## Important by Adrian Law

## Transcription

00:00:00,000 --> 00:00:03,740
GOOD MORNING, TWO QUICK THINGS HERE.

2
00:00:03,750 --> 00:00:07,950
TWO POINTS THAT ARE A SUPER IMPORTANT,

3
00:00:07,960 --> 00:00:10,360
THAT BOTH OF THEM ARE VERY CHALLENGING,

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4
00:00:10,370 --> 00:00:13,830
AND YOU MAY BE CHALLENGED BY THEM RIGHT NOW.
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5
00:00:13,831 --> 00:00:17,010
BUT, I TRULY BELIEVE THESE TWO THINGS

6
00:00:17,011 --> 00:00:20,590
SEPARATE AVERAGE SALES PEOPLE TO THE BEST,

7

00:00:20,591 --> 00:00:22,820
AVERAGE MANAGERS TO THE BEST,

8

00:00:22,821 --> 00:00:25,000
AVERAGE SPORTS PEOPLE TO THE BEST.

9

00:00:25,010 --> 00:00:26,160
IT'S THAT POWERFUL.

10
00:00:26,170 --> 00:00:27,600
SO, WHAT ARE THESE TWO THINGS?

11
00:00:27,601 --> 00:00:30,960
WELL, THE FIRST ONE IS: MANAGING YOUR DOWNTIME.

12
00:00:30,970 --> 00:00:32,440
IT'S PRETTY QUIET AT THE MOMENT.

13
00:00:32,441 --> 00:00:34,040
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AND SO FORTH, YEAH?

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00:00:34,041 --> 00:00:35,680
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SO, MANAGING THAT PROPERLY.
15
00:00:35,690 --> 00:00:36,800
VERY FRUSTRATING.
16
00:00:36,810 --> 00:00:38,370
MAYBE NOT GETTING THE SALES YOU WANT.
17
00:00:38,371 --> 00:00:40,010
BUT THERE'S WAYS AND
18
00:00:40,011 --> 00:00:41,360
AND POSITIVES THAT CAN COME OUT OF IT.
19
00:00:41,361 --> 00:00:44,470
AND, THE SECOND ONE IS: DOING THE FUNDAMENTALS,

20
00:00:44,471 --> 00:00:46,440
DOING THE BASICS WELL,

21
00:00:46,490 --> 00:00:47,660

CONSISTENTLY.

22
00:00:48,340 --> 00:00:50,420
NOW, WHY ARE THOSE TWO THINGS SO CHALLENGING?

23
00:00:50,430 --> 00:00:52,800
WELL, IF YOU'RE NOT MAKING AS MANY SALES,

## 24

00:00:52,810 --> 00:00:54,020
THAT MEANS YOU'RE NOT MAKING AS MUCH

25
00:00:54,021 --> 00:00:55,120
MONEY AS YOU NORMALLY WOULD.

26
00:00:55,121 --> 00:00:57,650
THAT'S A GREAT REASON TO START WITH,

27
00:00:57,651 --> 00:00:58,260
ISN'T IT?

28
00:00:58,270 --> 00:00:59,240
BUT THERE'S OTHER ONES.

00:00:59,250 --> 00:01:01,120
WE TEND TO GET BORED.

30
00:01:01,130 --> 00:01:03,920
WE TEND TO GET LETHARGIC WHEN IT'S QUIET.

31
00:01:03,930 --> 00:01:05,110
YOU KNOW,

32
00:01:05,720 --> 00:01:08,419
IT'S JUST THE DAYS DRAG ON. THAT KIND OF STUFF.

33
00:01:08,430 --> 00:01:10,280
BUT WITH THE SECOND POINT,

34
00:01:10,290 --> 00:01:12,110
THE FUNDAMENTALS, DOING THE BASICS.

35
00:01:12,1ו1ו--> 00:01:14,000
WELL, WHY DO MOST PEOPLE GET

00:01:14,001 --> 00:01:15,200
CHALLENGED BY THAT?

37
00:01:15,740 --> 00:01:17,280
WHY DO YOU GET CHALLENGED BY THAT?

38
00:01:17,281 --> 00:01:18,020
WHEN YOU DO.

39
00:01:18,410 --> 00:01:23,080
IT'S BECAUSE IT BECOMES REPETITIVE.

40
00:01:23,090 --> 00:01:25,160
IT BECOMES MONOTONOUS,

41
00:01:25,170 --> 00:01:26,180
BECOMES, YOU KNOW,

42
00:01:26,181 --> 00:01:27,600
A BIT BORING, REALLY,

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00:01:27,601 --> 00:01:28,460
``` DOING THE BASICS.
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4 4
00:01:28,461 --> 00:01:30,180
WE OFTEN WANT SOMETHING THAT'S NEW

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45
00:01:30,181 --> 00:01:32,100
AND FRESH AND DIFFERENT,
46
00:01:33,070 --> 00:01:34,850
AND WHILST THAT'S OKAY,
47
00:01:34,860 --> 00:01:37,310
IT'S DOING THE FUNDAMENTALS WELL,
48
00:01:37,311 --> 00:01:40,270
AS I MENTIONED, IS WHAT SETS AVERAGE PEOPLE
49

00:01:40,280 --> 00:01:41,770
TO THE TOP PERFORMERS APART.

50
00:01:41,780 --> 00:01:42,760

IT REALLY IS.

51
00:01:42,770 --> 00:01:43,980
BUT IT'S A FRUSTRATION,

52
00:01:43,981 --> 00:01:44,790
AND IT'S CHALLENGING.

53
00:01:44,791 --> 00:01:46,140
SO, WHAT DO WE DO ABOUT IT?

54
00:01:46,150 --> 00:01:47,930
WELL, TWO THINGS AND THE ANALOGY

55
00:01:47,931 --> 00:01:51,340
I WANT TO GIVE YOU AGAIN, IS FROM MY SNOOKER.

56
00:01:51,350 --> 00:01:52,300
SO DOWNTIME,

57
00:01:52,301 --> 00:01:53,220
FOR EXAMPLE,

00:01:53,360 --> 00:01:54,700
SO FRUSTRATING FOR YOU.

59
00:01:54,701 --> 00:01:55,330
I GET IT,

60
00:01:55,340 --> 00:01:56,900
AND I THINK IT'S ONE OF THE BIGGEST CHALLENGES

61
00:01:56,901 --> 00:01:57,700
YOU FACE.

62
00:01:57,710 --> 00:01:59,230
BUT A LOT OF PEOPLE FACE IT,

63
00:01:59,240 --> 00:02:00,590
LIKE IN A SNOOKER TOURNAMENT.

64
00:02:00,591 --> 00:02:01,860
THE LAST SNOOKER TOURNAMENT WE HAD,

00:02:01,861 --> 00:02:02,740 FOR EXAMPLE,

66
00:02:02,750 --> 00:02:05,540
I WAS DUE TO PLAY MY FIRST MATCH AT

67
00:02:05,550 --> 00:02:07,160
1:30 IN THE AFTERNOON.

68
00:02:07,170 --> 00:02:08,910
SO AT 1:30 IN THE AFTERNOON,

69
00:02:08,920 --> 00:02:09,870
I'M IN THE ZONE,

70
00:02:09,880 --> 00:02:11,330
I'M READY TO PLAY.

71
00:02:11,340 --> 00:02:13,300
I FEEL GOOD AND I'M ON.

72

00:02:13,301 --> 00:02:14,250
IT'S SHOWTIME, RIGHT?

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00:02:14,251 --> 00:02:15,960
I ENDED UP PLAYING

74
00:02:15,961 --> 00:02:17,820
I THINK IT WAS HALF PAST FOUR.

75
00:02:17,870 --> 00:02:20,030
THAT'S WHEN I GOT ON FOR MY FIRST MATCH.

76
00:02:20,040 --> 00:02:22,560
SO THERE WAS THREE HOURS OF DOWNTIME,

77
00:02:22,561 --> 00:02:23,770
TWIDDLING YOUR THUMBS,

78
00:02:23,77l --> 00:02:24,730
JUST WAITING.

79
00:02:24,740 --> 00:02:26,650

BUT I MAKE USE OF THAT TIME.

80
00:02:26,660 --> 00:02:29,270
I MAKE SURE I GET MY HEAD IN THE RIGHT SPOT,

81
00:02:29,271 --> 00:02:31,530
I MAKE SURE MY BODY IS FEELING GOOD.

82
00:02:31,540 --> 00:02:33,260
SO I'M NOT OVEREATING.

83
00:02:33,270 --> 00:02:35,580
I'M NOT OVER ANALYSING.

84
00:02:35,590 --> 00:02:38,840
I'M NOT SITTING DOWN A LOT BEING LETHARGIC

85
00:02:38,850 --> 00:02:41,770
AND MAKING SURE I'M READY FOR WHEN MY MATCH IS ON.

86
00:02:41,771 --> 00:02:43,510
AND THE SECOND POINT ABOUT

00:02:43,511 --> 00:02:44,600 DOING THE BASICS WELL,

88
00:02:44,601 --> 00:02:45,810
I'VE BEEN CHALLENGED BY THAT.

89
00:02:45,820 --> 00:02:47,180
SO MANY PEOPLE ARE.

90
00:02:47,181 --> 00:02:50,150
BUT YOU LOOK AT ANY TOP SPORTS PERSON,

91

00:02:50,151 --> 00:02:51,340
WHETHER IT'S AN ATHLETE,

92
00:02:51,350 --> 00:02:52,510
A SOCCER PLAYER,

93
00:02:52,520 --> 00:02:54,410
GOLFER, ANYBODY.

00:02:54,411 --> 00:02:57,030
THEY'RE DOING THE FUNDAMENTALS CONSISTENTLY,

95
00:02:57,210 --> 00:02:59,400
BUT SOMETIMES THEY'RE ABLE TO MIX IT UP,

96
00:02:59,401 --> 00:03:02,190
WHICH CAN FEEL LIKE IT'S FRESH AND

97
00:03:02,191 --> 00:03:03,030
DIFFERENT,

98
00:03:03,040 --> 00:03:04,610
BUT IT'S ACTUALLY STILL FUNDAMENTALS.

99
00:03:04,620 --> 00:03:05,770
WHAT AM I TALKING ABOUT?

100
00:03:05,780 --> 00:03:07,140
WELL, THE EXAMPLE I'LL GIVE YOU.

101
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00:03:07,141 --> 00:03:10,160

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I HAD THIS, MY SNOOKER TABLE, INSTALLED LITERALLY

102
00:03:10,161 --> 00:03:11,545
IN MARCH WHEN HIT COVID HERE.

103
00:03:11,546 --> 00:03:14,000
IT WAS PERFECT TIMING. AS YOU CAN IMAGINE,

104
00:03:14,001 --> 00:03:16,840
I WAS SO EXCITED AND WANTED TO PLAY ALL

105
00:03:16,841 --> 00:03:17,590
THE TIME, RIGHT?

106
00:03:17,600 --> 00:03:20,720
HOWEVER, BECAUSE COVID IS ON,

107
00:03:20,721 --> 00:03:22,950
NOBODY CAN COME OVER AND GIVE ME A GAME.

108
00:03:22,951 --> 00:03:23,730

NOBODY.

109
00:03:23,740 --> 00:03:27,020
SO I'M LITERALLY PRACTISING PLAYING BY MYSELF.

110
00:03:27,021 --> 00:03:30,029
NOW, HOW LONG DO YOU THINK THAT WENT BEFORE

111
00:03:30,030 --> 00:03:31,480
I START TO GET A BIT BORED?

112
00:03:31,490 --> 00:03:33,110
HOW LONG WOULD YOU GET BORED?

113
00:03:33,120 --> 00:03:34,170
YOU KNOW, HOW QUICKLY?

114
00:03:34,171 --> 00:03:36,430
SO YEAH, MAYBE, I DON'T REMEMBER EXACTLY.

115
00:03:36,431 --> 00:03:37,110
IT COULD'VE BEEN A FEW WEEKS.

116
00:03:37,111 --> 00:03:38,130
COULD HAVE BEEN A FEW MONTHS.

117
00:03:38,140 --> 00:03:38,830
SO I'M LIKE,

118
00:03:38,831 --> 00:03:39,580
WHAT DO I DO?

119
00:03:39,581 --> 00:03:40,800
SO I'M JUST GONNA SHOW YOU SOMETHING THAT

120
00:03:40,801 --> 00:03:43,220
I DID. AND I WANT YOU TO LEARN FROM THIS.

121
00:03:43,230 --> 00:03:45,240
THERE'S A PORTRAIT OF MY DAUGHTER.

122
00:03:45,250 --> 00:03:46,340
THAT'S NOT WHAT I'M SHOWING YOU.

00:03:46,341 --> 00:03:47,410 I'M SHOWING YOU THIS.

124
00:03:47,920 --> 00:03:50,140
SO I CREATED, I PUT THIS WHITE BOARD UP

125
00:03:50,150 --> 00:03:53,120
WHEN I WAS BORED OF DOING THE BASICS AND

126
00:03:53,130 --> 00:03:55,100
ALL THAT IS IT MAY MEAN NOTHING TO

127
00:03:55,101 --> 00:03:56,000
YOU, BUT IF YOU LOOK IN THE

128
00:03:56,001 --> 00:03:57,600
TOP LEFT CORNER THERE,

129
00:03:57,610 --> 00:03:59,700
I THINK IT'S TOP LEFT OF YOUR SCREEN AS

130

00:03:59,701 --> 00:04:00,320
I'M LOOKING ATIT.

131
00:04:00,321 --> 00:04:03,680
IT IS. IT'S SAYS "PRACTICE ROUTINES" AND

132
00:04:03,681 --> 00:04:04,960
THERE I'VE CREATED,

133
00:04:04,961 --> 00:04:06,700
I'VE LEARNED SOME OF THESE NEW FROM

134
00:04:06,701 --> 00:04:09,420
YOUTUBE, FROM PEOPLE THAT I KNOW, COACHES,

135
00:04:09,421 --> 00:04:10,730
PROFESSIONAL PLAYERS,

136
00:04:10,740 --> 00:04:13,790
AND I STARTED PRACTISING ALL THESE DIFFERENT THINGS.

137
00:04:13,791 --> 00:04:15,440

AND IF YOU CAN SEE,

138
00:04:15,441 --> 00:04:16,640
FOR EXAMPLE,

139
00:04:16,650 --> 00:04:20,350
PB HERE, THAT MEANS PERSONAL BEST.

140
00:04:20,360 --> 00:04:23,410
SO WHAT I WOULD DO IS I WOULD ACTUALLY CHALLENGE

141
00:04:23,411 --> 00:04:25,720
MYSELF ON THE BASICS.

142
00:04:25,730 --> 00:04:27,710
I WOULD GET THESE PRACTISE ROUTINES,

143
00:04:27,711 --> 00:04:29,520
SOME OF WHICH I'VE NEVER DONE BEFORE.

144
00:04:29,530 --> 00:04:31,150
BUT IT WAS STILL IN LINE,

00:04:31,151 --> 00:04:32,800
WE'RE DOING THE FUNDAMENTALS,

146
00:04:32,810 --> 00:04:35,900
AND THEN I WOULD SEE HOW GOOD I COULD GET.

147
00:04:35,901 --> 00:04:37,240
YOU KNOW WHAT THE TOP SCORE WAS,

148
00:04:37,241 --> 00:04:38,630
AND THEN I WOULD TRY AND BEAT THAT.

149
00:04:38,640 --> 00:04:41,740
SO ACTUALLY, I TRY TO CREATE A COMPETITION AGAINST

150
00:04:41,741 --> 00:04:43,240
MYSELF, AND IT REALLY,

151
00:04:43,241 --> 00:04:44,340
REALLY WORKED.

00:04:44,350 --> 00:04:45,220
SO HOW ABOUT YOU?

153
00:04:45,221 --> 00:04:48,480
HOW CAN YOU IMPLEMENT THIS TO MIX IT

154
00:04:48,481 --> 00:04:49,330
UP A LITTLE BIT?

155
00:04:49,340 --> 00:04:50,620
WELL, HOW ABOUT WHEN YOU GO THROUGH THE

156
00:04:50,621 --> 00:04:51,370
ONLINE TRAINING,

157
00:04:51,371 --> 00:04:51,980
FOR EXAMPLE?

158
00:04:51,981 --> 00:04:53,500
WHY NOT TAKE NOTES?
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00:04:53,510 --> 00:04:56,450

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WHY NOT FOCUS ON ONE THING FOR THAT DAY
160
00:04:56,451 --> 00:04:59,880
OR WEEK? WHY NOT MIX IT UP?
161
00:05:00,140 --> 00:05:00,460
YOU KNOW,
162
00:05:00,461 --> 00:05:02,980
ACTUALLY PRACTISE THE STUFF AND WHETHER
163
00:05:02,981 --> 00:05:04,850
IT'S AT WORK.
164
00:05:04,860 --> 00:05:06,690
SOME OF THE STUFF YOU CAN USE, BECAUSE IT'S
165
00:05:06,691 --> 00:05:08,780
COMMUNICATION SKILLS, CAN BE USED WITH
166
00:05:08,781 --> 00:05:09,780

YOUR FAMILY.

167
00:05:09,790 --> 00:05:12,160
BUT JUST MIX IT UP A LITTLE BIT

168
00:05:12,170 --> 00:05:14,600
BUT IT'S STILL THE FUNDAMENTALS BECAUSE

169
00:05:14,610 --> 00:05:15,910
THEY WORK.

170
00:05:15,920 --> 00:05:17,220
YOU KNOW THEY DO,

171
00:05:17,230 --> 00:05:20,170
AND WE HAVE TO KEEP DOING THE FUNDAMENTALS EVERY

172
00:05:20,180 --> 00:05:20,810
SINGLE DAY.

173
00:05:20,811 --> 00:05:22,150
WHATEVER YOU CAN DO ON TOP OF THAT.

174
00:05:22,151 --> 00:05:24,210
AT SNOOKER, THERE'S SO MANY PEOPLE THAT

175
00:05:24,211 --> 00:05:25,350
WANT TO BE FLASHY.

176
00:05:25,360 --> 00:05:27,220
THEY WANT TO DO THE TRICK SHOTS THEY

177
00:05:27,221 --> 00:05:27,690
WANT TO DO.

178
00:05:27,691 --> 00:05:29,440
THE, UH, THIS MAKES SENSE OR NOT,

179
00:05:29,441 --> 00:05:30,400
BUT THEY WANT TO PLAY WITH A LOT OF

180
00:05:30,401 --> 00:05:32,780
SIDE AND APPEASE THE CROWD.

181
00:05:32,781 --> 00:05:33,770
YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN?

182
00:05:33,780 --> 00:05:35,300
AND THAT'S ALL WELL AND GOOD.

183
00:05:35,310 --> 00:05:38,010
BUT A LOT OF THOSE PLAYERS HAVE NEVER

184
00:05:38,840 --> 00:05:40,260
ACHIEVED TO THE VERY TOP LEVEL.

185
00:05:40,261 --> 00:05:41,990
THERE WAS A GUY YEARS AND YEARS AGO.

186
00:05:42,000 --> 00:05:42,960
IF YOU DON'T FOLLOW SNOOKER,

187
00:05:42,970 --> 00:05:43,890
YOU'VE NEVER HEARD OF HIM.

00:05:43,891 --> 00:05:44,680
BUT THAT'S OKAY.

189
00:05:44,690 --> 00:05:45,410 IT'S A GOOD EXAMPLE,

190
00:05:45,411 --> 00:05:46,290 AND I'LL FINISH WITH THIS.

191
00:05:46,300 --> 00:05:48,070
HIS NAME IS JIMMY WHITE.

192
00:05:48,080 --> 00:05:50,330
THEY CALL HIM THE WHIRLWIND BECAUSE HE'S

193
00:05:50,331 --> 00:05:51,740
SO ENTERTAINING TO WATCH.

194
00:05:51,741 --> 00:05:53,240
HE'S IN HIS SIXTIES NOW,

195
00:05:53,241 --> 00:05:55,350

BUT HE'S STILL GOING STRONG AS A

196
00:05:55,351 --> 00:05:56,490
PROFESSIONAL SNOOKER PLAYER.

197
00:05:56,500 --> 00:05:58,960
HOWEVER, JIMMY HAS NEVER,

198
00:05:58,970 --> 00:06:01,780
EVER WON THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SNOOKER,

199
00:06:01,790 --> 00:06:04,500
BUT HE'S BEEN IN SEVERAL FINALS AND

200
00:06:04,501 --> 00:06:06,650
HE'S LOST EVERY SINGLE TIME.

201
00:06:06,840 --> 00:06:08,420
SO HE WAS THE SHOWMAN

202
00:06:08,430 --> 00:06:10,560
BUT HE WAS ALSO A PARTY BOY AND HE

00:06:10,561 --> 00:06:13,270
WAS OUT ALL HOURS AND HE WASN'T DOING

204
00:06:13,27l --> 00:06:15,660
THE FUNDAMENTALS THAT THE PLAYERS AROUND

205
00:06:15,661 --> 00:06:17,655
HIM WHO WERE WINNING ALL THE COMPETITIONS WE'RE DOING.

206
00:06:17,656 --> 00:06:20,390
DON'T BE JIMMY WHITE.

207
00:06:20,391 --> 00:06:21,120
DO THE THE FUNDAMENTALS.

208
00:06:21,121 --> 00:06:22,460
MAKE SURE YOU'RE WINNING.

209
00:06:22,470 --> 00:06:24,460
OKAY, THAT'S MY MESSAGE TODAY.

210
00:06:24,470 --> 00:06:25,690
IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS WHATSOEVER,

211
00:06:25,700 --> 00:06:27,830
REACH OUT AND I'LL BE HAPPY TO HELP.

212
00:06:27,840 --> 00:06:31,110
ALSO, FINAL THING, I'M ACTUALLY PUTTING TOGETHER

213
00:06:31,610 --> 00:06:34,130
A WHOLE NEW SERIES ON THE ONLINE TRAINING

214
00:06:34,140 --> 00:06:36,910
SYSTEM AROUND MINDSET.

215
00:06:36,920 --> 00:06:38,500
SO I'M HOPING THAT YOU'RE GONNA REALLY

216
00:06:38,501 --> 00:06:40,760
LOVE THAT BECAUSE IT'S POWERFUL STUFF

00:06:40,770 --> 00:06:43,100
THAT I'VE LEARNED OVER THE YEARS THAT

218
00:06:43,101 --> 00:06:46,200
CAN REALLY HELP WITH YOUR MINDSET AND

219
00:06:46,201 --> 00:06:48,020
MAKING SURE THAT YOU'RE IN THE

220
00:06:48,021 --> 00:06:51,170
ZONE MORE OFTEN THAN NOT.

221
00:06:51,180 --> 00:06:52,220
OKAY. ALL RIGHT,

222
00:06:52,230 --> 00:06:53,300
I'LL SEE YOU SOON. CIAO```

