

555 Faults & Fixes

‘PERFORMANCE EXCELLENCE’

ARMED WITH THE TOOLS

Your ‘555 Team’ approach to **‘Faults & Fixes’** is both very simple and highly predictable. Those are both good things in ‘Golf’ and ‘Life’!

You know that we strive to understand ‘Scientific Realities’ such as **‘The Physics Of Rotation’** and **‘The Geometry Of The Circle’**. This material always applies.

There are aspects and elements that are ‘Consistent’ to every swing universally. **‘The 555 System’** includes a very comprehensive application and foundation of these.

Whenever we come up against a ‘Fault’, the ‘Fix’ relies upon our knowledge of **‘The 5 SET-UPS’**, **‘The 5 ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS’** and **‘The Five 555 CONCEPTS’** which we call the **‘Problem Solvers’**. Sounds like these three groups of five might be worthwhile noting as we get into yet another ‘Faults & Fixes’. Here they are!

‘The 5 SET-UPS’ ...

1) ‘Posture’, **2)** ‘Grip’, **3)** ‘Stance’, **4)** ‘Ball Location’ and **5)** ‘Alignment’.

‘The 5 ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS’ ...

1) ‘Clubface AIM’, **2)** ‘Clubhead PATH’, **3)** ‘Clubhead SPEED’, **4)** ‘Sweet Spot’ and **5)** ‘Angle Of Attack’.

‘The FIVE 555 PROBLEM SOLVING CONCEPTS’ ...

1) ‘The Golfing Machine Concept’, **2)** ‘The Tether Ball Pole Concept’, **3)** ‘The Balsa Airplane Concept’, **4)** ‘The Human Ratchet Set Concept’ and **5)** ‘The Dead Rope Concept’.

Equipped with these **‘Three Groups Of Five’**, we can tackle any **‘Mechanical Golf Issue’** that arises in a logical and realistic manner. **‘Faults & Fixes’** will become second nature.

“Welcome Aboard!”

“Enjoy The Ride!”

POOR WIND PLAY

The wind is made up of 'Fluid Substance' not unlike the river that you have observed slipping by in front of you. It is quite uniform but may seem very spontaneous and a little unorganized or unpredictable. It is!

But the more you know about its behaviour, the more manageable it becomes.

The 'Wind' is either blowing or not!

The 'Wind Direction' is either '**Down Wind**', '**Up Wind**' or '**Cross Wind**'. It can 'Quarter' somewhat, which means it is blowing horizontally or diagonally across your 'Target Line' or in that fashion through your world.

It is either blowing hard or not so hard. That is about the entire spectrum.

Once we understand its behaviour, what do we do about it? Do we counteract and oppose it or go with the flow?

If we have a '**Right Wind Crossing Our Target Line At 90 Degrees**' and we want to launch our 'Golf Ball' straight down the middle of the fairway, we must 'Apply Cut or Side Spin Rate' to the 'Ball' that opposes or counteracts the prevailing wind. In this case, if you are a 'Right Hander', you will have to 'Create Fade Side Spin Rate'. This is the '**Cut or Spin Rate Method**'.

Alternately, we can do what your '555 TEAM' refers to as '**FEED THE WIND**'.

In this manner, you can or will hit a '**Straight Ball Flight**' towards the right side of the fairway, plan for and allow the air mass to 'Carry The Ball' back on line to the 'Target'. This is the '**Drift Method**'.

When we must '**Adjust For Head or Tail Wind**', the base line task is to know its 'Direction & Velocity'. The primary task is then '**Club Selection**'. Remember, a 'Tail Wind Ball' does not want to stop. A 'Head Wind Ball' loves to!

Simple enough?

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