NEW PRODUCT RELEASES

Rittenhouse Fountain/Aerator

The new fountain/aerators from M.K. Rittenhouse & Sons Ltd. provide a simple, inexpensive and environmentally sound means of aeration for irrigation or decorative ponds. Oxygen is introduced at lower water levels which reduces stagnation and foul odours by inhibiting algae and aquatic weeds. This reduces the requirement for water treatment chemicals and dyes. Installation is a snap as the aerator simply floats on the water surface. All stainless steel and aluminum construction, maintenance free oilless Franklin electric motors with water lubricated carbon bearings provide for a long life backed by a full two year warranty. The 2 HP model will move up to 860,000 gallons per day and will aerate up to an 80,000 square foot pond.

Overseeding Blends from Pickseed

Pickseed Canada Inc. is pleased to announce the next generation of overseeding products for sports turf professionals, Futura 3000 and Futura Blue.

Futura 3000 is a three way blend of Cutter, Edge and Express perennial ryegrasses. All three produce lush, dark green turf that stands up to the heaviest traffic. These varieties also have high levels of endophyte which confers resistance to crown feeding insects.

Futura Blue is a blend of Cutter perennial ryegrass and Touchdown Kentucky bluegrass. Cutter is a new variety that has ranked number one out of more than a hundred competitors in the NTEP trial for turf quality for two years in a row. Touchdown is a favourite with sod growers across Canada for its aggressively spreading root system and tremendous root strength.

Both of these products should prove to be a tremendous asset to sports turf managers.

Comlube PM+ Grease

Comlube Technology Inc., a unique Canadian company on the leading edge of equipment lubrication technology, is celebrating its tenth anniversary. Comlube’s extensive maintenance background, resulted in the creation of a unique line of preventative maintenance products formulated to reduce costly breakdowns, parts replacement, down time, increase equipment life and reduces

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energy consumption. Comlubes PM+ Grease contains no hazardous ingredients. This grease is registered with Health and Welfare and Agriculture Canada, and should be the product of choice for recreation and playground equipment maintenance equipment. PM+ Grease is formulated to stay in the bearings, resist water, chemicals and pesticides, operate under extreme pressures and heat, plus increase bearing life. Canada's Wonderland doubled the life of their bearings. The City of North York reduced grease consumption by 400% and drastically reduced bearing replacement and down time. These results are just two of many that have been achieved by using Comlube's products.

Oseco Releases "SuperShade"

SuperShade by Oseco sets a new standard for turfgrass performance in shaded areas. SuperShade is a "breakthrough" product which contains a special mixture of traditional shade tolerant species combined with the new European supergrass - Supranova Poa Supina. Oseco supplies SuperShade in "customer convenient", 750 gram attractive retail packaging. SuperShade is the answer to problems in maintaining grass in deeply shaded areas and is brought to you by the turfseed specialists at OSECO - an all Canadian company.

Fairlawn Sod Nursery Ltd. is offering #1 Grade Turfgrass Nursery Sod in a BIG ROLL format. The size is 29 inches (73.7 cm) wide by 125 feet (38.1 m) long. These are the largest rolls currently available in Ontario. They were installed on softball fields in Riverside Park, Guelph in the Fall of 1994 and in Jaycee Park in Brantford in July, 1995. In Brantford, it was possible to hold a tournament only two weeks after installation because of fewer seams and the large pieces were stable.