UWA Minkey & 5/6's 2021

Level 1: Training Manual





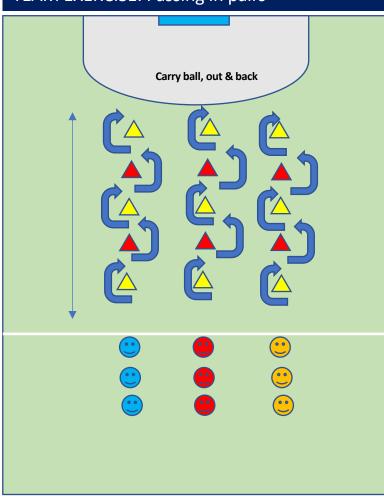
TEAM EXERCISE: Ball Control Carry ball, out & back 5m

Skill Criteria: Open and Closed Dribble

- 1. Teams carry call out to 5m and back. Closed dribble
- 2. Teams carry ball out to 10m and back. Closed dribble
- 3. Teams carry ball out to 15m and back. Open dribble
- 4. Run up right side of cones to promote a strong side turn to left at the targeted length cone.

- 1. Hands apart for ball carry. Left hand at top of stick. Right hand halfway down stick
- 2. Closed dribble = Keep ball on the stick when carrying the ball.
- Open dribble = Tap ball about 30 centimetres in front. As Players tap the ball, they need to lift their eyes to look forward (promoting better vision)

TEAM EXERCISE: Passing in pairs



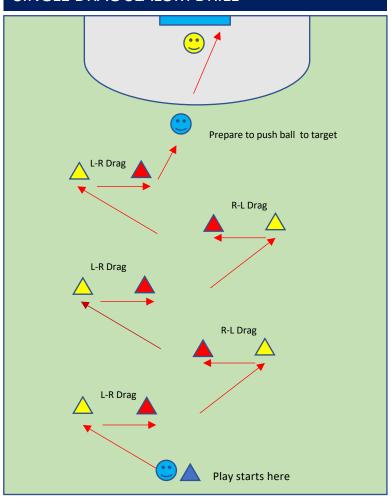
Skill Criteria: Dribbling Race in Teams

- 1. Teams weave in and out of cones (out and back)
- 2. Teams complete 3 times each.
- 3. Once complete, all players in team to be seated
- 4. Last team does 5 push ups
- 5. Repeat exercise.

- 1. Hands apart for ball carry
- 2. Body and feet movement as they go around cones
- 3. Keep ball on the stick when weaving.



SINGLE DRAG SLALOM DRILL

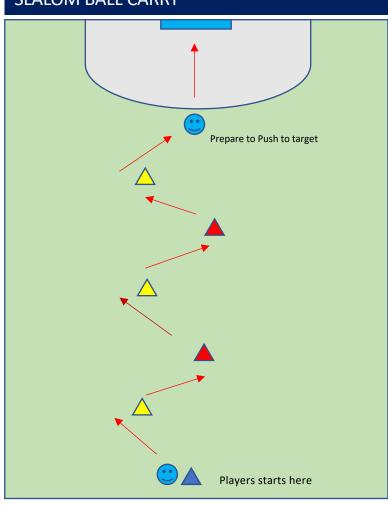


Skill Criteria: Ball Control, Indian Drags and Hit

- 1. Blue Player carries the ball on stick to the yellow marker. (It needs to be the outside marker)
- 2. Players drag the ball from yellow to red marker. Only one movement L-R. or R-L
- 3. Player must control ball (catch with stick) after drag to show competency of ball handling skill.
- 4. Player then proceeds to next set of markers.
- 5. At final pair of markers, player prepares to push ball to target.
- 6. Player pushes ball to target.

- 1. Ball Carry skill and body position
- 2. Elimination skill: Focus on weight transfer. (like ice skating)
- 3. Hit to target inside goal.

SLALOM BALL CARRY



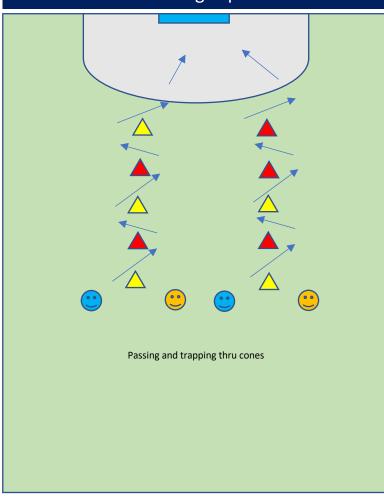
Skill Criteria: Slalom Ball Control and Push

- 1. Blue Player carries the ball on stick around each cone (including feet and body)
- 2. At final pair of markers, player prepares to push ball to target.

- 1. Ball Carry skill and body position
- 2. Elimination skill
- 3. Hit to target inside goal.



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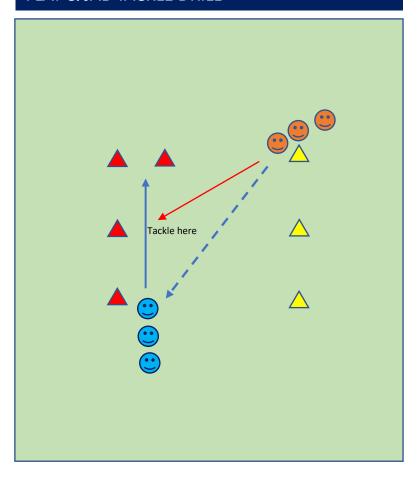
Skill Criteria: Passing and trapping thru cones, (In pairs)

- 1. Blue Player and orange player pass thru cones
- 2. Focus on 2-3 touch passing
- 3. Stay in low position
- 4. At end of cones, last player to receive ball to push into goals.

- 1. Hands apart for trapping and passing
- 2. Push skill at end of drill to goal target
- 3. Staying low during exercise.



FLAT & JAB TACKLE DRILL



Skill Criteria: Flat tackle & Jab Tackle

- 1. Orange Player passes ball to Blue Player
- 2. In sync, Blue Player carries ball as fast as they can to the two red markers.
- 3. At the same time, Orange player moves across and attempts a flat stick tackle.
- 4. Blue Player not to attempt to eliminate Orange Player. Designed for tackle assessment.
- 5. Repeat for Jab tackle assessment

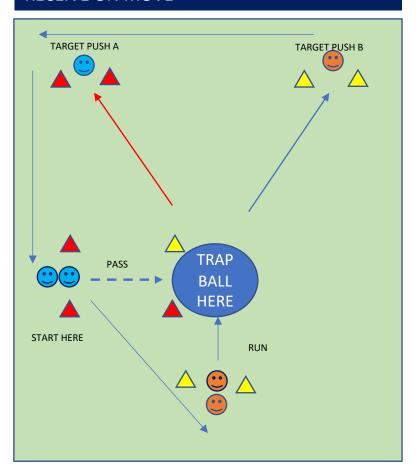
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- 1. Flat stick tackle
- 2. Jab tackle
- 3. Optional: 1 v 1 exercise: live play.

TIP: TACKLING IS ABOUT WINNING THE BALL BACK, NOT TO HIT THE BALL AWAY



RECEIVE ON MOVE



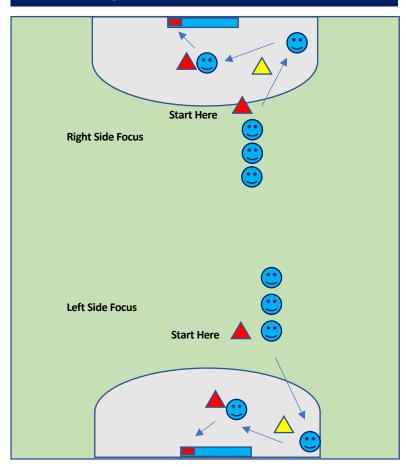
Skill Criteria: RECEIVE ON MOVE: PUSH TO TARGET A OR B

- 1. Blue passes ball through cones.
- 2. At same time, Orange runs to meet ball in passing area.(TRAP BALL HERE)
- 3. Once orange traps ball, Coach tells Orange Player to pass to either Target Push A or B.
- 4. Orange player required to move body and feet into position to make accurate pass.
- 5. The Player at either Target takes ball back to Start position.

- 1. Passing accuracy
- 2. Receiving on Move
- 3. Body and feet position for directional passing



Goal Scoring: Pass/Pass/Score



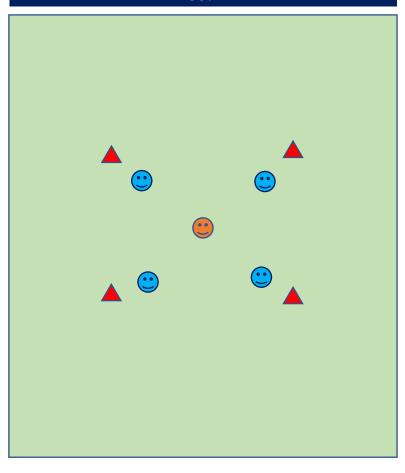
Skill Criteria: Goal Scoring: Pass/Pass/Score

- Players pass ball to baseline player- Follow your pass
- 2. Baseline Player makes pass in front of goal.
- 3. Front of goal player, traps and scores goal.
- 4. Front of goal player to aim for corner of the goal (red Box)
- 5. All players follow their pass.

- 1. Body position on receive and pass or shot on goal.
- 2. Passing accuracy
- 3. Passing to the players right foot
- 4. Target goal scoring area, inside the goal.



Possession Game: "Piggy in the Middle"



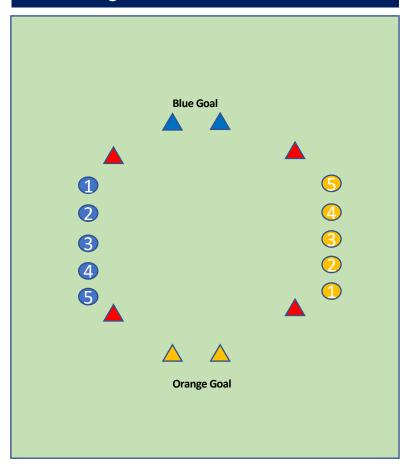
Skill Criteria: Possession Game

- 1. Blue Players have the ball.
- 2. Blue Players need to make 5-8 passes without Orange touching the ball.
- 3. Orange Player attempts to win the ball or force an error.
- 4. Which ever player misses trap, that player replaces the one in the middle.
- 5. If Blue players make 5-8 passes (set by coach depending on level) orange player needs to do 5 push ups.

- 1. Body position on receive and pass
- 2. Tackling pressure
- 3. Passing to the players right foot
- 4. Quickness of passing.



Game: "Dog & Bone "



Skill Criteria: Dog and Bone Game

- 1. 5 x Blue Players , 5 x Orange Players
- 2. Each team is numbered 1-5.
- 3. Players need to be behind the line and leave the game space open
- 4. Coach calls out a number and each team member with that number come into game area.
- 5. Object is for each team to score a goal at their designated goal. (Blue or Orange goal, indicated in diagram
- 6. Coach can call two numbers at a time, oras many as they want
- 7. Ensure everyone has their mouthguards in and shin pads on.
- 8. Once goal is scored, or ball goes outside game area, players return to their line and coach starts again.

