

DORSET SATURDAY SENIOR LEAGUE GROUND GRADING CRITERIA

PLAYING AREA

Size –

Minimum width 70 yards and minimum length 107 yards

Maximum width 100 yards and maximum length 130 yards

Goal post and goal net supports to be of professional manufacture

Required

and meet the requirements of the Laws of the game.

PITCH PERIMETER BARRIER

Shortest distance between touchline and perimeter barrier

4 feet

Shortest distance between goal line and perimeter barrier

4 feet

Stakes and ropes required.

TRAINERS' BOXES

Clearly separated and marked HOME and AWAY

Required

Each box must be able to accommodate at least 5 persons.

PLAYING SURFACES STANDARD (GRASS) OR ACCREDITED 3G SURFACE

Playing surface standard

Good

Flat and free from surface depressions

Required

Flat and free from excessive undulations

Required

PITCH MAINTENANCE

Ground equipment – suitable line marker

Required

FLOOD LIGHTING

If installed

120 Lux

PLAYERS' DRESSING ROOMS – HOME AND AWAY

Minimum size

Adequate for 16 players

Number of shower heads for each dressing room

3

Minimum of WCs for each dressing room

1 in changing block

Minimum of wash basins for each dressing room

1 in changing block

Dressing rooms well heated and ventilated.

Required

MATCH OFFICIALS' DRESSING ROOM

Size of dressing room

Adequate for 3 officials

Number of shower heads

1

WC

1 in block

Wash basins

1 in block

Well heated and ventilated	Required
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GROUND FACILITIES

Refreshments facilities for spectators during match	Required
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Unobstructed access for emergency vehicles and access gates must be open or keys available on match days	Required
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