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Subject: Artificial Turf Test Results

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Dear Guive,

We tested the samples of artificial grass that you sent us. According to our X-Ray Fluorescence Analyzer we found the following results for the samples you sent ("ND" means no lead detected):

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| Charlstown High School | blue – No lead detected (ND), yellow – 7007parts per million |
| Concord Carlisle Regional HS | green – 13,900ppm, yellow – 11,100ppm, red - ND, black - ND, white - ND, blue - ND |
| Saunders Stadium | green - ND, white - ND, yellow – 13,000ppm |
| Lincoln-Sudbury HS | yellow – 10,200ppm |
| Wayland HS | yellow – 6098ppm, red - ND, orange – 12,500ppm |

While there is no official safe level of lead exposure in turf for children we recommend that children avoid contact with turf that tests positive. Congress recently set a limit of 100ppm for children's toys in the Consumer Product Safety Improvement Act and the American Academy of Pediatrics recommends a cap at 40ppm.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

Regards,

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