Developing the Jr High Thrower

The **GLIDE** technique

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My Coaching Rewards

Over 30 years coaching experience

Multiple Conference Champions

Multiple State Meet Qualifiers

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Multiple National Meet Qualifiers

A few All Americans

Just recently, former thrower **Nik Curtiss**, a Tiffin University Thrower and now an Iowa Hawkeye, qualified and threw in the 2021 Olympic Trials

Where did I get my information?

I Learned from the BEST

Doug Henwood - Lancaster RIP
Terry Oehrtman - Lancaster
Bill Nutt - Newark
Greg Jones - Logan
Kurt Roberts - Ashland
Jim Robinson - Logan
Mike Casapini - Zanesville
Jud Logan 'The Light Giver' - Ashland RIP
....And so many other fellow coaches all around Ohio

Online- JY Throws
- Primal Throws- Elite Throws Coaching

The Glide Technique

The Teaching Progression

The GRIP

The RELEASE

The NECK PLACEMENT

The POWER POSITION

The FULL GLIDE

BREAK IT DOWN in DRILLS

The **GRIP**





The **RELEASE**

....the **FLICK**, thumb down

Drill - SLAMS, Front Neck Releases

The **Neck Placement**

GLIDE



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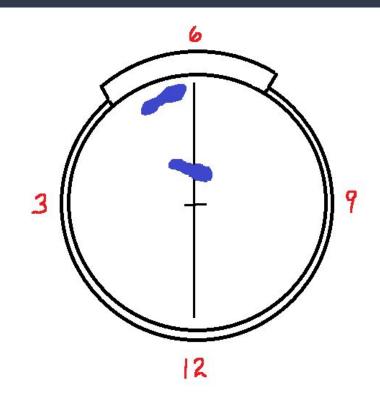


The **POWER POSITION**

At the TOE BOARD- Feet placement



"TOE, KNEE, HIP, SLAP, PULL, PUNCH"



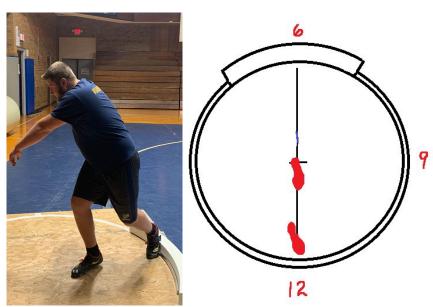
The FULL GLIDE

Working from 12 to 6

Start



Front



FINISH- "TOE, KNEE, HIP, SLAP, PULL, PUNCH"
The Flick

BREAK IT DOWN

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DRILLS-
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Front Power Position - Toes Front - little hip pop n release

- Half Powers - more hip pop n release

- Full Power - Load in up n Throw

"Toe Knee Hip Slap Pull Punch" FLICK

Big Steps -

Left Leg Right Leg - A to Bs

Fence -

Partner -

Another Option - Back In and Throw- Right Left Throw

QUESTIONS/ANSWERS

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THANK YOU!

** Make it Fun- target practice, trash can...