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Lindum Turf

Lindum Turf under Managing Director, Stephen Fell, has been growing turf since 1984. Based at Thorganby in the Vale of York, the stone free sandy loam soils are ideal for growing turf to a very high standard.

A total of nine grades are grown with a particular emphasis on sports turf. As well as supplying golf clubs all over the country (and in Scandinavia), Lindum has recently installed turf for Murrayfield training pitches, the cricket test grounds at the Oval, Headingley, Cardiff and Old Trafford, and racecourses at York and Haydock Park.

Greens turf can be supplied grown on a USGA rootzone or as a washed turf. The washing of turf and its subsequent management is a technique which Lindum developed and successfully established – amidst much scepticism – 15 years ago. Three grades of tees and fairway turf are grown, and recently LT2 Low Maintenance Turf was added to provide a fine fescue type grade which is slow growing with reduced requirements for water and nutrients and can be mown down to 5mm.

Innovation is a key part of the Lindum philosophy and trials over the years have seen the introduction of Lokturf, a reinforced turf for goalmouths and walkways, deep rooting drought tolerant turf (RTF), shade tolerant mixtures as well as Wildflower turf to create an instant wildflower meadow for encouraging biodiversity. Turf for revetting is harvested using a special technique to make the final installation much easier for the greenkeeper.

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