Appendix 25.1. Having Fun with Insider Lingo

Share the following paragraphs with your students and have them guess which sport or activity is being described as well as the meaning of the words included in the paragraph.

1. You got me square down line but I’ll be first to and push her right. We need to watch offsides and be first to. PKs can be good but even better is to win it in the air. When there’s a man on, watch offsides and stay touch tight. Have a good step and get a through ball not an over the top.

2. Go to the barre, and start in fifth with arms en bas. Then, port de bras and demi plié twice and then grande with a port de bras. Rond de jambe en dehors à terre and demi plié. From the back, repeat. Demi, demi, grande with port de bras. Then rond de jambe en dedans à terre. Demi plié and one slow tendu en croix.

3. If your man that you’re shutting down dishes me rock, then slide to the help line and find your helpside triangle. Get your hand in the passing lane, and if your man cuts, then switch hands and stay between him and the hoop. If the ball is passed to him, then close out with hands high and chop your feet. If the ball is shot, yell, “shot!” and turn and drive him back. Box out until the ball is rebounded.

4. It’s third and long. Make sure your route reaches the sticks and you get your feet down. It’ll be coming in hot once you break out of your route, so look alive. Make sure they know field goal is hot.

5. For this piece, use the 8- and 4-foot diapasons with the Nazard 2 2/3 mutation and great 4-rank furniture. In addition, couple the 16-foot bassoon from the swell to the pedal with the 16-foot bourdon and 8-foot principal. Use the 8-foot Cremona on the chair accompanied by the swell viox celeste and spitzgambe using piston 1. Keep the swell shut, but slowly open the division after 4 bars. Be careful of the cipher with the geigen 4-foot on the swell.

6. Start in a back stance and move forward using a double knife and strike. Then, do a low-high roundhouse kick and a spinning hurricane in the other direction. Kiyup and repeat using the opposite side.

Answers:

1. Soccer
2. Ballet
3. Basketball
4. Lacrosse
5. Music: Organ playing
6. Martial arts

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