

SIXTY AND SIX

BASKETBALL BREVITIES
With
Helpful Hints to Heed Hereafter.

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(As Interpreted by the Downtown Quarterbacks)

1. Keenly observe your surroundings.
2. Develop a good memory.
3. Don't bat balls under your defensive basket. Catch them.
4. Don't dribble against a rough team. Pass and cut.
5. Don't dribble closer than six feet to the side or end lines.
6. Keep your shoulders back but your eyes down when passing the ball.
7. Always pivot toward your own side line. Pass out.
8. Bend your knees before you start your dribble.
9. Never eat candy between meals.
10. Never try to dribble thru two opponents. Stop and pivot.
11. Never pass into a congested area.
12. Drag your dribble when confronted by a dangerous opponent.
13. Use successful plays again and again.
14. When fatigued or far ahead in the score use set plays.
15. Manoeuvre to stay in best position on the floor.
16. Watch for opportunity to use trick plays.
17. Be a good actor. Use legitimate deception.
18. If ahead in score take no hurried or exceptionally long shots.
19. Possession is nine-tenths in basketball, as in law.
20. Be confident of your ability to retain possession of the ball. Be a trifle cocky.
21. Cockiness plus poor fundamentals insures you a permanent place on the bench.
22. When defense masses under basket, pass out and shoot high looping shot.