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Learning Italian through Bocce

Garden City Middle School Italian teachers, Professoressa Miras and Signora Caruthers, brought their 8th grade students outside to play the game of bocce this spring. The teachers provided a brief presentation of the history of bocce and an in-class demonstration of how to play the game. Students donated their bocce sets for the day and were divided into teams. Students reacted with enthusiasm about this new way to learn Italian culture: “This is a nice change from the American games we’re used to playing.” “We hope this becomes a tradition for the Italian program.” “I liked the new experience.”