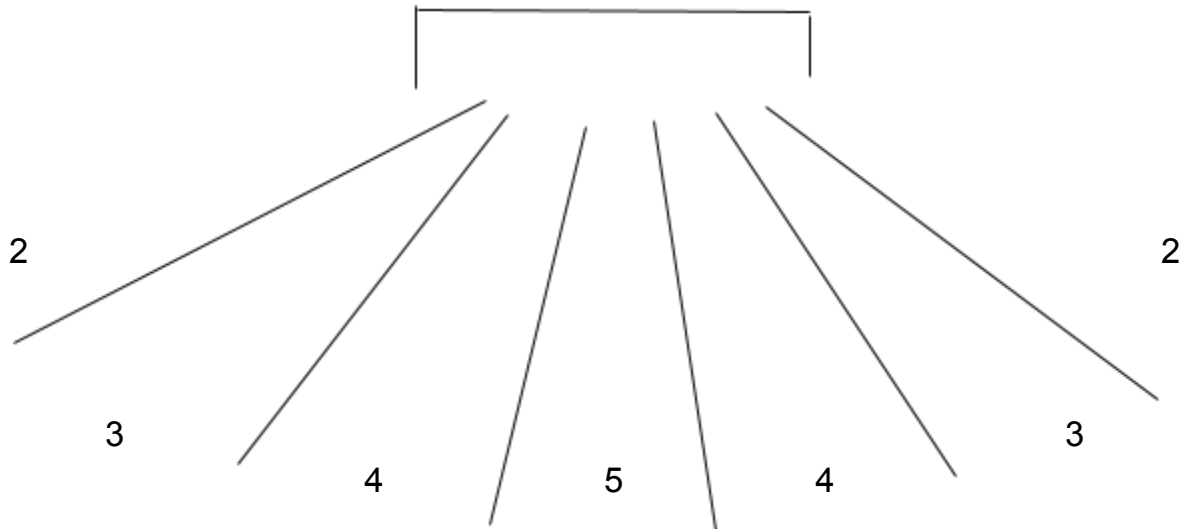
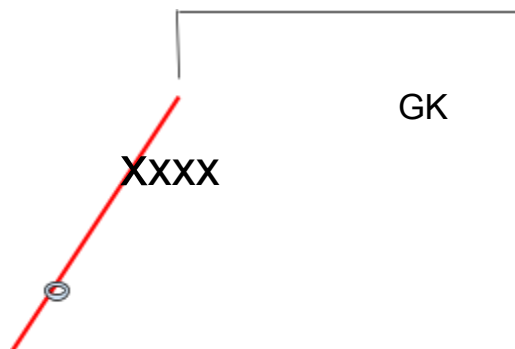


## BASIC TIPS TO SETTING UP A WALL

- 1) HOW MANY PLAYERS?- This is determined by the location of the free kick. See the diagram below for a general rule of thumb.



- 2) Your tallest player should line up taking away the NEAR post hit, gradually going down in height.
- 3) Line up the NEAR post player so they are even with/overlapping the near post. If you were to draw a line from the ball to the near post, this player should be straddling the line. See diagram below.
- 4) Players in the wall should protect themselves from driven balls and should NEVER jump! Stay solid and together. Your goal is to block the shot!



- 5) Goalkeepers should be trained to call out how many players in the wall and players should line up immediately about 5 yards away. Let the ref march off the 10 yards. Avoid standing right on the ball so the ref is not tempted to card for encroachment.