# **Plain Minor Methods**

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# Moving on beyond Plain Bob Minor

St Clement's Bob Single Oxford Bob Single Court

# What were you hoping to learn?

No one can learn it for you v Just going and learning it isn't enough!

## What does each method have to teach us?

Lead structure and Place bells

What to learn with new methods - not how

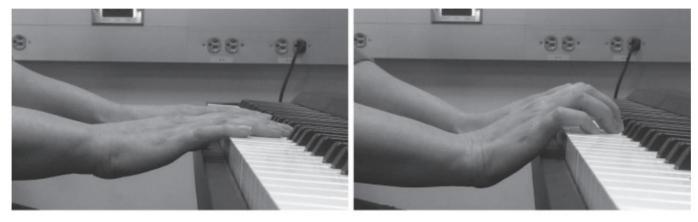
**Place notation** 

Plain bob lead ends

Plain Bob Bobs

nods - not how Do thave to remember Do that to ring it i.i.i. all this to ring

Converting 2nds place methods to 6th place equivalents





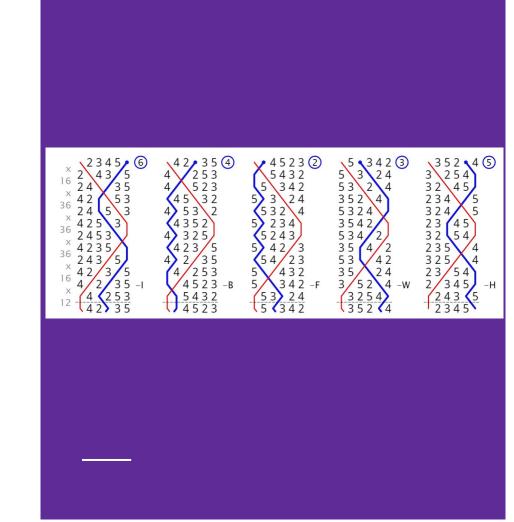






# St Clement's "College" Bob

The "Blue Line" in chopped into "leads"



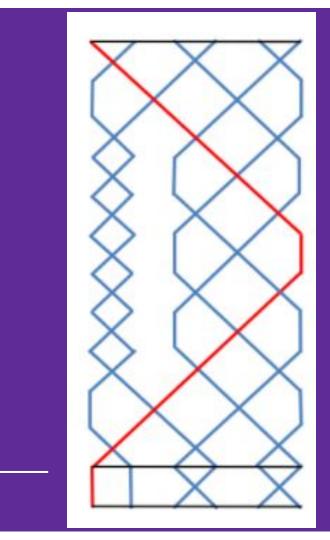
# St Clement's structure (grid)

"College"

- 2 bells on the front dodging. -
- -1,2,3
- one + half lead + one
- striking

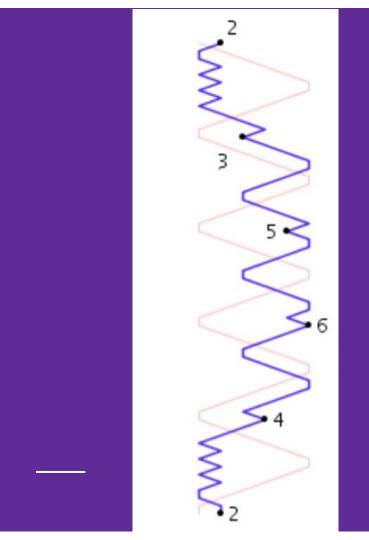
4 bells hunting behind making 3 lots of thirds - ropesight

2nds place method - just like plain bob

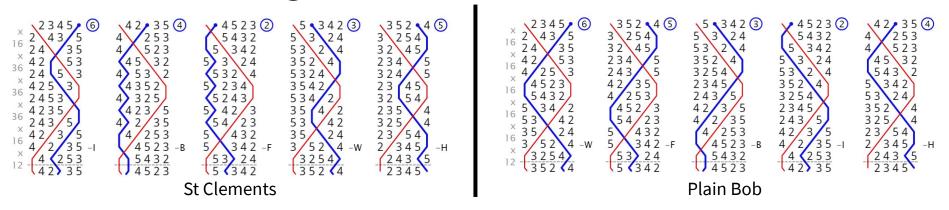


# St Clement's whole course

Dodges come in the opposite order to plain bob



### **Treble Passing Positions**



Treble in 5-6 - dodge 3-4 down Treble in 4-5 - dodge 5-6 down

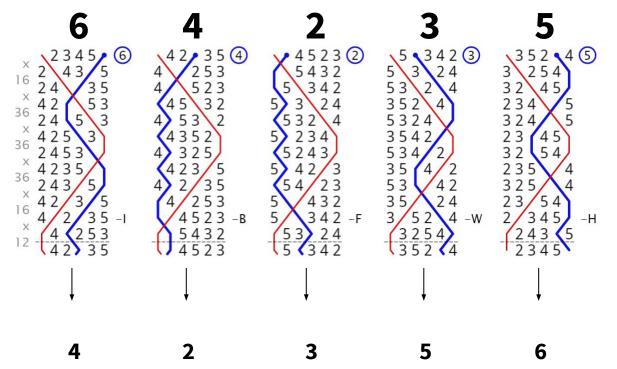
Treble in 3-4 - dodge 5-6 up

Treble in 2-3 - dodge 3-4 up

Treble in 1-2 - make 2nds

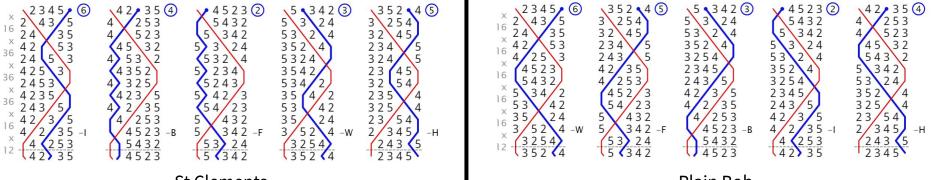
## Learning Place Bells

Let's walk through



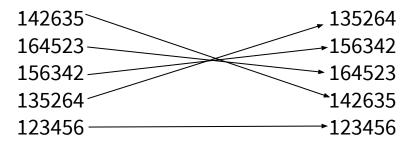
A new way of understanding methods that saves LOADS of effort!

#### Plain Bob Lead Ends = A Regular Method



St Clements

Plain Bob



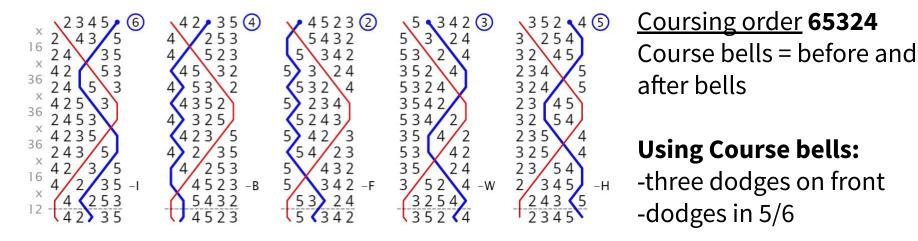
### Plain Bob Lead Ends = A Regular Method

St Clements Plain Bob Single Oxford Single Court Double Oxford Little Bob Cambridge Primrose Ipswich Norfolk Bourne Hull London

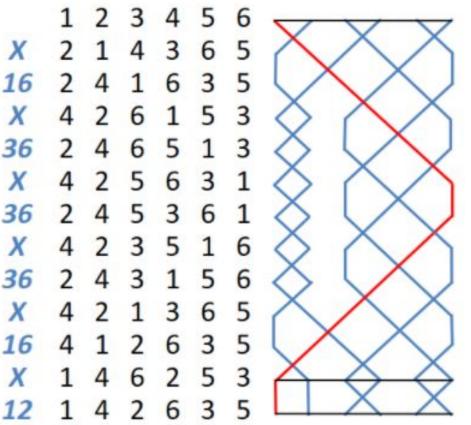
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#### **Regular Methods have the familiar coursing order**



## **Place Notation**



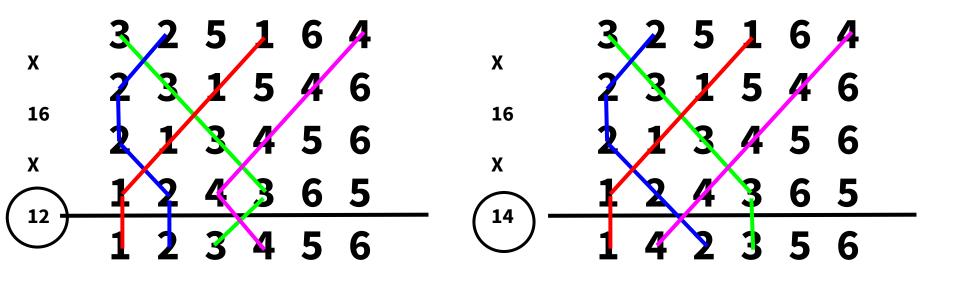
x 16 x 36 x 36 x 36 x 16 x 12

x 16 x 36 x 36, 12

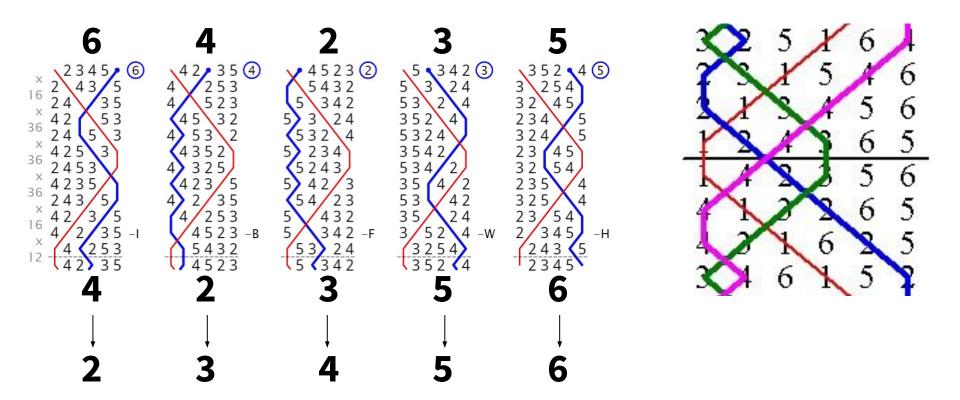
x 1 x 3 x 3, 2

<u>2nds place method</u> = le 12

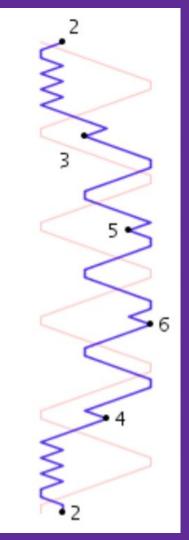
#### Plain Bob Bobs - 14 lead end instead of 12



### **Plain Bob Bobs**



# St Clement's Putting it all together



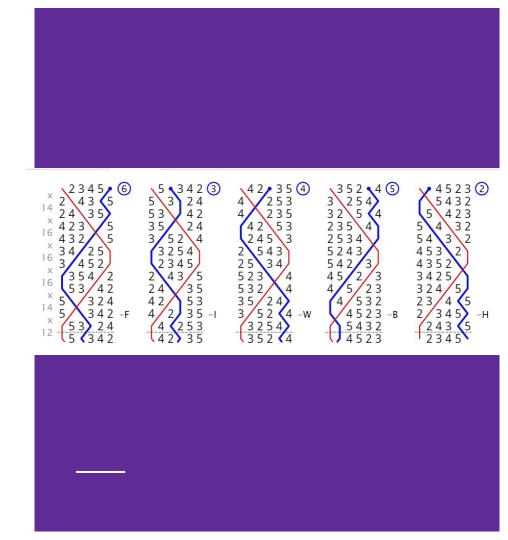
# Questions about St Clement's?

(Leads, place notation, place bells etc)



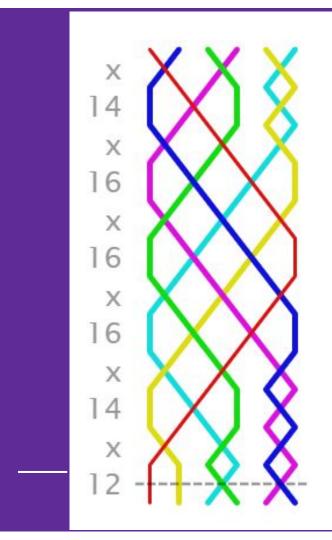
# Single Oxford Bob

Careful with the word Oxford!!



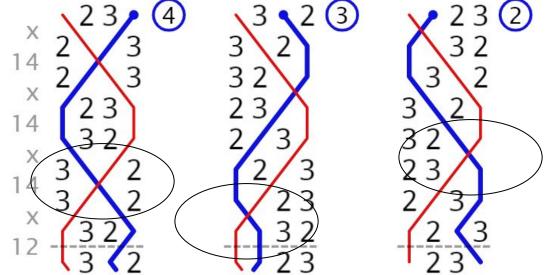
# Single Oxford Bob Structure

Hunting below 4ths place around the lead end Then hunting on 6 Then hunting below 4ths place With a seconds place lead end



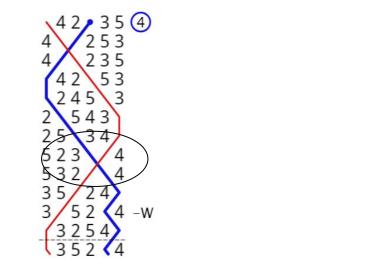
# RULES to ring Single Oxford by the treble

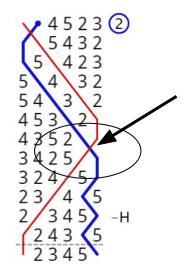
Ring Bob Minimus if you hunt up and pass the treble 1/2 or 2/3 or 3/4



# RULES to ring Single Oxford by the treble

If you don't meet the treble 1/2 or 2/3 or 3/4 - you want to dodge on the back



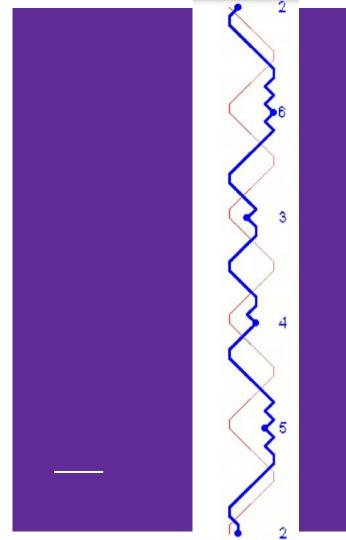


# RULES to ring Single Oxford by the treble

Dodging at the back"

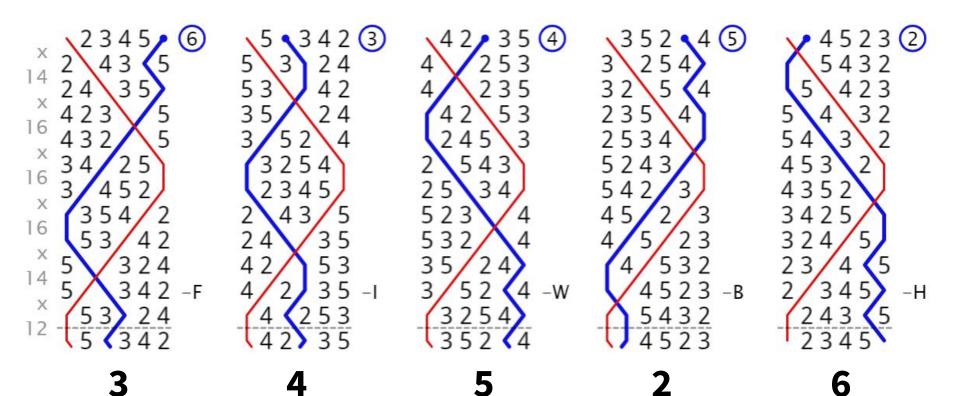
But how many?

"Dodge" + "Lead end Dodge" + "Start with a Dodge"

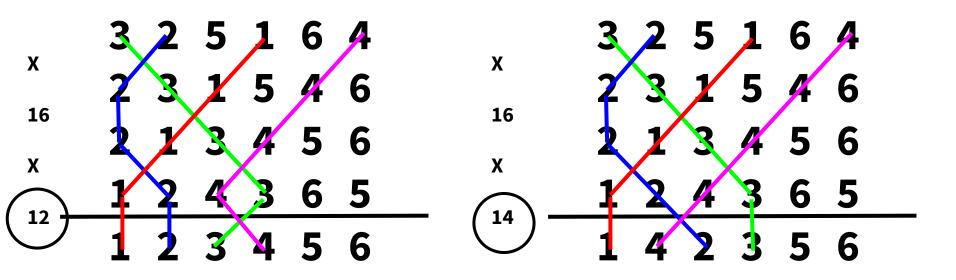


## Using the "Rules" to ring Single Oxford

Let's walk through



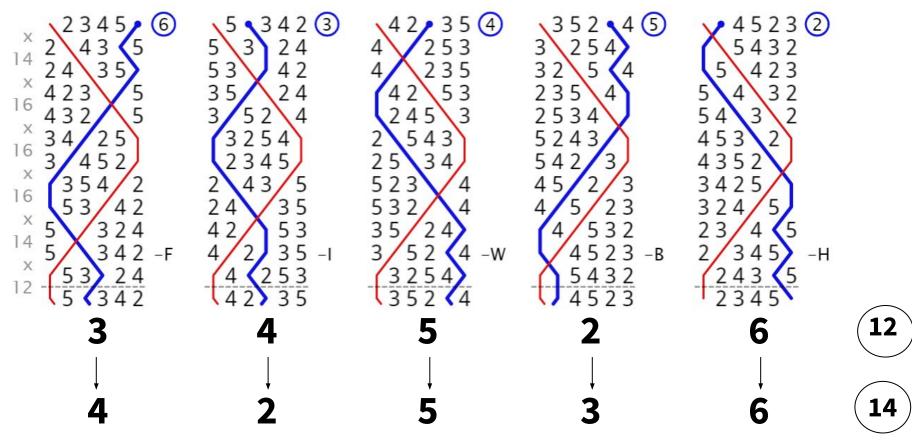
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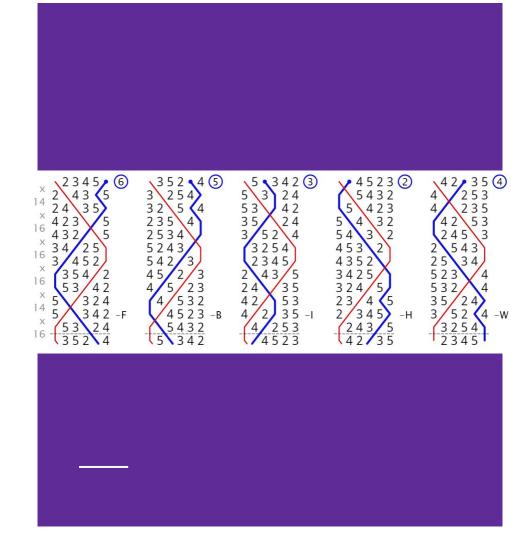
## A touch of Single Oxford

Let's walk through

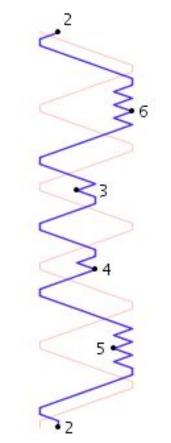


# Single Court

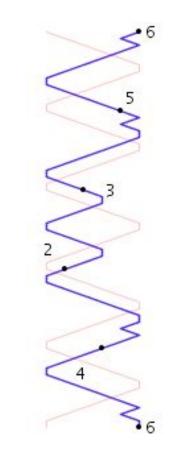
Without learning it!!



#### Single Oxford



#### Single Court

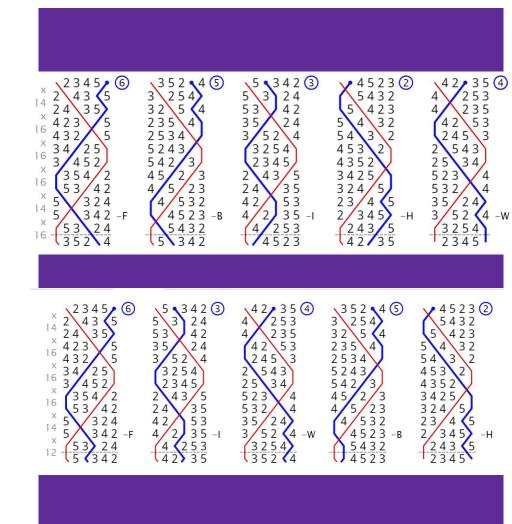


Differences

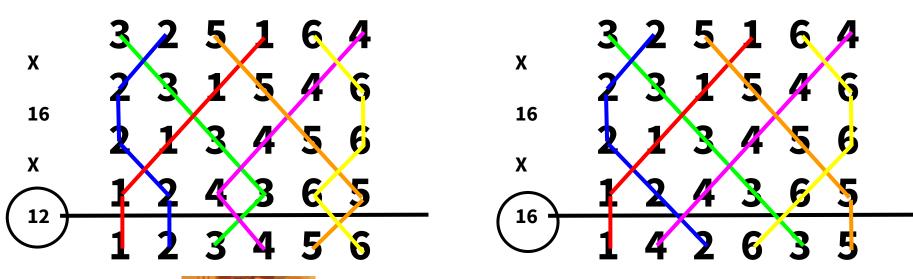
# Single Court

Similarities

# Single Oxford



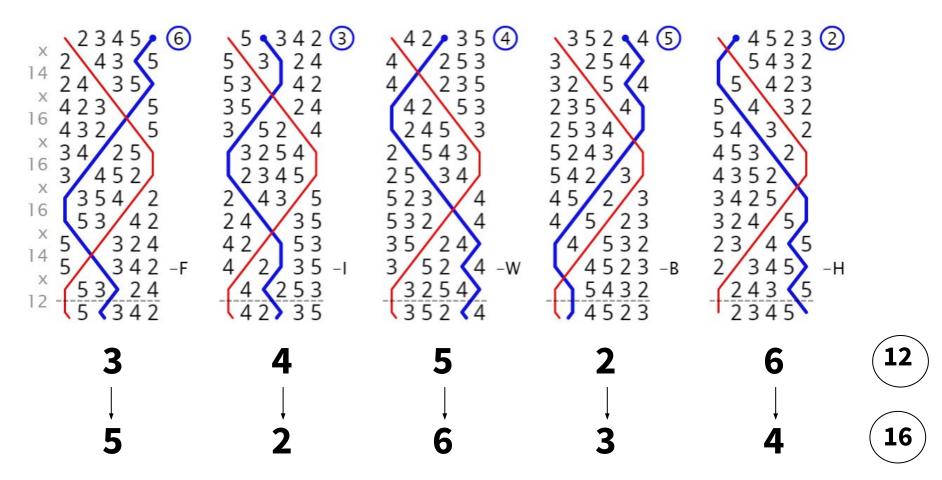
#### Sixth place lead end - 16 lead end instead of 12





"Just plain hunt the lead end"

## Let's Generate Single Court from Single Oxford



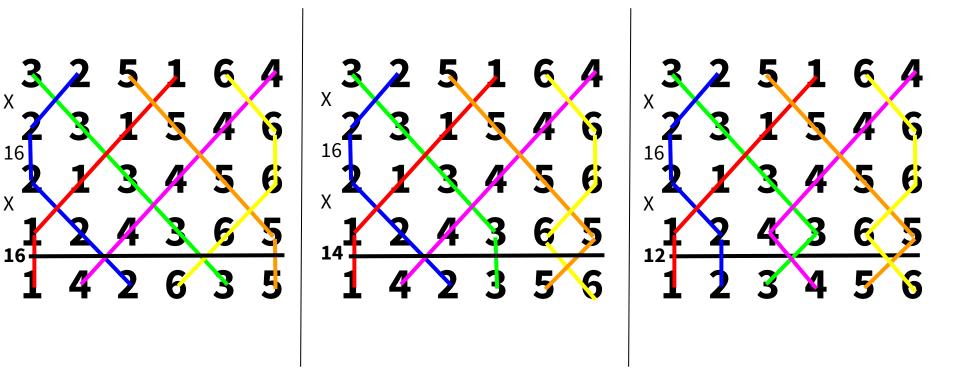
# Single Court Bobs are Single Oxford Bobs are....Plain Bob Bobs

#### x 14 x 16 x 16 x 16 x 14 x **12** (Single Oxford)

x 14 x 16 <u>x</u> 16 x 16 x 14 x **14** (Bob)

x 14 x 16 x 16 x 16 x 14 x **16** (Single Court)

#### Plain Bob Bobs - 14 lead end instead of 16 or 12



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Questions about Single Oxford/Single Court -Converting 2nds to 6th place methods