DAILY PRACTICE PLAN

In order to teach the necessary skills and concepts the coach must be committed to a long-term plan. Players cannot develop these skills and concepts on one practice and three games a week. The ratio needs to be reversed. Running an effective practice is one of the best ways to assist the players in their development.

PART ONE: WARM UP (5%)

Warm up – games approach or fundamental movement skills Movement prep – injury prehabilitation

PART TWO: INDIVIDUAL FUNDAMENTALS (30%)

Shooting, passing and dribble form

Dribble start/pivot foot

Dynamic one-on-one

Combination drills - dribble/pass/shoot

Defensive skills/abilities

PART THREE: BREAK DOWN OFFENCE / DEFENCE (30%)

- 1v1 Decision making
- 2v2 Game situation half-court defence/offence
- 3v3 Advantage/game situation means that there is an advantage given to the offence (i.e. three-on-two). It may be only a brief advantage before the third defender arrives.
- 2v1 Transition drill
- 3v2 Transition drill full-court defence/offence
- 3v3 Advantage

PART FOUR: HALF-COURT AND FULL-COURT (30%)

- 4v4 Break down defence/offence
- 5v5 Offensive/defensive system
- 5v5 Scrimmage

PART FIVE: (5%)

Cool down, recovery