

All Seasons Pitch 'Mark 2' Survey 2008 Results

CLUB NAME	GROUND NAME	CONTACT NAME	HOW DID IT PLAY?
SILVERTON	Turner Res, Dandenong	Paul Wilsnach	Very good
DANDENONG WEST	Greaves Res, Dandenong	Paul Colbert	A little softer, ball sits up a little, but quite good
COOMOORA	Coomoora Res, Dandenong	Hilary Wijeratne	played fairly well, considerable bounce with a new ball
ST MARY'S	Carroll Res, Dandenong	John Brooks	unexplained variation in bounce
RIVERGUM CC	Kelynack Res, Mill Park	Paul Unkles	bounces too high & too slow
not sure who played there	Brice Ave Res, Mooroolbark		
HEALESVILLE	Don Road, Healesville	Brent Watts (verbal)	pitch plays fine, no issues
TATURA	Sacred Heart Prim. School, Tatura	Bob Wildes	a bit bouncy for U11's when they bowl slow loopy balls
ELTHAM	Eltham Central Res, Eltham	Stuart Biddle	Consistent pace & bounce
SUNSHINE HEIGHTS	Bon Thomas Res, Brimbank	Paul Stockwell	Excellent surface, initially bouncy but settled well
NOT USED	Highbury Park, Burwood		**NOT USED**
HEATHERDALE	Heatherdale East Res, Heatherdale	Martin Lavelle	very true but slow
EAST BOX HILL	Whitehorse Res	Cameron White	very true, slower pace,
MACKIE	Mackie Res, ?	no reply	no reply
BURWOOD UNITING	Coopers Res	Morris Paolini	Even bounce all round
ABBOTSFORD ANGLERS	Anderson Park #1	Gary Newman	Seemed to play true
ABBOTSFORD ANGLERS	Anderson Park #2	Gary Newman	Seemed to play true

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KEW DEAF	Hayes Paddock	James Hale	pitch was great, had good bounce, better than the old pitch
BURWOOD UNITING	Lynden Res East	Morris Paolini	Even bounce all round
PRESTON FOOTBALLERS	Blake Park SE	Karl Kaiser	Good consistent bounce
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COBRAS CC	Barling Res (Lower)	Ben Bliss	Consistent bounce and carry. Excellent wicket
NORTHERN SOCIALS CC	Ruthven Res	Paul Clohesy	played well
WEST PRESTON	Sullivan Res	Luke Asbury (verbal)	Good, very consistent
FIJI VICTORIAN CC	Mayer Res		
NOT USED	Fleming Res	**NOT USED**	**NOT USED**
WEST COBURG	Shore Res	John Appleyard	Bouncy early but settled during the season
NOT SPECIFIED	Mutton Res East	Chris Smith	good consistent bounce, 100% better than previous
CLIFTON HILL	Ramsden Res	Paul Connors	players were all happy
GISBORNE	Sankey Res, Gisborne	Josh di Camillo	Played well, bit slower & bouncier
DONALD SPORTS GROUND	Donald Cricket Club	Colin Gilmour	Plays very good, little slow & bouncy
OLYMPIC COLTS	Olympic South Res	Alan Mendola	Played great
BUNDOORA	Yulong #1	Anthony White	Played quite well
EMMANUEL STH OAKLEIGH	South Oakleigh Sec College	Mark Thornhill	pitch played very well

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CLUB HAPPY?	COMMENTS FROM JUNIORS?
Happy	No juniors
no feedback from players, positive or negative	No juniors
Club is happy with the surface.	Junior games (U 15 & 17's) played on it with no problems
players will become accustomed to it	not used by juniors
club unhappy, batting far too difficult	enormous problems with too much bounce
club happy with the pitch	no problems reported by juniors
club happy, pitch settling in OK	not so bouncy when juniors bowl faster
Very satisfied	No negative feedback
Extremely happy, very true & consistent	Juniors played, no feedback
NOT USED	**NOT USED**
club was generally happy	no complaints, a good surface for juniors
fair surface, requires a little adjustment	no complaints
no reply	no reply
Very happy	zero feedback, as if nothing had changed
Satisfied once they wore in a bit	no juniors
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Very happy	zero feedback, as if nothing had changed
Very satisfied	no juniors
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Very happy.	Under 17's, no problems
extremely happy	juniors were pleased with it
Club very happy	the very small juniors found bounce a bit high
NOT USED	**NOT USED**
no comments	no comments
more than satisfied	no comments
players were all happy	players were all happy
Happy with pitch	bounced higher, waiting on comments
Happy	Juniors played, no comments or problems
Very happy with the surface	no juniors
Prefer flat synthetic, but plays better than previous All-seasons pitches	no comments from juniors, presumably OK
overall, a great all weather pitch	played well, a bit bouncy, good when damp, no burns if kids

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OTHER COMMENTS?
Good surface
played like a new synthetic wicket should
Variation may not be good for junior batsmen as they develop skills
impossible to bat, highly detrimental to junior development
pitch fine, no issues at all from our club or opposition teams
a little more bouncy but club happy with pitch
Better than previous All-seasons pitches
we had positive feedback from opposition players
NOT USED
shorter balls tended to come on to the bat slowly
turns for the spinners, plush pile is a benefit for bowlers & batsmens backs & joints
A lot better than previous synthetic pitches and wears better which will last longer
no other comments
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OTHER COMMENTS?
pitch will last a long time
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assisted the bowlers, also a good batting deck
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great wicket allround, club satisfied with the pitch
very even bounce
mustn't bowl too short, ball sits up. Good, consistent surface.
NOT USED
expect it will get better next season
some higher bounce for slower bowlers
players were all happy
Ball lasts better
Plays very consistent, spinners liked it especially
Keep up the good work
waiting to see after winter sport
bounce quite high & marginally slow, but consistent