W Drill (Shooting)

Number of pucks varies with skill and conditioning Add shots to Skating W Drill from shooters at (2), (3), and (5)

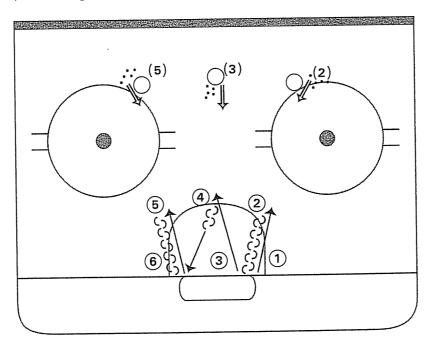
Sequence

- 1. Start at right post and T-push
- 2. Stop shot from player (2); then backward to right post
- Forward and out to challenge shot from player
 (3)
- 4. Two C-cuts and shuffle/ T-glide to left post
- 5. T-push forward, stop, and challenge shot from player (5)
- Backward to left post and repeat same, starting at left post

(See Skating W Drill for details.)

- Steady hands while skating
- Bring hands to puck for leg saves
- Recover to stance and move to next shot simultaneously
- Lead with stick and check for legs "thrusting" to shot lane





X Drill (Shooting)

4 pucks each shooter Add shots to X Skating Drill from shooters at (1), (2), (3), and (4)

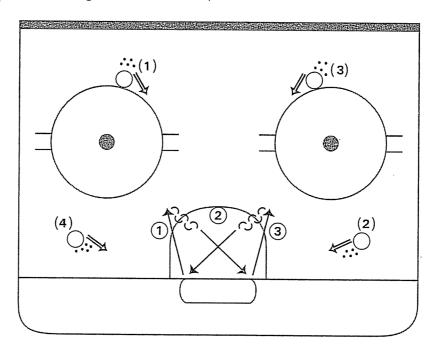
Sequence

- 1. Start at left post and T-push forward to challenge shot from player (1)
- 2. Two C-cuts; then T-push lateral or shuffle to right post for shot from player (2)
- 3. Out and challenge (T-push forward) shot from (3): then two C-cuts; then T-push lateral or shuffle to left post for shot from (4)

(See Skating X Drill for details.)

- Fast feet
- Bring hands to puck for leg saves
- Recovery to stance and move to next shot simultaneously
- Lead with stick to shot lane
- Skill and conditioning





Y Drill and Controlled Deke

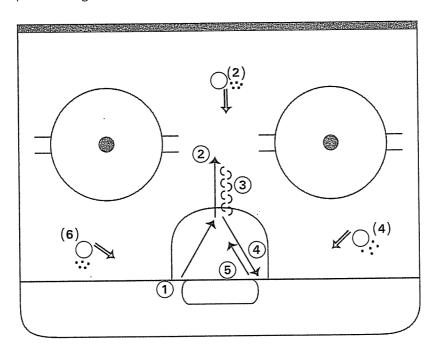
Left and right twice

Sequence

- 1. Start at left post, forward T-push to slot, and stop
- 2. Stop shot from player (2); then recover to stance
- 3. Backward two—C-cut thrust (shuffle or T-push) to right post
- Quick low shot from player
 (4)
- 5. Repeat from right post;same: finish with player shot(6)

(See Skating Y Drill for details.)

- Fast feet
- Gap control to cover net on "deke"
- Use butterfly, half butterfly, or 2-pad slide to post





Z Drill with Butterfly Saves

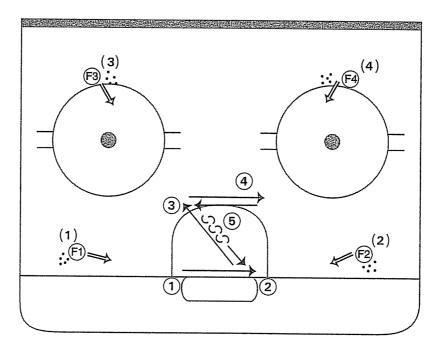
Sequence

- 1. Shot at left post (stand-up) from player F1 at (1)
- 2. Shuffle to right post (standup) for shot from player F2 at (2)
- 3. Z Drill; diagonal for challenge from F3 for shot (3)
- 4. Shuffle right for shot from F4 at (4)
- 5. Shuffle left for shot from F3 at (3)
- 6. Repeat sequence starting at right post

(See Skating Z Drill for details.)

- At-post net coverage
- Feet on post
- Use T-slide or shuffle from post to post
- Shots at post are from below circle





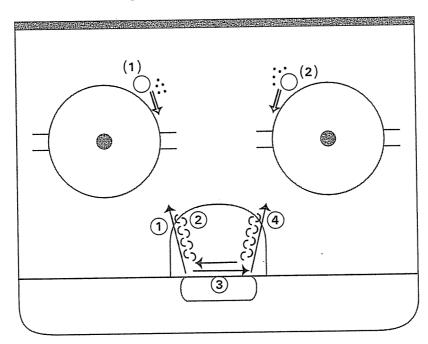
Shuffle Drill with Stick Saves

8-puck drill—4 pucks each at (1) and (2)

Sequence

- 1. Start at left post, out and stop; shot from player at (1) for stick save
- 2. Backward to same post
- 3. Shuffle to right post
- 4. Out and challenge shot from (2); then backward to same post
- 5. Continue and repeat

- Post-to-post lateral movement
- Stick-save control
- Tracking





Straight Shuffle with Mixed Saves

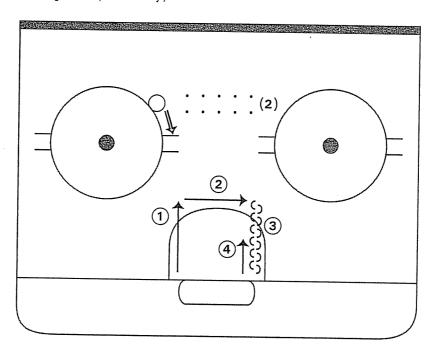
10-puck drill—5 pucks each way

Sequence

- 1. Out, stop to challenge shooter
- Short/quick shuffle of legs to close 5-hole (fast feet), with 5 quick shots from player
 Shots are quick and follow lateral motion of goalie (5 pucks each way)
- 4. Repeat to challenge with same shuffle and shot sequence (other way)

- Shuffle short, lateral steps
- Maintain positioning at top of crease or out farther
- Use variety of save skills
- Quickness





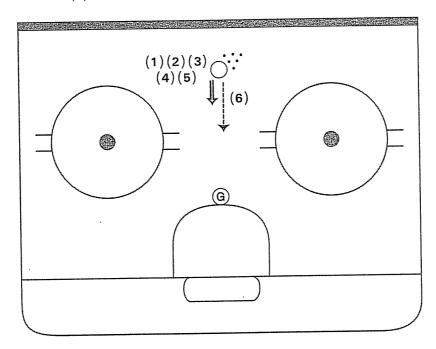
Pretzel Drill

6-puck drill

Sequence

- 1. On back; up; shot (1)
- 2. On belly; up; shot (2)
- 3. Butterfly; up; shot (3)
- 4. Half butterfly (left leg); up; shot (4)
- 5. Half butterfly (right leg); up; shot (5)
- 6. Deke (6)

- Recoveries to stance, then shot
- Maintain top of crease during recovery
- Recovery facing puck
- Conditioning





Blocker and Trapper

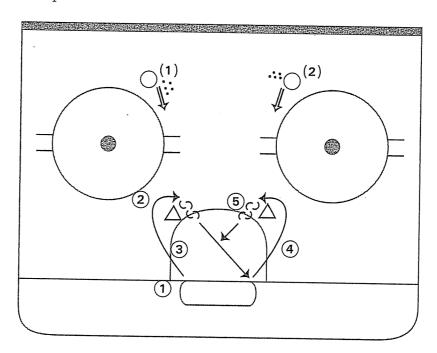
Left, then right

Sequences

- 1. Start at post out and transition around pylon
- 2. Gain position for shot (1) (high to far side)
- 3. Return (use two C-cuts and then shuffle or T-glide) to opposite post
- 4. Out, transition, shot (2) (high to far side)
- 5. Return to opposite and repeat

- Foot speed and agility
- Watch puck to gloves
- Hands steady during skating
- High shot to far side for blocker or trapper save skill





Low-High Wraparound

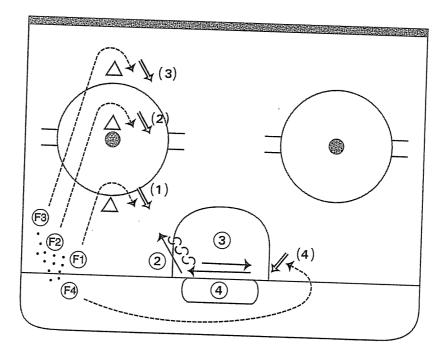
1 minute

Sequence

- 1. Rapid-succession shots by players F1 (1); then F2 (2) and F3 for shot (3)
- 2. Shots from cycle in corners—quick release pivoting around pylon with goalie out to challenge
- 3. Goalie returns to post for wraparound from F4 (4)
- 4. Goalie recovers for repeat from same side
- 5. Continuous/repeat other side

- Track, maintaining short-side post of shot lane
- Timing for shooters after wraparound
- Use of paddle down and pursue puck with stick blade





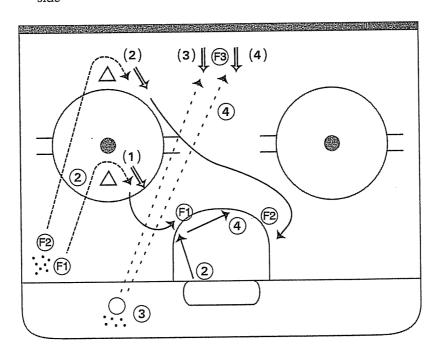
Two Shot/Two Tip

1 minute

Sequence

- 1. Rapid succession
- 2. Shots from F1 and F2 out of corners with shots (1), (2)
- 3. Next player in line then passes to point F3
- 4. Long shots by F3 (3), (4) with deflect, screen, and rebounds played by F1 and F2, who have moved to front of net
- 5. Goalie recovers for repeat
- 6. Continuous/repeat other side

- Recoveries
- Track off-puck players
- Rebound control
- Low-to-high tracking from short side





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1 minute

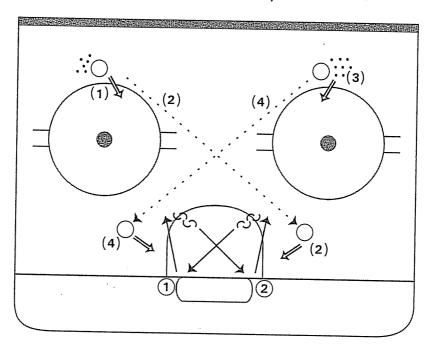
Sequence

- 1. Out from left post, stop and make save (1), read pass (2) for stack-pad (or butterfly) save
- 2. Up and out from right post to challenge shot (3); then read pass-shot (4) for stack-pass (or butterfly) save

- Time to recover for new shot
- Recoveries to face new shooter
- Off-puck player awareness
- Stack pad (or butterfly) is square to shot and to the shot lane
- shot lane

 Alternate stack-pad and butterfly save
- Play-action X Drill





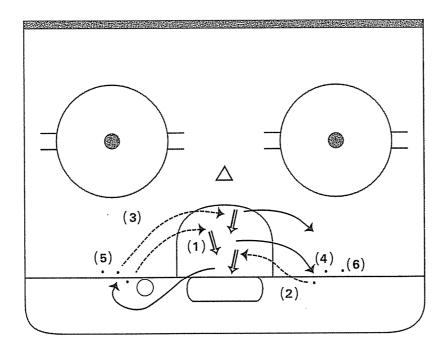
Walkout/Lateral Drive

6 pucks

Sequence

- 1. 3 pucks each side and stick length away
- 2. Alternate sides and same shooter
- 3. Gain net (no higher than pylon) for lateral drive for shots (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), and (6)

- Butterfly skills
- Poke-check skills
- Paddle down
- Aggressive puck pursuit, then to shot lane
- Recoveries





Dekes (controlled)

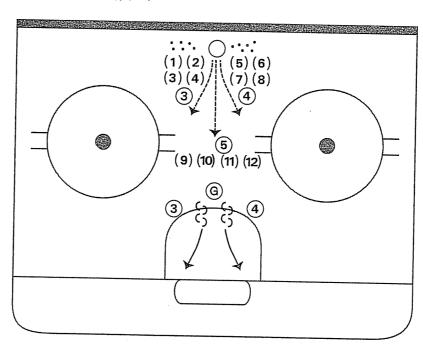
12 pucks

Sequence

- 1. Goalie out of crease (Y Drill)
- 2. Player tries to deke (not shoot) by goalie
- 3. All 4 pucks (left side) recover after each deke (1), (2), (3), (4)
- 4. Repeat—4 dekes (right side): (5), (6), (7), (8)
- 5. Repeat—4 dekes (any side): (9), (10), (11), (12)

- Gap control
- Recovery
- Compact, ready stance
- Fast feet
- Conditioning





Triple Attack and Lateral Play Action

1 minute

Sequence

- 1. Shot from wing (1) by player F1
- 2. Quick (2) shot by F2 to force goalie back (check gap control)
- 3. F2 after shot, passes (3) to F3 for deke (4)

- Off-puck player
- Edge control
- Recovery
- Lateral movement to track pass

