



Winterizing Your TurfHound Tee Surface

TurfHound Surfaces are designed and built to minimize the need for maintenance and can be left out in the winter elements. However, depending on your climate (heavy snow, days below 32 degrees Fahrenheit or Zero degrees Celsius) you may want to extend the useful life of the surfaces for as long as possible by implementing one of the steps below that meets your needs:

WE DO NOT RECOMMEND TAKING UP THE SURFACE

- Tarp the entire length of the tee line and use landscape pins or bricks to keep the tarp from coming loose.
- We recommend **NOT** taking up the tee line because the same person taking it up may not be the same person putting it down again.
- The rough panel grass will get compressed as it was upon delivery.

IF YOU ABSOLUTELY MUST TAKE UP THE SURFACE

- Surfaces can be stacked one on top of the other, similar surfaces together, in the maintenance building.
- ***THERE IS NO NEED TO TAKE UP THE FRAME.***
- Mark each panel with indelible marker (left to right; end cap; perimeter rough left; perimeter rough right).

Tee Line Models ***without perimeter rough*** have an end cap on the left and right end (or sides of the tee line). Note the direction of the grain and mark appropriately underneath (left/right).

Tee line models ***with perimeter rough***, take note as to the direction of the grain and the shelf underneath the pads; grain forward with shelf cut in the front portion denotes front perimeter panel and grain forward with shelf cut in the back portion denotes a rear perimeter panel.

Tee Line Models ***with perimeter rough*** in addition to the end cap, have left/right ***AND*** front/back end pieces. If you look underneath each of the four (4) corners are molded to match the four (4) corners of the frame component. Again, note the grain direction and mark underneath as left/right ***AND*** front/back.

Tee Line Models ***with a curve, wing or angled design***, be sure to mark the bottoms as you take each panel up as custom cuts have been made to the rough panels particularly at the curve or angle and this would include the perimeter rough.

IN SEASON REMINDER

We recommend rotating turf sections on heavily used mats at least once a year at the beginning or end of a season.

If dirt builds up turn the panels on their side and use the "turbo" head attachment on a power washer to remove mud and dirt buildup.

Tee Holders: Clean out broken tees from the tee holders every couple of weeks, but be careful **not to throw out the ribbed inserts** which helps keep the tee in the slot. A tee holder with built up broken tees will keep expanding and not hold the tee for an extended period of time leading to unhappy members.

It is wise to purchase spare slotted tee holders/telescopic holders before the season starts.

Grass Inserts: Located in the back slot of the panels, sometimes may split or be inadvertently thrown out. There is no charge to replace the grass inserts so be sure to stock up!

Weed Spray: You can use grass and weed killer on the surface.

Top Dressing: If at all possible keep Top Dressing away from the panels.

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