USA VOLLEYBALL COACHING ACCREDITATION PROGRAM BCAP FAVORITE DRILL

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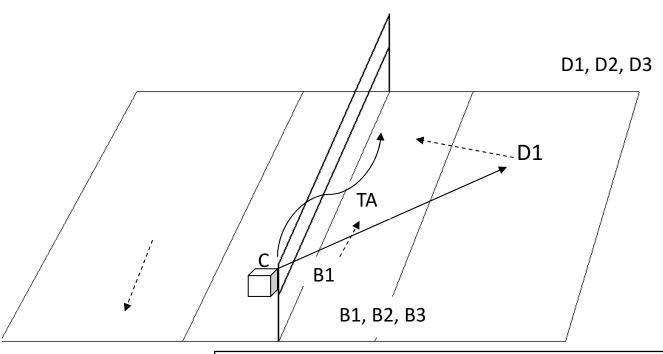


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 $C = COACH (C_1, C_2)$

POA = POINT OF ATTACK

TP = TOUCH POINT (Att Start Pt)

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Scoring/Measurement: Each D gets ½ point for every controlled dig. Play to 10 points.

Group Size: 4 D and 4 B + Coach

Intensity/Rhythm: Coach controls the rhythm of this drill. Should force D to play hard driven ball and then quickly move to dig cut shot.

Skill Applications: Reading and digging hard driven attack and then using crossover footwork to move and control the cut shot.

Variations: of the Drill: Run drill for digging RB/RF and LB/LF. Have the Blocker set the Digger after the second dig.

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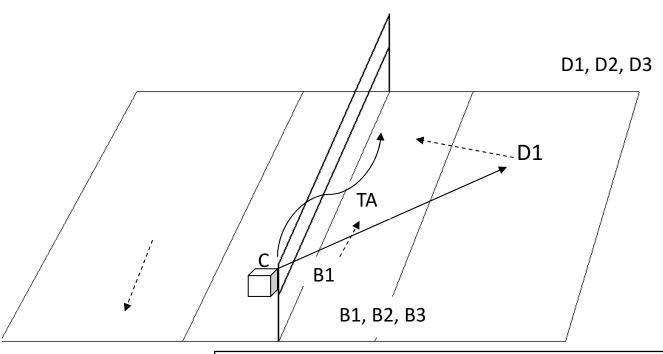
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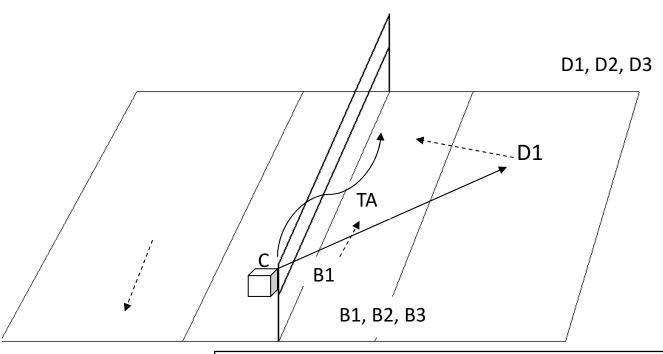


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