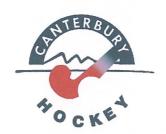
NUNWEEK PARK PROPOSED THIRD TURF GRANT OF LEASE SUBMISSION

I am sorry I will be away from Christchurch on the day of the submission discussion for a 3rd turf at Nunweek Park for the purpose of advancing hockey in Canterbury. Further to my submission, I will add the following.

- 1. I would imagine that residents and other users of the Park will have concerns about parking which is at a premium at weekends. It could very well be rectified by additional parking space being made available, if possible.
- 2. I would not think that the lighting would be a problem as there are very few residents in Wooldridge Road, maybe some from the new housing development could be affected, but with good shades the light spill would be minimal.
- 3. I guess some extra noise would present a problem, but the sound system could be wound down by staff.
- 4. Numbers participating in hockey are increasing annually, and to help the situation from deteriorating, a third turf is vital at Nunweek. (This keeps many youngsters off the streets and out of trouble)
- 5. In my days as Facilities Manager, we had games on at all hours of the day and night, and timetables had to be shortened to get all games played in the time available.

I hope these extra notations will help the Council's consideration in agreeing to a further lease for a third turf at Nunweek Park.

Peter Seymour



CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL Nunweek Park Proposed Third Turf Grant of Lease Submission

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Please be as specific as possible outlining why you support the lease for the proposed third turf at Nunweek Park to be granted. This will help the Council understand your views, and how much the third turf means to both yourself and the wider Canterbury Hockey Community.
Why do you want the Council to consider the provision of an additional artificial turf? What specific action you think the council should take? When this should be done and why?
I firmly support the Canterbury Hockey Association seeking a further lease to enable a third hockey turf to be built at Nunweek Park.
I am retired now but spent 21 years as facilities manager at Nunweek & Porritt Parks , I have always considered that more turfs should be available for current and potential players.
To advance hockey in Canterbury it is vital that perfect and safe playing conditions should be provided on all weather surfaces, without a lease for a 3 rd turf it would set back hockey in the province as we will be unable to build this extra turf for our expanding player base.
Any light spill can be overcome with the use of shades on the roadside areas.
The question of parking is always a problem but it should not be too difficult to provide more parking space, I note the constant flooding of the carpark next to the road side which obviates some parking space.
I would urge the council to consider as a matter of urgency the request by Canterbury Hockey for a further lease to enable a 3 rd turf to be built at Nunweek Park.
I would be happy to express my views and concerns at any future meetings.
Regards Peter Seymour

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