



Wall Ball Training Program

Wall Ball Training is the absolute best way to develop stick skills and is most effective when utilized daily. However, not everyone will be able to work on their Wall Ball Routines daily and not everyone has an age appropriate/personalized wall ball routine. Therefore, Coach Reardon has provided us with weekly Wall Ball Routines for each of our competitive levels. These routines are meant to serve as a guide to help our players develop their skills as growing members of the Wolfpack Lacrosse family. In addition to routines, a Wall Ball test has also been provided. The test is designed as a goal for our developing players. If a Wolfpack player feels confident about their Wall Ball training, they will be provided with an opportunity to take the Wall Ball Test. The test is voluntary at the recreational levels. If the player completes the entire Wall Ball Test within the allotted time, he/she will EARN a "North Paulding Wall Ball T-Shirt." The Wall Ball T-Shirt can NOT be purchased, only "Earned" through hard work and dedication to the Wall. As players grow within the Wolfpack program, their routines will grow with them and they will get additional opportunities to test. If a player attempts a Wall Ball Test and does not complete it within the allotted time, they will continue to dedicate themselves to their wall ball routines and explore future opportunities to test. The North Paulding Lacrosse program is dedicated to developing our player's abilities and it all starts with stick skills. The More Time We Spend On The Wall, The Better We Will Be As Players and a Program!

Wall Ball Tips: Wall Ball training requires fundamentally sound, fast paced and purposeful repetitions. Improve your accuracy by pointing the "Butt-End" of your stick at your target and maintain proper foot positioning. Wall Ball can be played on a bounce back (rebounder). Rebounders are a great option when you do not have access to a brick or concrete wall. However, the absolute best place to play Wall Ball is on a wall (concrete or brick). The hard and uneven surface of brick/concrete tends to provide much faster ball returns with varying trajectories. This equates to improved hand/eye coordination and reaction time. Regardless of what you choose to use (brick, concrete, or a bounce back), the Wall is a tremendous training tool. Use it whenever you can, be creative whenever possible and HAVE FUN!!





Wall Ball Testing Directions

- 1. Players will test using Short Sticks Only.
- **2.** Players will only be eligible to take the test that corresponds with their current age/team level.
- **3.** Head and Hand Protection will be worn during the test. This means All Boys will wear Helmets and Gloves while All Girls will wear Goggles.
- **4.** Players may start as close as 5 yards from the wall. This is a timed test and any distance beyond this will slow the test down.
- **5.** Each test will have a limit of 5 extra balls. If a pass is dropped or misplayed, extra balls can/will be accessed to continue the test.
- **6.** The test will be timed, and players must complete each exercise/skill in order.
- **7.** Players will not move to the next exercise/skill until the required number of the current exercise/skill is reached.
- **8.** Once the timer is started, players will not be able to re-start the test.
- **9.** Players that do not finish the test in the allotted time will continue to work on their Wall Ball routines and wait until a future opportunity is offered to test.
- **10.** Players that successfully complete the Wall Ball Test within the allotted time will EARN their North Paulding Wall Ball T-Shirt!
- 11. Once a player earns a Wall Ball T-Shirt, they can start working toward the next testing level. (Refer to Rule #2 for testing eligibility).





U15 Wall Ball Routine

 $450 \text{ reps } \times 6 \text{ days} = 2700 \text{ reps/week}$

OFF HAND

- One-Hand Throw/Catch x20
- 2. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50
- 3. Canadian Cross-Face x20
- 4. Ouick Stick x50
- 5. Shovel Pass x20
- **6.** Behind the Back (BTB) x20

BOTH HANDS

7. Switch Hands/Split x50

DOMINANT HAND

- 8. One-Hand Throw/Catch x20
- 9. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50
- **10.** Canadian Cross-Face x20
- 11. Quick Stick x50
- 12. Shovel Pass x20
- 13. Behind the Back (BTB) x20

BOTH HANDS

14. Switch Hand Quick Stick x40

NEW SKILL: Shovel Pass https://voutu.be/FvNagkGozWO

U15 WALL BALL TEST

140 reps in 3.5 minutes

Off Hand:

- 1. One-Hand Throw/Catch x10
- 2. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x10
- 3. Canadian Cross Face x10
- 4. Ouick Stick x10
- 5. Shovel Pass x10
- **6.** Behind the Back (BTB) x10

Both Hands

7. Switch Hands/Split x10

Dominant Hand:

- **8.** One-Hand Throw/Catch x10
- 9. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x10
- **10.** Canadian Cross Face x10
- 11. Ouick Stick x10
- 12. Shovel Pass x10
- 13. Behind the Back (BTB) x10

Both Hands:

14. Switch Hand Quick Stick x10

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U13 Wall Ball Routine

400 reps x 5 days = 2000 reps/week

OFF HAND

- 1. One-Hand Throw/Catch x20
- 2. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50
- 3. Canadian Cross-Face x20
- 4. Ouick Stick x50
- 5. Behind the Back (BTB) x20

BOTH HANDS

6. Switch Hands/Split x50

DOMINANT HAND

- 7. One-Hand Throw/Catch x20
- **8.** Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50
- **9.** Canadian Cross-Face x20
- 10. Quick Stick x50
- 11. Behind the Back (BTB) x20

BOTH HANDS

12. Switch Hand Quick Stick x30

NEW SKILL: Switch Hand Quick Stick

https://youtu.be/ZQ9fbx4RFFs

NEW SKILL: Behind the Back (BTB)

https://youtu.be/aa2 mbIrFgE

U13 WALL BALL TEST

120 reps in 3 minutes

Off Hand:

- 1. One-Hand Throw/Catch x10
- 2. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x10
- 3. Canadian Cross-Face x10
- 4. Quick Stick x10
- **5.** Behind the Back (BTB) x10

Both Hands:

6. Switch Hands/Split x10

Dominant Hand:

- 7. One-Hand Throw/Catch x10
- 8. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x10
- **9.** Canadian Cross Face x10
- 10. Quick Stick x10
- 11. Behind the Back (BTB) x10

Both Hands:

12. Switch Hand Quick Stick x10

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UII	Wall Ball Routine
300 reps x	4 days = 1200 reps/week

OFF HAND

- 1. One-Hand Throw/Catch x15
- 2. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50
- 3. Canadian Cross-Face x20
- 4. Ouick Stick x40

BOTH HANDS

5. Switch Hands/Split x50

DOMINANT HAND

- 6. One-Hand Throw/Catch x15
- 7. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50
- **8.** Canadian Cross-Face x20
- 9. Ouick Stick x40

NEW SKILL: One-Hand Throw/Catch https://youtu.be/clVs1-XUEEs

NEW SKILL: Canadian Cross-Face https://voutu.be/seTDJEnBd6c

U11 WALL BALL TEST

100 reps in 2.5 minutes

Off Hand:

- 1. One-Hand Throw/Catch x10
- 2. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x10
- 3. Canadian Cross Face x10
- 4. Quick Stick x10

Both Hands:

5. Switch Hands/Split x20

Dominant Hand:

- **6.** One-Hand Throw/Catch x10
- 7. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x10
- **8.** Canadian Cross Face x10
- 9. Quick Stick x10

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	U9 Wall Ball Routine 200 reps x 3 days = 600 reps/week	U9 WALL BALL TEST 80 reps in 2 minutes
1.	OFF HAND Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50	Off Hand: 1. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x20
2.	Quick Stick x25 BOTH HANDS	2. Quick Stick x10
3.	Switch Hands/Split x50 DOMINANT HAND	Both Hands: 3. Switch Hands/Split x20
4. 5.	Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50 Quick Stick x25	Dominant Hand:
NEW SKILL: Quick Stick https://youtu.be/tkZ29eOGf8A NEW SKILL: Switch Hands/Split		
	https://youtu.be/4pNMAXuoG-M	Wall Ball Routine and Test Created by Coach J. Reardon





K-1 Wall Ball Routine 100 reps x 3 days = 300 reps/week	K-1 WALL BALL TEST 40 reps in 1 minute
OFF HAND	Off Hand:
1. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50	1. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x20
DOMINANT HAND	
2. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x50	Dominant Hand:
NEW SKILL: Catch 1-Cradle Throw https://youtu.be/GrWKZ0idTs0	2. Catch 1-Cradle Throw x20 Wall Ball Routine and Test Created by Coach J. Reardon