



2010 Summer Short Game Series

Pitching

Setup

- Same grip for all shots
- Good posture
 - Arms hanging naturally from shoulders
 - Bent forward at 25-30 degree angle
- Feet close together and slightly open
- Hands ahead of the clubhead

Alignment

- Clubface aligned at the target
- Feet parallel left of the target
- Feet slightly open

Swing

- Backswing
 - Keep lower body still, restrict the amount of turn
 - Head stays still over the ball
 - Left shoulder starts to turn under the chin
- Downswing
 - Head is still over the ball
 - Weight begins to move completely to the left side
 - Turn right shoulder under chin
 - Belt buckle pointing at target

Distance Control

- Change the speed of the swing
- Change the grip position (length of the shaft)
- Change the club (Pitching, Gap, Sand or Lob)
- Become comfortable with a swing and manipulate the variables

Club Selection

- Carry 1 high bounce and 1 low bounce wedge in your bag
- Tight lies, hardpan and compact or hard sand = low bounce wedge
- Normal lies, rough or fluffy sand = high bounce wedge