

INTERMEDIATE GATEBALL SKILLS, DRILLS, TACTICS & STRATEGY



12. Cross Court Spark Attack

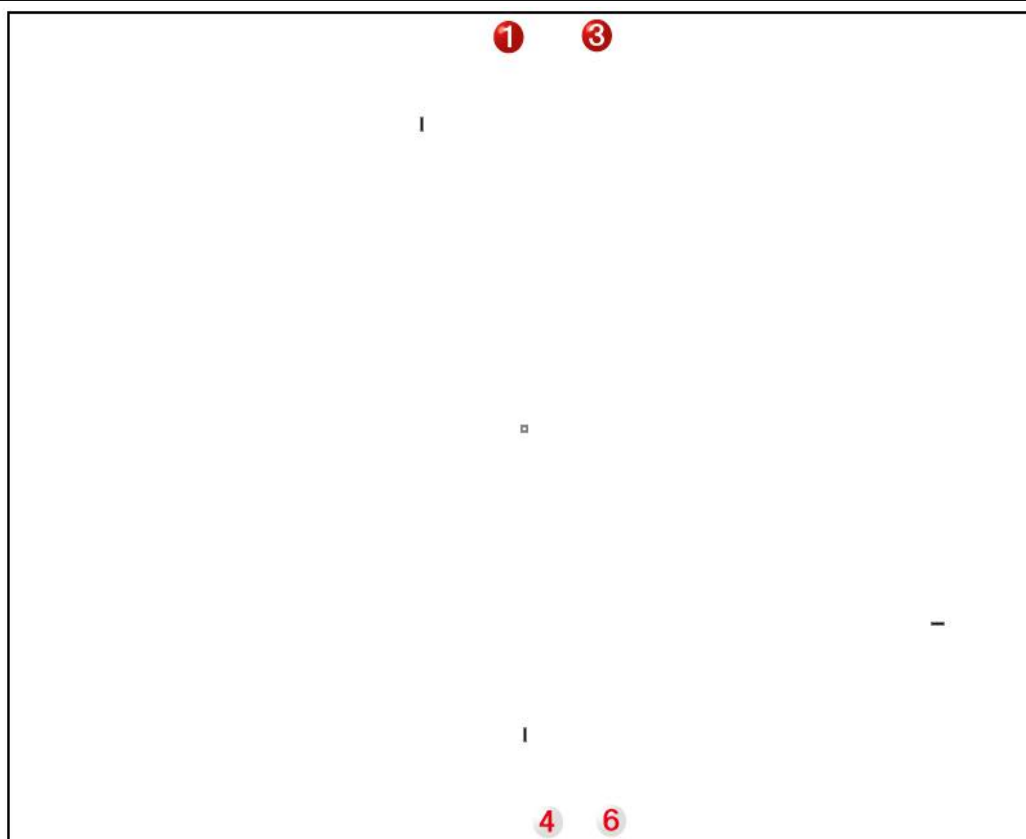
Position two balls near line 2 about 800mm apart and parallel to line 4. Balls should be about 30cm from the line.

Place two opposition balls on the opposite side of the court. Again the balls should be parallel to the line, about 30cm from the line and 80cm apart.

Stroke your first ball to touch the other ball of the same colour

Spark this ball to a position where it can attack an opposition balls on the other side of the court. Leave your own ball tight to the line.

After removing the opposition balls leave your attacking ball tight to the line in gate running position



Make it a game: 2 players enact their scenarios at the same time. Players use their sparked ball to attack their opponent's ball placed "safely" by the line

Change it: Eg, vary the position of the balls to be attacked

Strategy & Tactics practised:

Looking for gaps in numbers

Watch opposition play

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