BIRD DOG

MOVEMENT

- Kneel on the floor with hands firmly placed about shoulder width apart.
 - Point right arm out straight in front of body, parallel to the ear, and hold for 5 seconds.
 - Return hand to floor.
 - Point left arm out straight in front of body, parallel to the ear, and hold for 5 seconds.
 - Return hand to floor.
 - Brace the abdominals, extend right leg off the ground, and hold for 5 seconds.
 - Don't move hips or weight to left leg.
 - Brace the abdominals, extend left leg off the ground, and hold for 5 seconds.
 - Don't move hips or weight to right leg.
 - During all movements players maintain a flat back (bridge).

ADVANCED

Have players lift a single arm or leg and move it in slow controlled movements across the body and out to the side.



6U/8U - CORE & BACK **BIRD** DOG PROUD PARTNERS IN HOCKEY