



From Rocket Assembly to TigerTurf Installation, “These Guys Are Good”

Bay Village City School District impressed with Sports Construction Group and monofilament from world leading turf manufacturer TigerTurf.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (October, 2007) Ohio’s Bay Village City School District is sporting TigerTurf monofilament, installed by experts in field construction, according to Clint Keener, the District’s Superintendent.

Those experts are Ohio-based Sports Construction Group (SCG), who installed the technologically advanced field system in summer, 2007.

“As a superintendent I’ve been involved in several construction projects. These guys are good,” said Keener. “They ran into a couple of surprises...they found them in a timely manner and provided the least costly solutions to resolve them.”

He added, “Everyone’s impressed with the quality of the product, the finish work and how the installation crew hustled as they completed work for us to use the field.”

With regard to the turf, manufactured by TigerTurf -- one of the world’s largest and most reputable synthetic turf companies -- Keener said the school’s coaches are pleased with the density of the grass filaments. “They’ve found the surface softer and less abrasive than some of the other surfaces their teams have played on.

“And the soccer teams and coaches have found that the ball rolls and bounces as expected, the speed of the ball is consistent in all areas of the turf and in all directions,” he added.

In addition to replacing a worn grass surface with the new TigerTurf system, Keener said SCG was responsible for disassembling and reassembling the school’s mascot, a rocket. That, too, was a quality job, said Keener.

“After watching the site work and installation in action it is clear to see why SCG continues to do work for major universities and professional athletic teams. They’re the one to work with on a project like this,” he stated.

Apparently several other schools in the Ohio area think so, too, as SCG recently completed field installations at Cleveland's Hawken School, Medina City School District and Hamilton Township.

About Sports Construction Group, L.L.C.

Sports Construction Group, L.L.C., is headquartered in Cleveland, Ohio, with offices near Austin, Texas. The company, a family- and employee-owned sport field specialty contractor, has construction roots that began nearly 50 years ago. Today SCG handles all phases of natural and synthetic turf jobs, from excavation and sub base through installation and maintenance.

SCG's client roster includes some of the most recognizable sport facilities in the nation: Soldier Field, Jacobs Field, Yankee Stadium, Shea Stadium, Citizens Bank Park, Notre Dame Stadium and Johns Hopkins University, to name a few -- along with dozens of Minor League, collegiate, high school and community systems.