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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a novelty container with puppet, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a front view of the novelty container with puppet in the open position;

FIG. 2 is a right side view of the novelty container in the open position, the left side view (omitted) being symmetrical to the right side view;

FIG. 3 is a top view of the novelty container in the open position;

FIG. 4 is a bottom view of the novelty container in the open position;

FIG. 5 is a front view of the novelty container in the closed position;

FIG. 6 is a right side view of the novelty container in the closed position, the left side view (omitted) being symmetrical to the right side view;

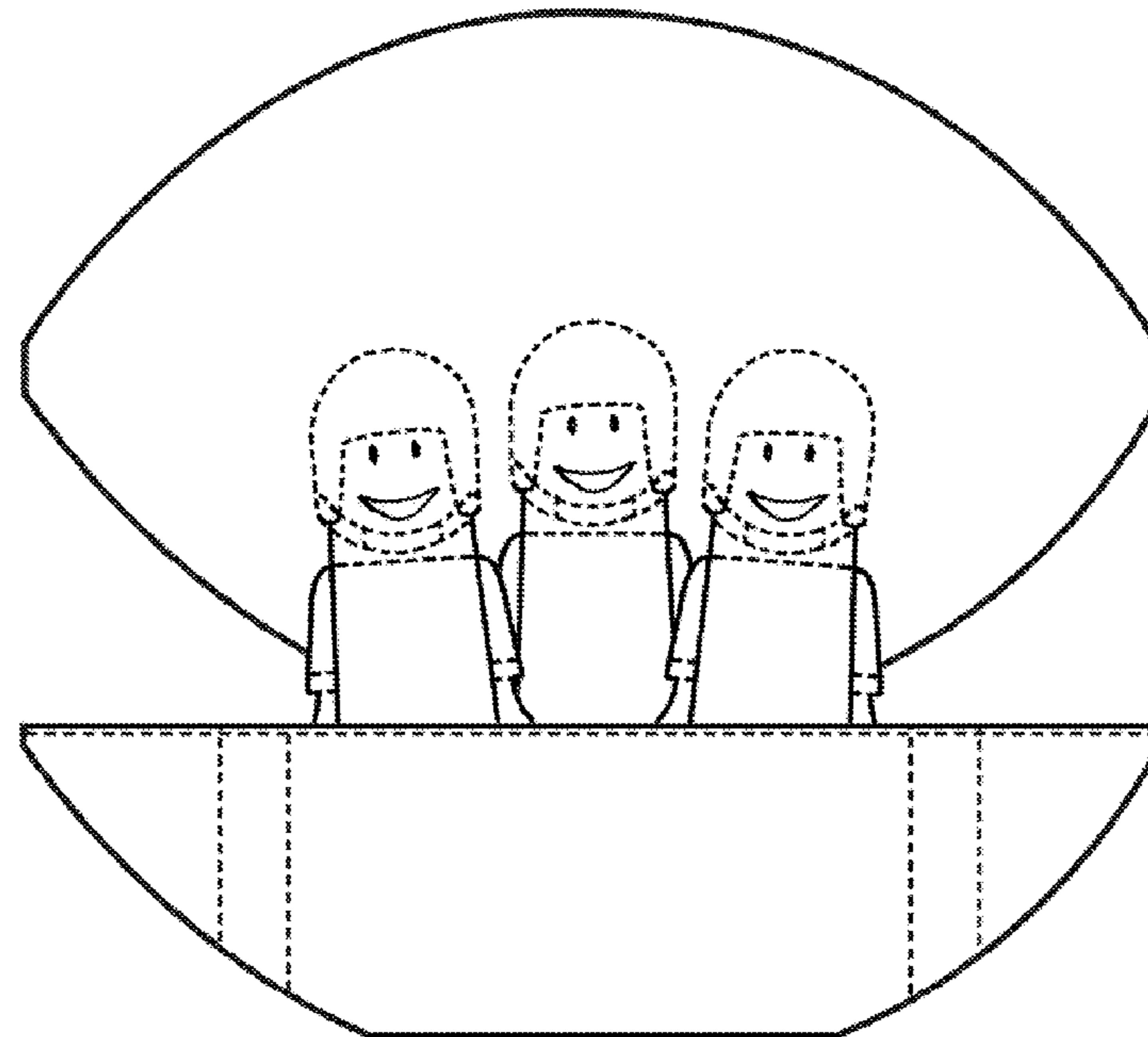
FIG. 7 is a top view of the novelty container in the closed position;

FIG. 8 is a bottom view of the novelty container in the closed position;

FIG. 9 is a front view of a second embodiment of the novelty container in the open position; and,

FIG. 10 is a front view of a third embodiment of the novelty container in the open position.

The broken lines in the figures showing portions of the novelty container with puppet and user in FIGS. 1–10 are for illustrative purposes only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 10 Drawing Sheets

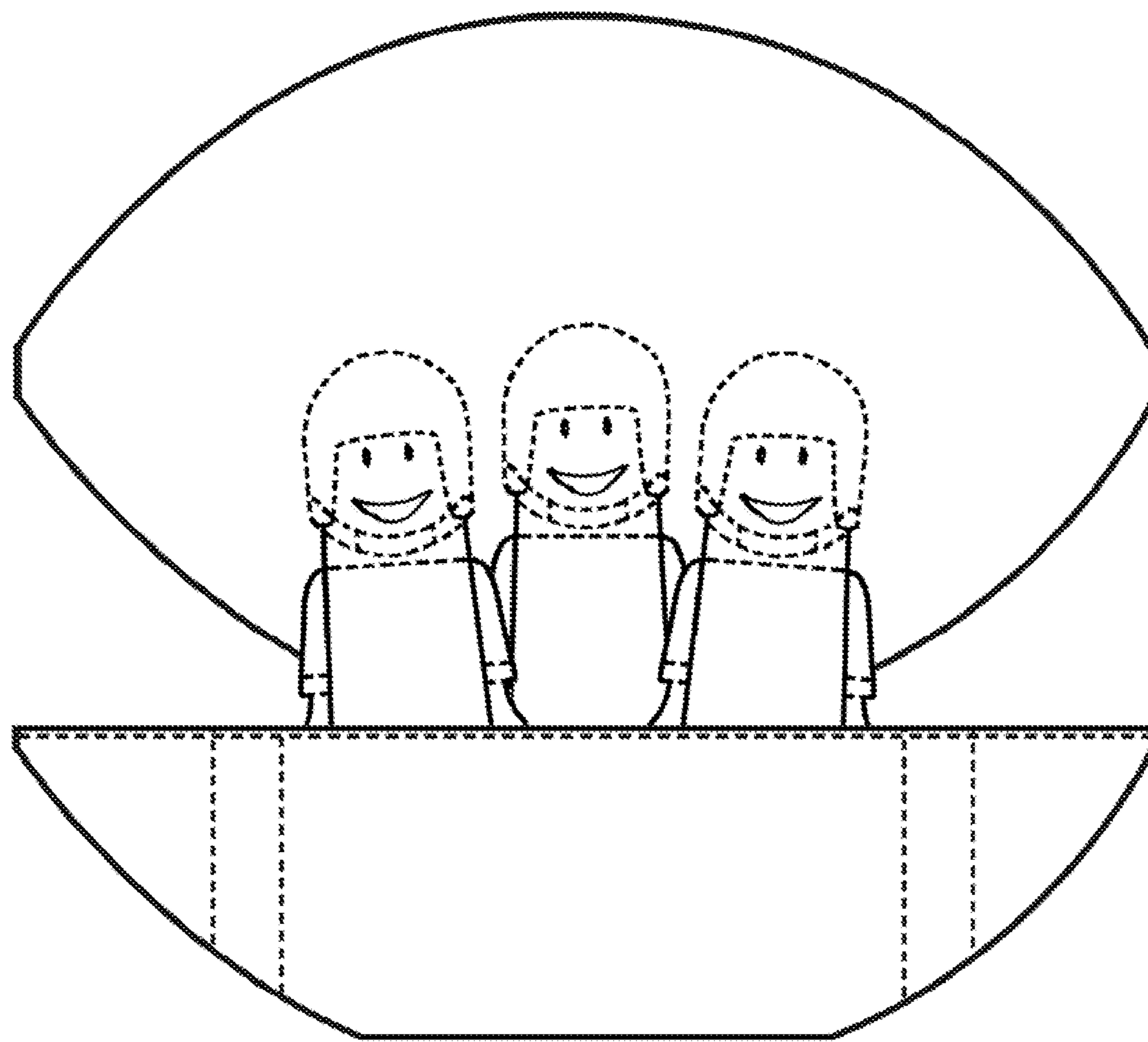


FIG. 1

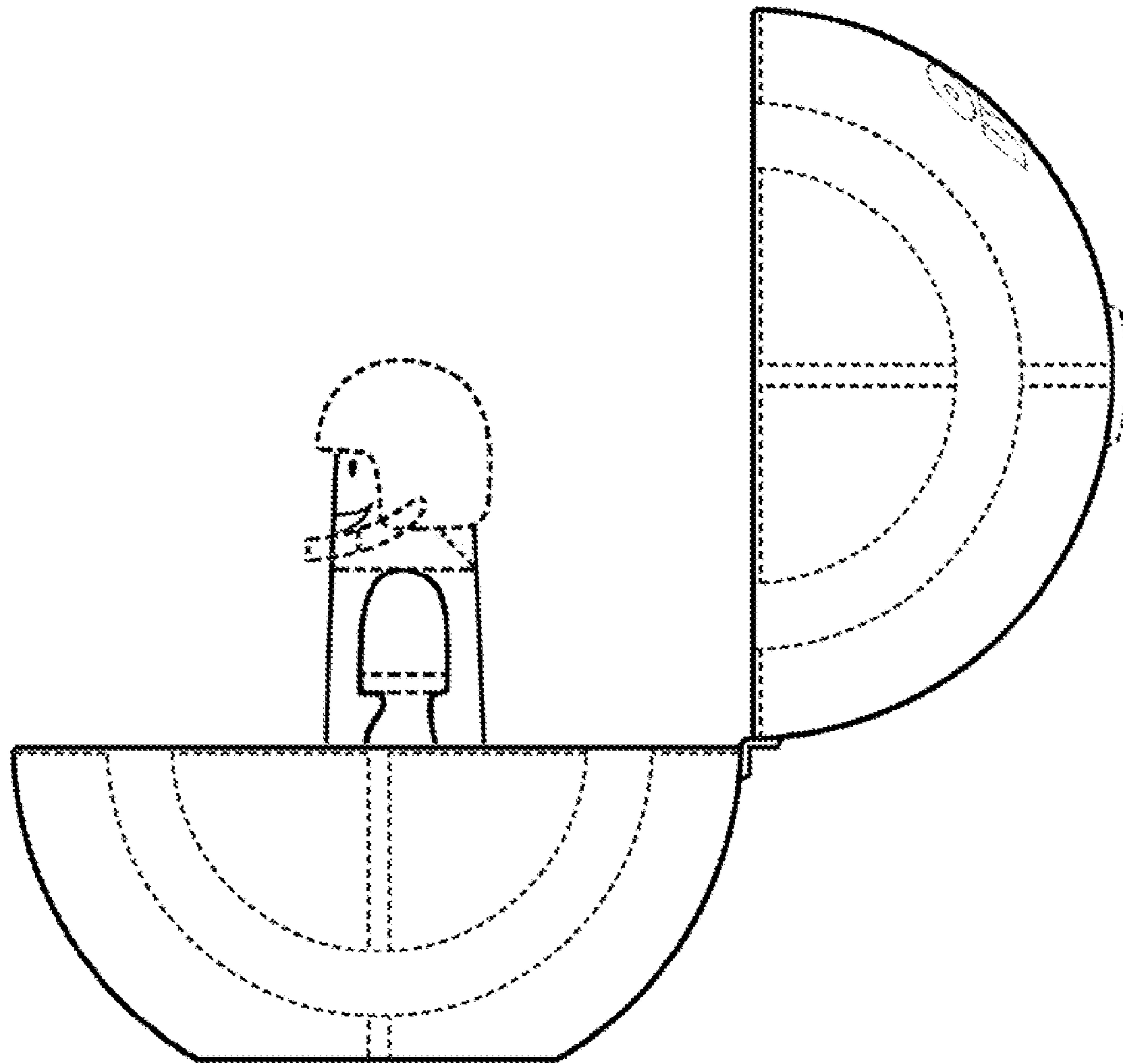


FIG. 2

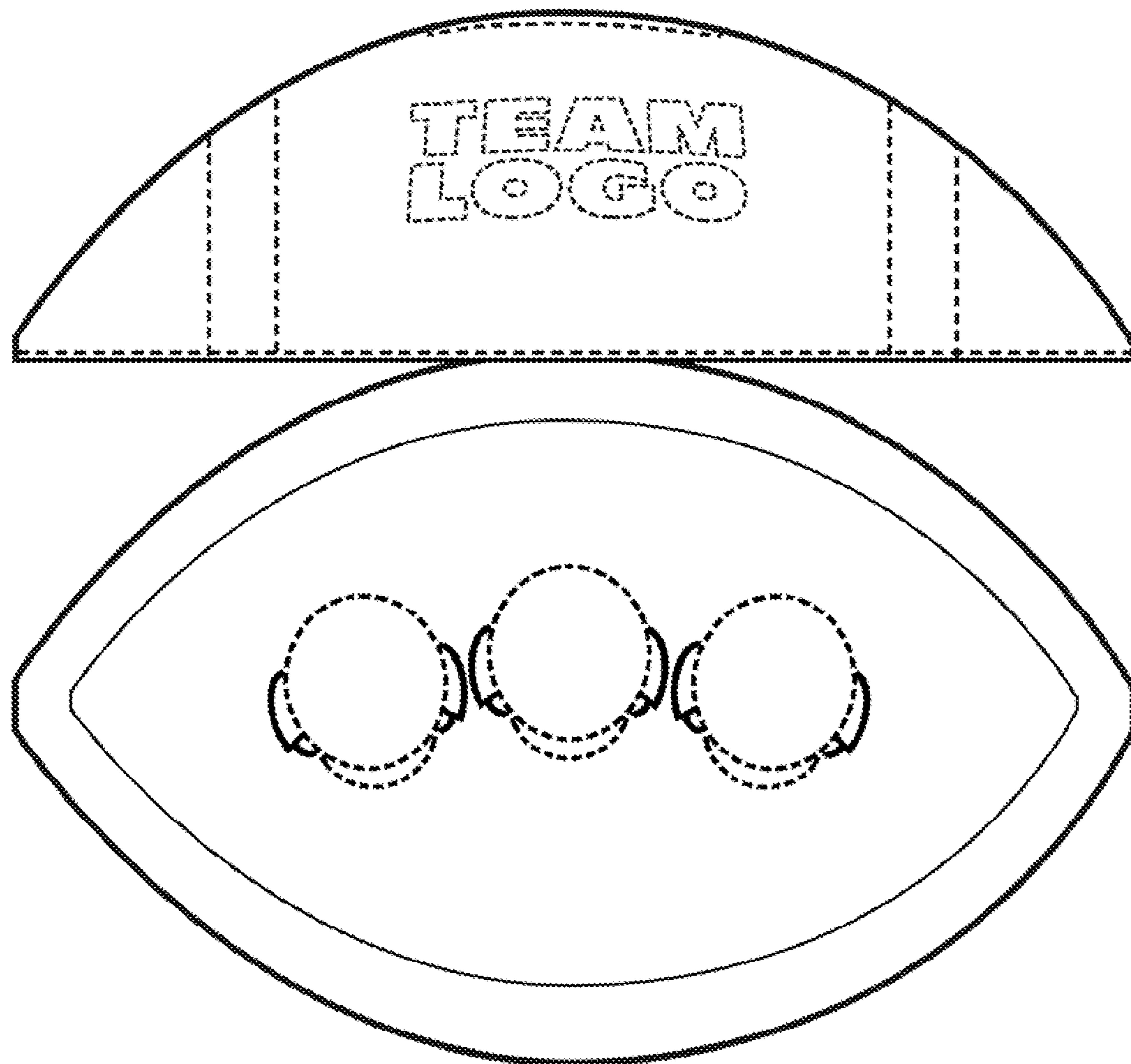


FIG. 3

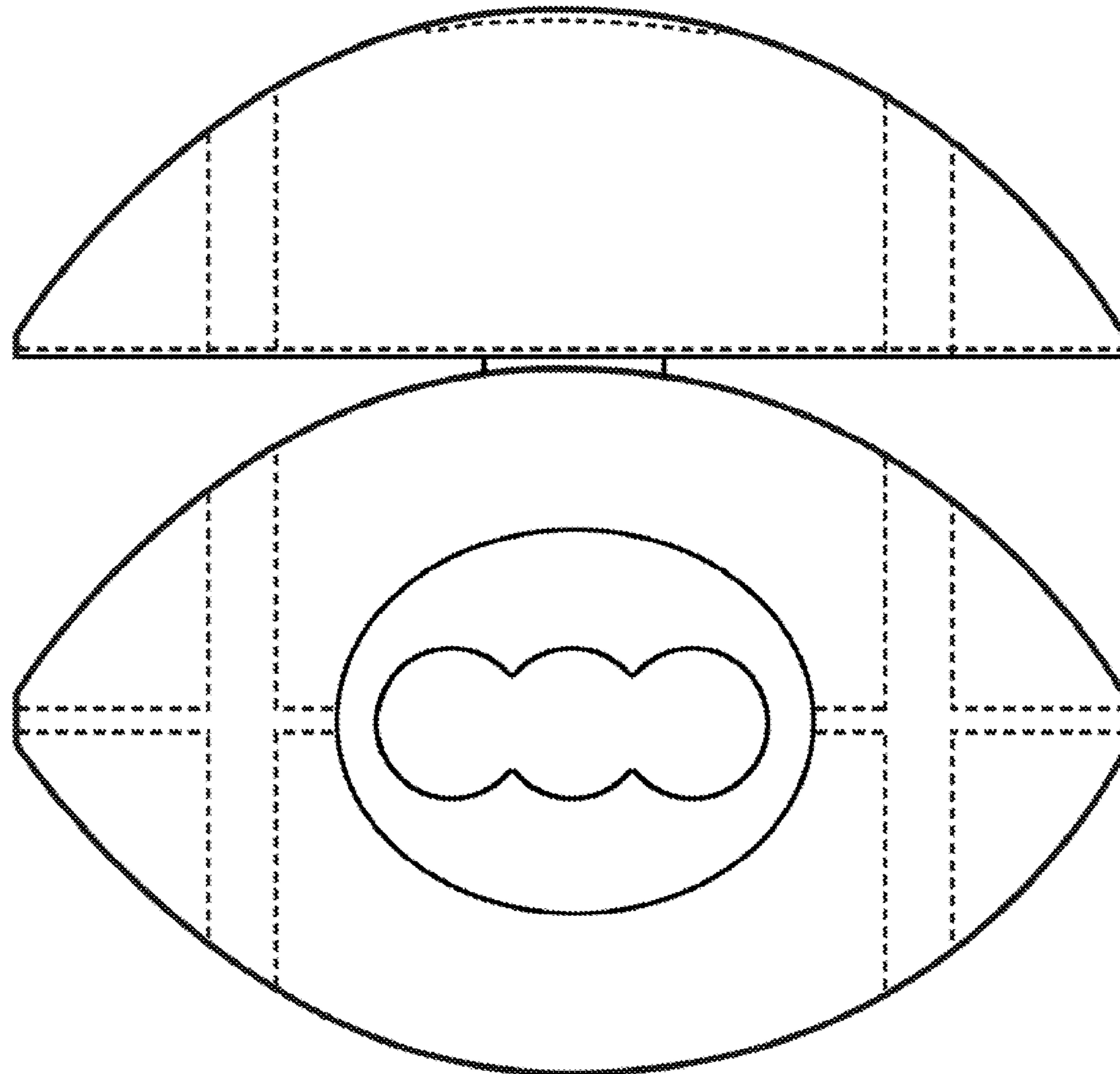


FIG. 4

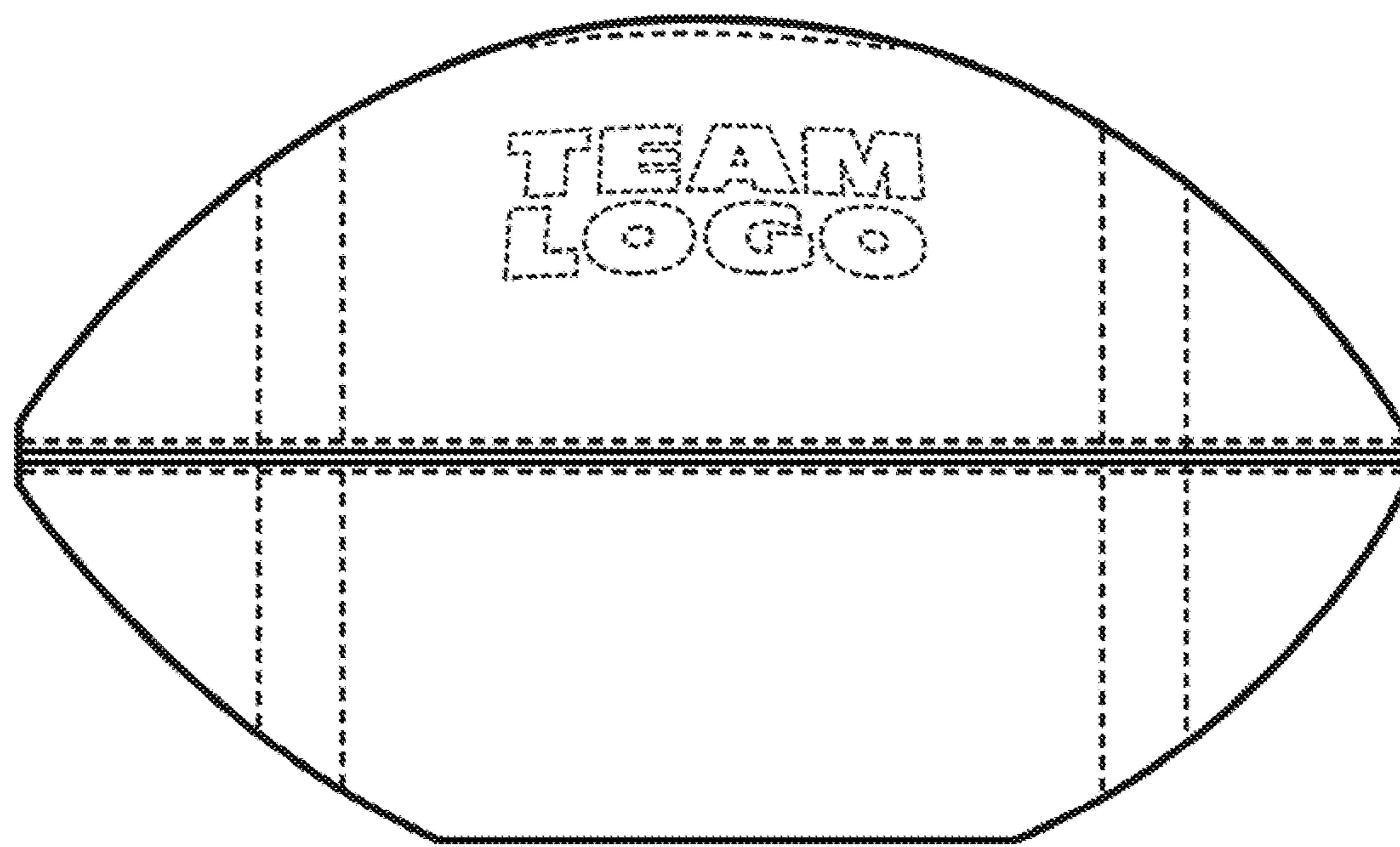


FIG. 5

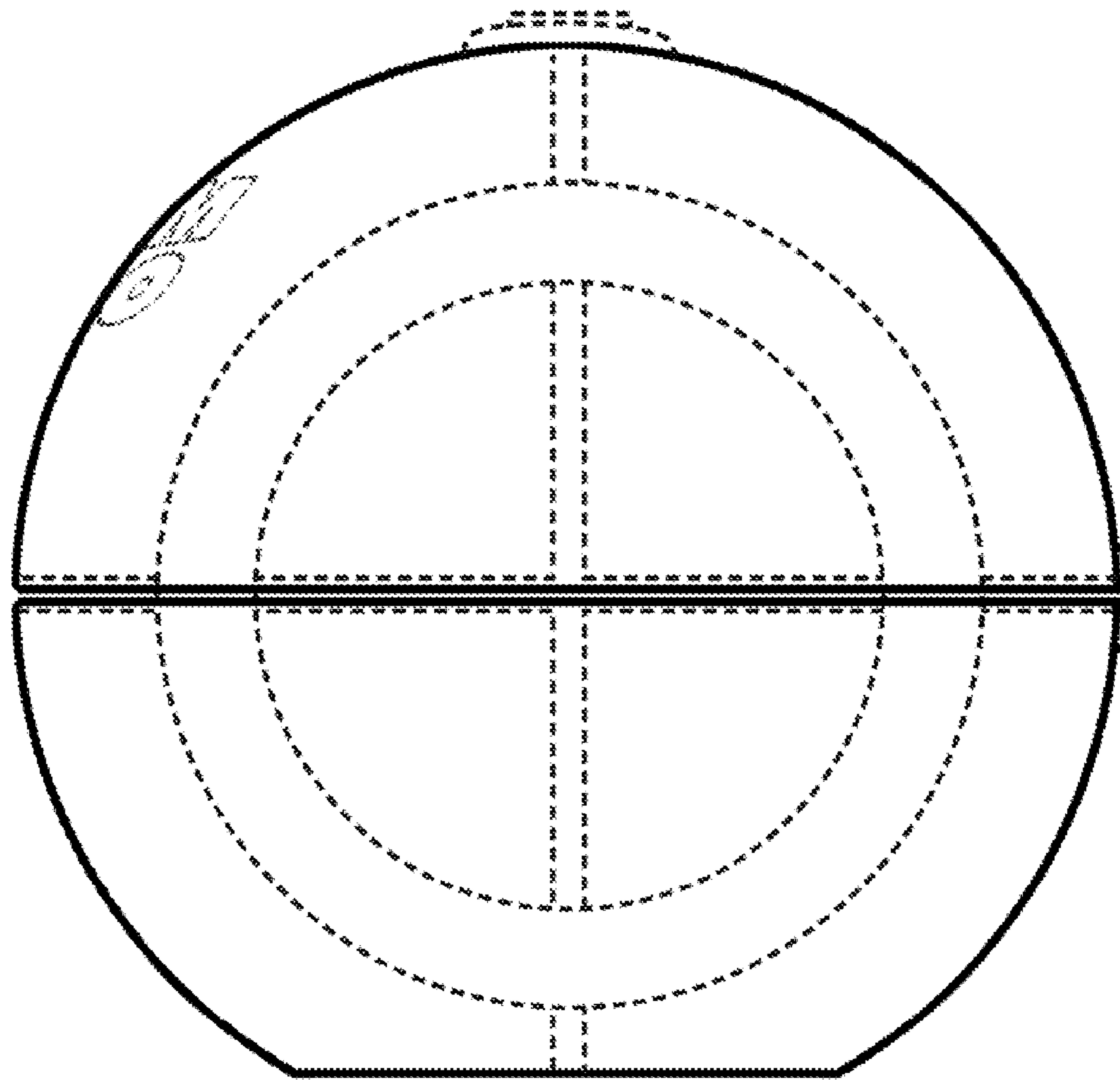


FIG. 6

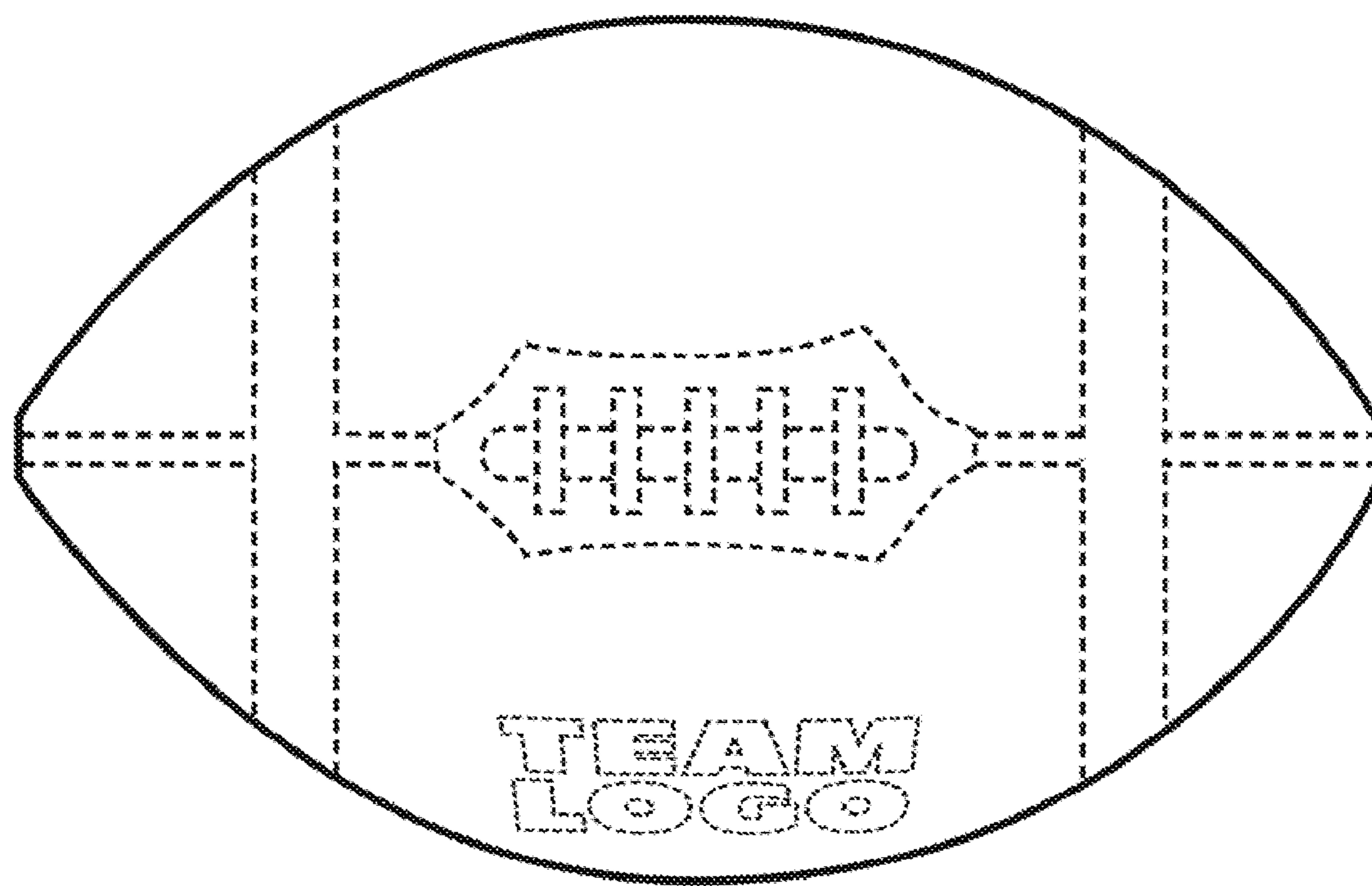


FIG. 7

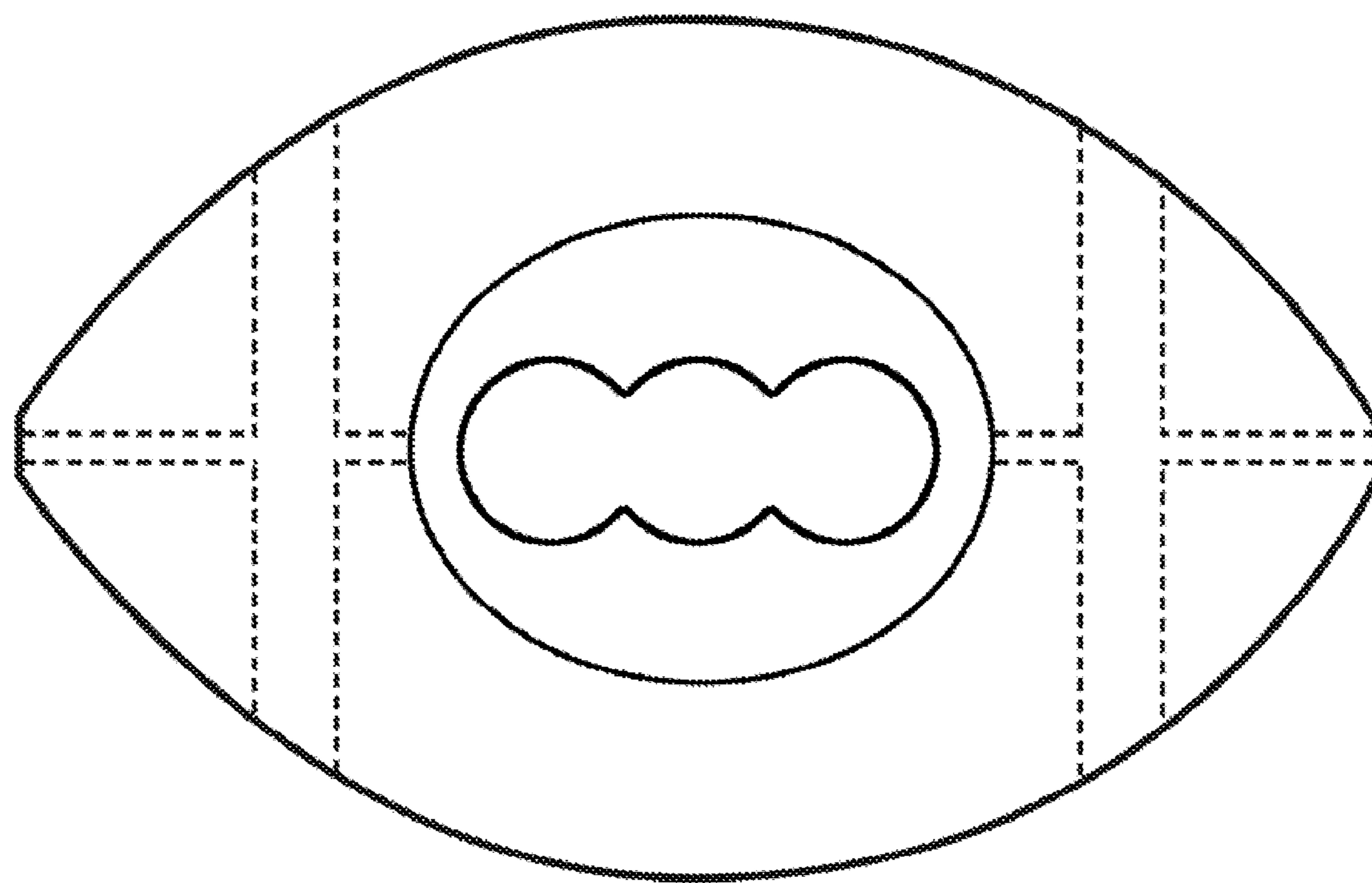


FIG. 8

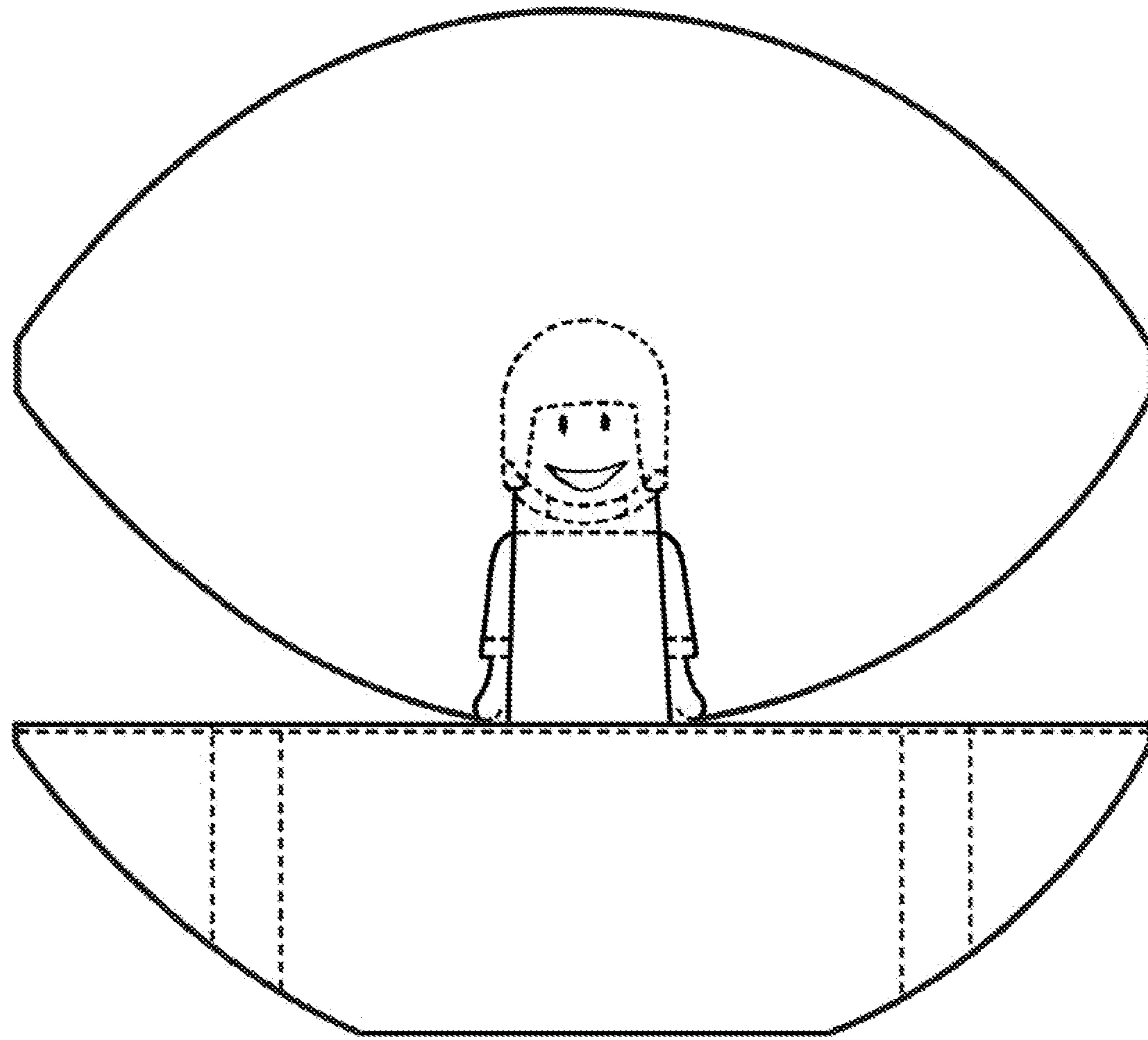


FIG. 9

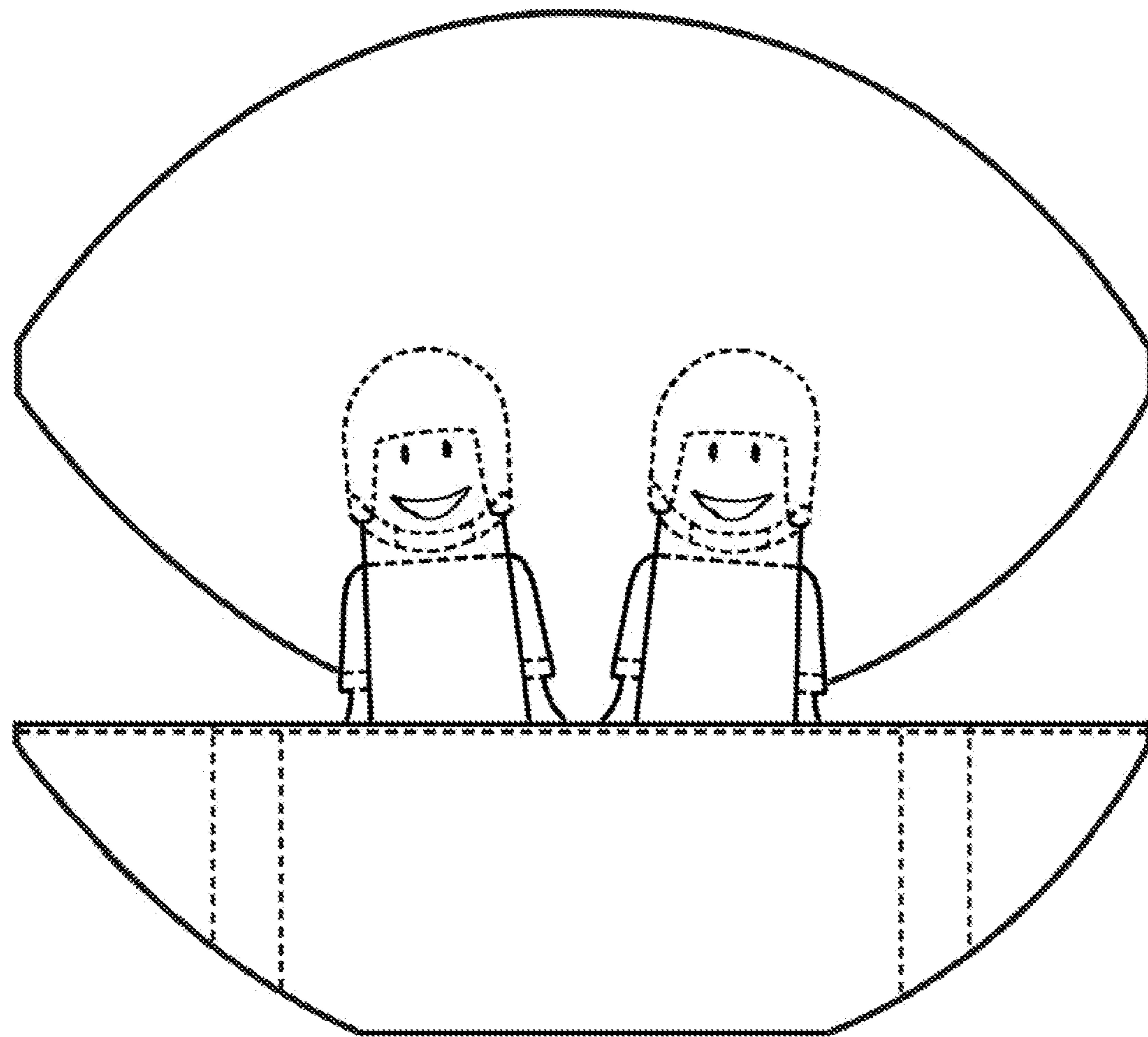


FIG. 10