

Conditions of Use for

Windsor Secondary School / District of N Van Parks

Artificial Turf Field

To ensure that all participants are following the same guidelines with respect to conditions of use for the artificial field, please ensure that every team official, player and parents of players (for Youth) and spectators are aware of the following rules. Coaches will be responsible for the conduct and behaviour of players and spectators on the field.

Groups must leave the Artificial Turf Field FIVE MINUTES before their END TIME to allow transition time between groups. Groups must not enter the AT field area until their START TIME and teams must warm up outside the AT field area. This will help avoid conflict between groups. Please ensure all participants are made aware of this procedure.

To protect the field surface and maximize the life of the fields, all participants are required to adhere to the following conditions and rules of AT Field use:

- Spectators must remain **outside** fenced area of field or **stay the on Track surface**.
**** All parents must stay off the field when Super 8 Games are played.*
- **Footwear** on artificial field surface: Metal Cleats Not Permitted on the AstroTurf® GT"; maximum length for plastic screw in football cleats is 1/2 inch; recommended footwear is molded soccer cleats. Turf or running shoes are permitted. *This rule will be strictly enforced. Home Teams (School Coaches) must inform away teams of this rule and make sure the referees enforce rule. Anyone found with improper footwear on the AT Field may be fined, assessed damages and home teams and referees may be liable for suspension of field privileges.*
- Clean grass or mud from cleats before using AT Field – Please use the “boot brushes”
- No public casual use or informal practice – Public Use is with “Field Permit” only.
- No smoking within 6 metres of a sportsfield (Smoking Regulation Bylaw)
- No gum
- No tobacco products
- No sunflower seeds (they take hours to remove!)

- No beverages (other than water in the plastic bottles)
 - No alcoholic beverages
 - No glass containers on the field surface
 - No golfing, shot putting, javelin, or discus throwing on the field surface
 - No use of radio controlled model planes or rockets
 - No fireworks or open flame in the field area
 - No animals or pets allowed on the field or track. (Dogs are prohibited on School Grounds)
 - No bicycles, rollerblades or skateboards
 - No motorized vehicles allowed on field (except approved maintenance and emergency vehicles)
 - No food
 - No sharp or pointed objects or tents with spikes. Tents should be set up off to the side so spectator views are not blocked.
 - No painting, chalking, tape or other adhesive materials may be placed on the field without prior Parks approval
 - Soccer or Field Hockey goals and equipment must be lifted or wheeled into place. No dragging allowed.
 - Place all garbage, athletic tape, bottles and litter in the garbage or recycle cans
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- **Field Lights:** are activated by a key and a key can be obtained by coaches or team officials at the Delbrook Recreation Commission Field Allocators Office.
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- **Parking:** please use the Lytton Street entrance only. Please carpool, transit, bike, and walk or drop off. Parking is available off the Lytton Street entrance and overflow parking is available in the Ron Andrews Recreation Centre or Canlan Ice Rink parking lots.
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- **Bookings:** parks@northvanrec.com if you have any questions, please call the Field Booking Office direct at 604.983.6318 or via e-mail at parks@northvanrec.com. For maintenance issues call District of North Van Parks Office: 604-990-3813 or 604-990-3800. After hours /weekends – 604-622-6383 – Tigertel Emergency Dispatch – Parks Field Staff Callout.