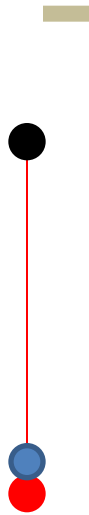


A good shot when your ball is in contact with another ball is the bombard. This may happen when your opponent tries to put his/her ball in front of your ball to block but hits it too hard and the two balls rest in contact.



Use the bombard when the centers of the two balls in contact are aligned in a straight line aimed at your opponent's ball in scoring position. For this shot, you will hit your ball with either no or some follow through. As long as the balls are aligned properly, just hit straight into the center line of both balls. The other ball will head straight into your opponent's ball and knock it out of position to score!

In the diagram, you are playing red. You want blue to bombard into black, which in turn will knock both blue and black out of scoring position. You hope red will stop in scoring position.

Note: If the center line of the balls in contact is slightly off line with the target ball, you can hit into your ball at a slight angle and cause the ball to "draw" toward the target ball. Ask the great Jeff Soo for help on creating "draw" on your ball. It's very easy.