

Shooting Techniques

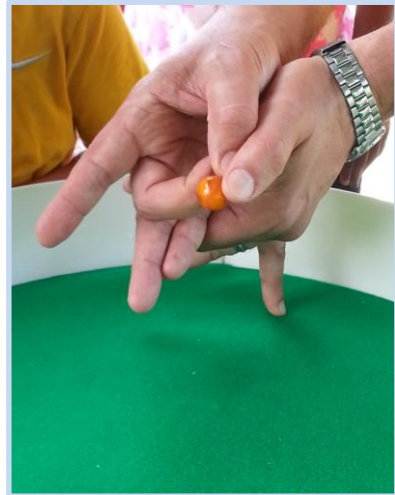
Tossing, Bowling, Pitching, Lagging and Rolling are all methods of shooting a marble.

I met a couple from Afghanistan who shoot incredibly with the middle finger. One hand supports the other hand, which is propped up by the little finger.

Our Mexican and Latin America friends stand or squat to shoot **Knuckles Up**, with the shooter hand elevated.



In the United States most kids shoot with their shooter hand resting on the playing area.



I teach younger kids (4 to 6 year olds) to **Finger-Flick** (page 11) their shooter marble.

FLICKING

- With your hand palm-down on the table, hook a finger, behind your thumb.
- Press the shooter against your fingernail so it doesn't hurt when you flick.
- Flick the shooter with a pop.
- Your finger should be pointing at the target marble after the shooter is released.



THUMB FLICKING

