

A FLOORING SYSTEM FOR CHAMPIONS

Bona **SuperSport** for wood and resilient surfaces

MAINTENANCE GUIDE

Every floor requires regular maintenance and aftercare to retain the best appearance as well as its performance characteristics. Failure to do so can lead to the deterioration of the playing surface with it becomes slippery and potentially dangerous to use.

In order to maintain the performance for all sprung floor systems and to prolong the life of your sports floor, you will need to give consideration to the information noted below in addition to adopting a strict cleaning regime. The information below should be taken as general guidance. For specific details please follow the manufacturer's instructions.

General Recommendations

Hall Temperature

The temperature in the hall should not rise above 26°C and should not drop below 12°C, at any time. If there is underfloor heating and there is a breakdown, the temperature should be brought back up to recommended gradually, with no more than 10°C rise over a 24hrs period.

Relative Humidity

The Relative Humidity (RH) of the environment should not exceed 65% and should not drop below 35% at any time. RH levels beyond this range is likely to provoke excessive movement of a timber floor with damage resulting.

Use of Equipment

Care should be taken with moveable equipment:

- Equipment such as trampolines when erected and dismantled.
- Moving apparatus with wheels. Check condition of wheels.
- Pianos etc should be placed on a protective mat and transported carefully.
- Heavy items dragged on the floor can damage and indent flooring.
- For indoor cricket, mats should be used at all times.

High Level Works

If tower scaffolding or scissor lifts are to be used for maintenance, minimum 12mm plywood should be placed under the wheels and outriggers to distribute the load.

Entry Points into the Hall

It is recommended that access to the hall from an outside entrance is avoided. This reduces the transfer of dirt and contaminants onto the floor and the associated damage to the surface. Barrier matting should be positioned at all external doors also.

Footwear

Black soled shoes should not be used to avoid scuff marks. Ideally shoes worn outside should not be used on the sports floor.

Sports Floor Protection

In order to protect the surface your sports floor, protection should be considered when the hall is used for exams or social events where tables and chairs will be used.

Slippery Floor

If you do not implement an effective maintenance regime to keep the surface free of contaminants, the surface may become slippery, increasing the risk of slips and injuries.

Line Markings

The life of the line markings will depend on the use and maintenance of the floor. Surface line markings can be rejuvenated (typically every 5-7 years).

Note: Adhesive tape should not be used on the floor as this can damage the surface coating.

Cleaning Instructions

| | Timber | Resilient |
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| Daily Cleaning | Collect and remove all surface dust/debris using a V mop | Collect and remove all surface dust/debris using a V mop |
| Weekly Cleaning | The floor should be mechanically cleaned once a week or after every 35hrs of use, using Bona Supersport Cleaner | The floor should be mechanically cleaned once a week or after every 35hrs of use, using Bona Supersport Cleaner |
| Deep Clean* 3-6 months | Mechanical cleaning using Bona Supersport Deep Clean | Mechanical cleaning using Bona Supersport Deep Clean |
| Scrub & re-coat* 3-5 years | Bona Re-coat System | Bona Re-coat System |
| Sand & Re-seal* 7-12 years | Bona Gold sanding system | Bona Resilient System |

*The frequency of these treatments depends upon the type of use of the floor and the length of use, along with the effectiveness of maintenance and the degree of protection that is afforded when the floors are used for non-sporting activities.

General Advice

For the weekly clean we recommend Bona Supersport Cleaner and for the Deep Clean, Bona Supersport Deep Clean.

For mechanical cleaning machines, ensure these are fitted with the correct pads/brushes (soiled cleaning materials, pads etc can have an abrasive effect resulting in premature wear).

Ensure no standing liquid cleaner is left on the floor during and following cleaning.

When using a scrubber-drier or similar, work in the direction of the boards, not across them.

Remove liquid spills of tea, coffee, squash etc using a damp cloth. Heavier contamination, oil, grease etc, should be removed using Bona Supersport Deep Clean and a microfibre mop or cloth.

The above information is intended as a guide. Conditions may vary between sites and the frequency of the various tasks may require adjustment. Frequent inspections are recommended to ensure the floor is treated optimally.

BONA SUPERSPORT CLEANER

Safe for daily use on wood and resilient sports floors, Bona SuperSport Cleaner is an effective, slightly alkaline formulation which leaves no residue.



- ✓ SAFE FOR REGULAR DAILY USE
- ✓ EFFECTIVE CLEANING OF ALL SPORTS SURFACES

BONA SUPERSPORT DEEP CLEAN

Designed for periodic deep cleaning, Bona SuperSport Deep Clean removes black heel marks as well as the build-up of body fats and other contaminants from wood and resilient sports floors.



- ✓ DEGREASES SURFACE
- ✓ REMOVES SCUFF MARKS

