

# Pick off at 1st

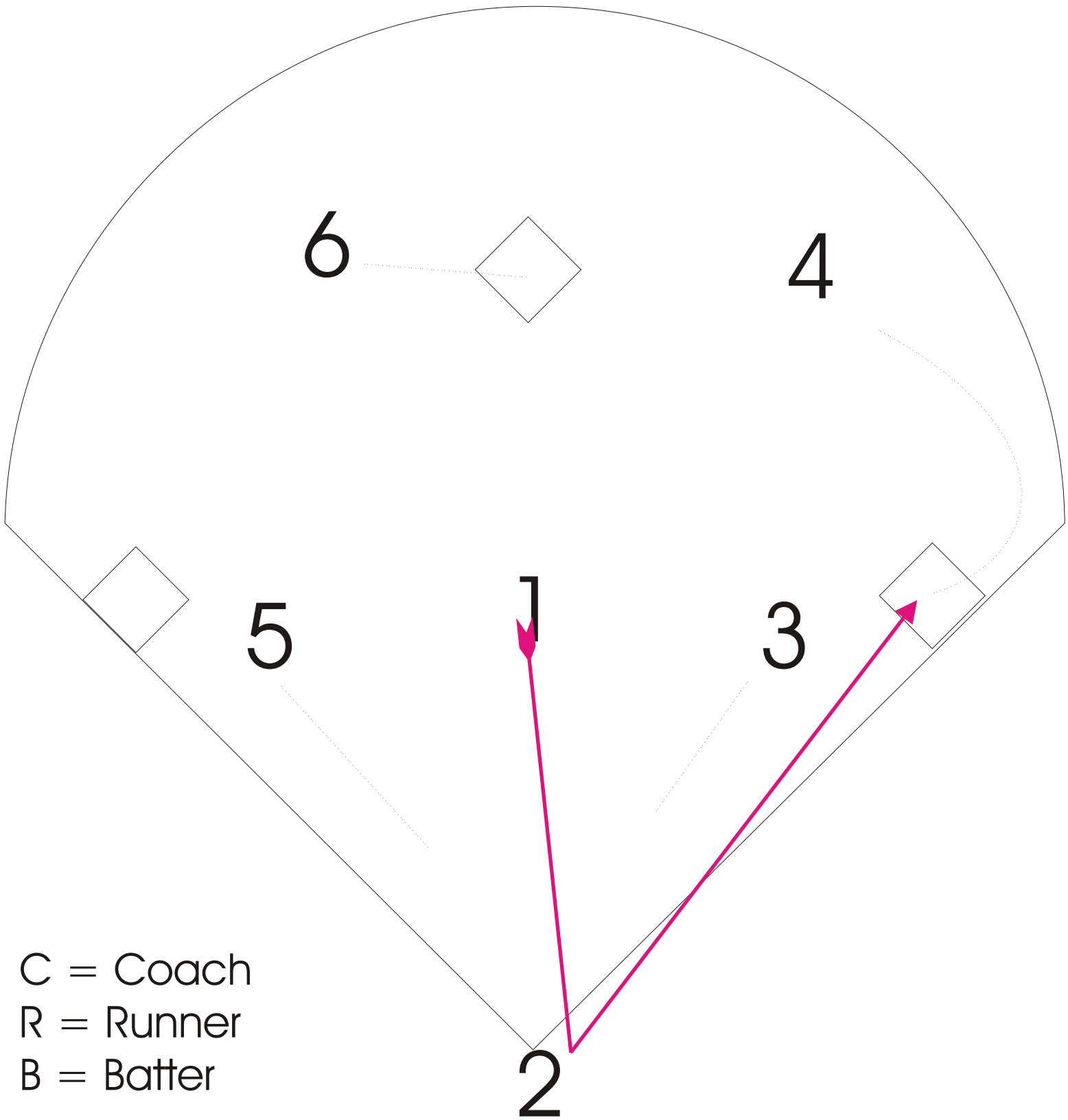
## Position

## Responsibility

1. Pitcher pitches a pitchout. A pitchout is a ball outside of the strike zone that is unhittable because the infield will be out of position.
2. Catcher catches the ball, turns with quick feet, determines whether the runner is off the base or stealing, and throws the ball to the pickoff target.
3. First baseperson charges home to draw attention to herself.
4. Second baseperson plays closer to 1st base, sneaks to the foul line, and comes to first base down the chalk line to catch the ball from the catcher.
5. Third baseperson charges home to draw attention to herself.
6. Short stop goes to second base.
7. Left fielder goes to third and then to a back up position at third when the third baseperson goes to the bag.
8. Center fielder goes to a backup position for a possible throw from the first baseperson.
9. Right fielder moves to the foul line then in to back up the throw to first.

The bench **“YELLS”** if the runner is going.

## Subs



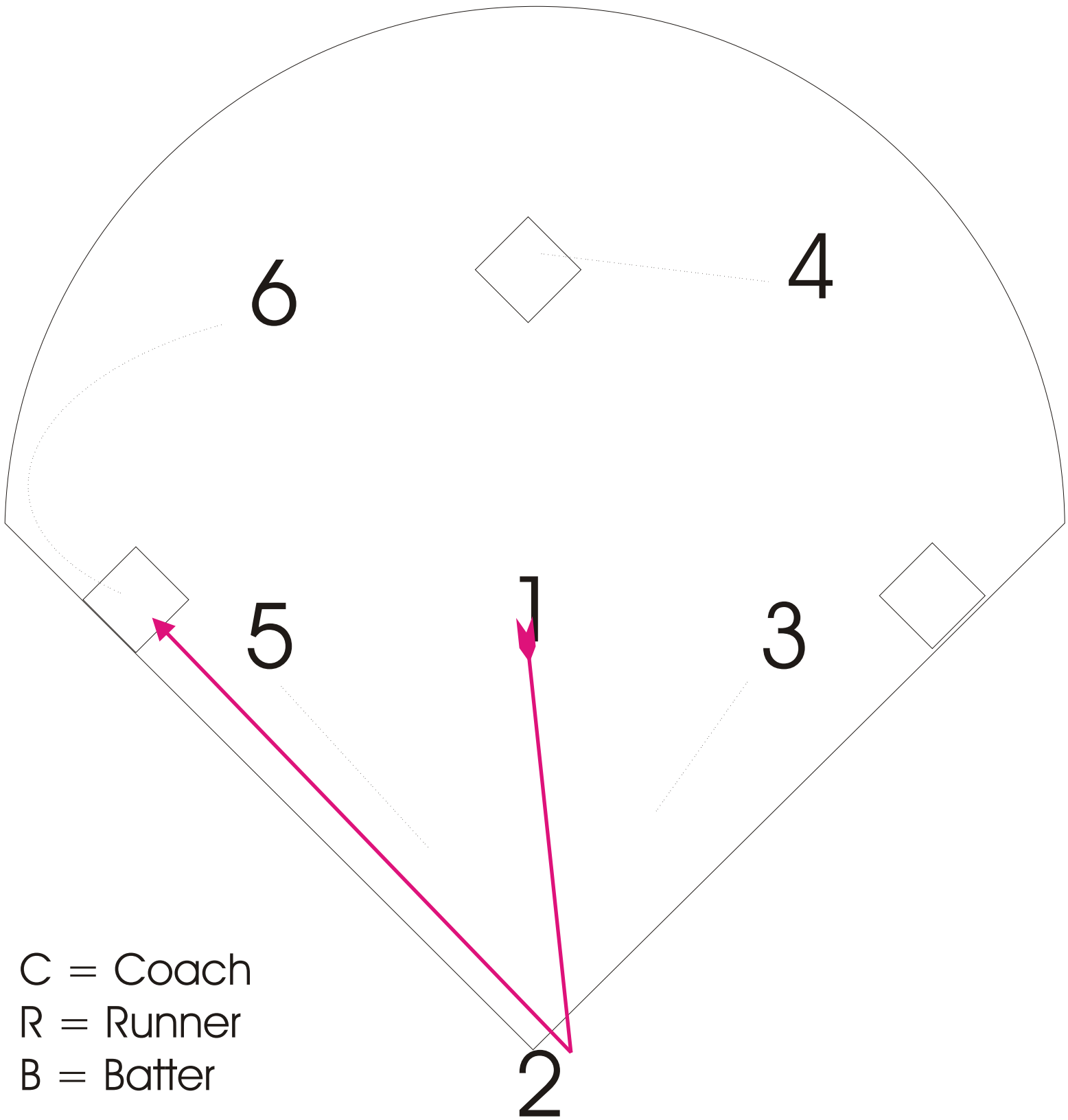
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# Pick off at 3rd

## Position

## Responsibility

1. Pitcher pitches a pitchout. A pitchout is a ball outside of the strike zone that is unhittable because the infield will be out of position.
  2. Catcher sets up deeper in the box to be able to throw behind the batter. She catches the ball, turns with quick feet, and throws the ball to the pickoff target.
  3. First baseperson charges home to draw attention to herself.
  4. Second baseperson goes to second if there is a runner on first base.
  5. Third baseperson charges home to draw attention to herself.
  6. The short stop plays closer to 3rd base, sneaks to the foul line, and comes to third base down the chalk line to catch the ball from the catcher.
  7. Left fielder moves to the foul line then in to back up the throw to third.
  8. Center fielder goes to help out the left fielder unless there is a runner on first. Then she would back up a possible throw to 2nd base.
  9. Right fielder moves to a position on the fence to back up the first baseperson for a possible throw back to first.
- Subs** The bench **“YELLS”** if the runner is going.



Pick off at 3rd

# Pick off at 2nd

## Position

## Responsibility

1. Pitcher pitches the ball and on the called pickoff catches the ball if it is off target. If the throw from the catcher is at the left shoulder, she drops the glove at the last minute letting the ball go on to second base.
  2. Catcher always throws the ball back to the pitcher at her left shoulder **“HARD”** every pitch the entire game to set up that one play
  3. First baseperson charges home to draw attention to herself.
  4. Second baseperson goes to second base on the bag to always back up the throw with a right or left handed batter.
  5. Third baseperson charges home to draw attention to herself.
  6. The short stop holds her ground until after the ball crosses the plate then goes to back up 2nd base.
  7. Left fielder moves to the fence in anticipating a possible throw to 3rd from second base.
  8. Center fielder goes to back up the throw to 2nd.
  9. Right fielder moves to a position to back up a hot box between 3rd and 2nd.
- Subs** The bench **“YELLS”** if there is a runner on third and she is going.

# First and third

## Position

## Responsibility

1. Pitcher pitches the ball and on the called pickoff catches the ball if it is off target. If the throw from the catcher is at the left shoulder, she drops the glove at the last minute letting the ball go on to second base.
  2. Catcher always throws the ball back to the pitcher at her left shoulder **“HARD”** to indicate a play at second base after checking the runner on 3rd..
  3. First baseperson goes back to 1st in case of a caught runner.
  4. Second baseperson goes to a position from  $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  way between the pitcher and 2nd base.
  5. Third baseperson goes to foul territory behind the runner on third and **SCREAMS** if the runner is going home.
  6. The short stop goes to 2nd base to take the throw from the catcher. Left fielder moves to the fence in anticipating a possible throw to 3rd from second base.
  7. The left fielder goes in on the fence to back up a possible throw to third from the right side of the field.
  8. Center fielder goes to back up the throw to 2nd.
  9. Right fielder moves to a position to back up a hot box between 1st and 2nd.
- The bench **“YELLS”** if there is a runner on third and she is going.

# Walk with a runner on third

## Position

## Responsibility

1. Pitcher pitches the ball then catches the ball from the catcher and turns her shoulders with the left shoulder pointing toward the second baseperson.
  2. Catcher always throws the ball back to the pitcher at her left shoulder **“HARD”** after checking the runner on 3rd.
  3. First baseperson goes back to 1st in case of a caught runner.
  4. Second baseperson goes to a position close to second and in the anticipated path of the runner.
  5. Third baseperson goes to foul territory behind the runner on third and **SCREAMS** if the runner is going home.
  6. The short stop goes to 2nd base.
  7. The left fielder goes in on the fence to back up a possible throw to third from the right side of the field.
  8. Center fielder goes to back up the throw to 2nd base from the right side of the infield..
  9. Right fielder moves to a position to back up a hot box between 1st and 2nd.
- Subs** The bench **“YELLS”** if there is a runner on third and she is going.