

TABLE 1A. 2001 MANAGEMENT - ON-SITE BENTGRASS TEST AT BIRMINGHAM, AL (COUNTRY CLUB OF BIRMINGHAM)

ESTABLISHMENT		FERTILIZATION			HERBICIDES			
Seeding date	16-Sep-97	Date(s)	Product	Rate (lbs./M)	Date(s)	Product	Rate (oz./M) (1000 sq.ft.)	
Problems during	None		Foliar application					
FACTORS OF PLAY		applied weekly in Feb. - Nov.		1/10-1/32 lb N	March, May, late July, and Sept.	Pre-San	2 lbs. product	
Date opened for play	year round	Feb., March, April	Granular application 26-0-22 (Nutralene+KNO ₃)	0.5-0.6 lb. N				
Date closed for play		May, June	K ₂ SO ₄ (0-0-24)	1 lb. K ₂ O				
Type of spikes allowed	softspikes	September	26-0-22 (Nutralene+KNO ₃)	0.6 lb. N				
Uses of green	chipping	October	26-0-22 (Nutralene+KNO ₃)	0.6 lb. N				
MOWING		FUNGICIDES			INSECTICIDES			
Initial height	0.25"	Date(s)	Product	Rate (oz./M) (1000 sq.ft.)	Date(s)	Product	Rate (oz./M)	
Current height	0.135 -0.150"							
Frequency	6-7 days/week							
Type of mower	Toro 800 walk				as needed for cutworms early May	Talstar Nemacur	1 lb./100 sq.ft. 2.3 lbs./1000 sq.ft.	
Rollers used	Rolling as needed (1/2x/week)							
Groomers used	6-7x/week Oct-June	Fungicides applications are made from Feb. to early Dec. depending on weather conditions. Big problem with pythium so Alliette, Banol, Subdue, and Heritage are rotated and sprayed on a two weeks schedule in May-Nov.	Alliette Banol Subdue Maxx Dithane Daconil Ultrex Heritage Consyst Terrazole	4 2 1 4 4-8 oz. 0.4 4 6				
CULTIVATION			OTHER PRODUCTS			Date(s)	Product	Rate (oz./M)
Aerification - dates	5/8" hollow x 2 direction - Feb. 1/4" hollow tine (June-August). 5/8" tine - Sept. Hydroject every other week (Feb.- Nov.).				weekly as needed weekly as needed 6-May 10-Jun	Astron Perkup Primo Primo	1 3 8 oz./Acre 8 oz./Acre	
Verticutting	Lightly verticut in April & June.							
Dates of topdressing		Heavy topdressed after Feb. and Sept. aerifications to fill holes. Lightly topdressed biweekly during growing season.			NOTES/COMMENTS			
Other cultural practices		Rolled heavy after aerifications			This green gets a lot of play.			

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