



SPORTS PITCH ALERT

Does this look familiar? The answer is almost certainly yes



After a typical winter your pitches probably need a Spring Makeover!

What is the significance of this and why does it matter?

1. Pitches get compacted and airless when play continues
2. Pitches lose fertility
3. Grass cover is lost and will be replaced by weeds and moss
4. Play next season will definitely suffer

What can you do about it?

1. Deep-tine to restructure and aerate the soil
2. Fertilise to increase fertility and encourage root and shoot growth
3. Overseed to improve grass cover
4. Slit, scarify, brush and light roll to correct minor pitch deviations

These operations need carrying out as soon as play finishes in April / early May because, unless you are fortunate enough to be able to irrigate the pitch, the soil can dry out by mid May and this will inhibit germination of grass seed and make the operation less effective.

Wessex Grounds Services can undertake all or some of these operations for you to improve your pitches within your available budget. We are the RFU's grounds maintenance contractor for Dorset and you can benefit from RFU subsidised equipment.

Prices

Fertilise pitch	£300 plus VAT
Overseed pitch completely	£950 plus VAT
Overseed worn areas (1/2 pitch)	£550 plus VAT
Deep tine pitch	£250 plus VAT
Slit, scarify, brush and roll	£100 plus VAT
Top dress localised damage	Price available on request

Discounts are available for packages of work. We also offer annual grounds maintenance services including line marking and mowing

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