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School PTA

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Date: 7/14/18 2:04 PM (GMT-05:00) To: ezzard ezzard <ezzard@candw.ky>
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From: Davin Norton [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Thursday, May 24, 2018 11:48 AM
To: Ebanks, Tommy
Cc: Jim Watts; Matt Gruetter
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: Cayman Islands - Pictures of Tarp

Thanks Tommy,

This is the best I can tell of that product, some of this will be a repeat of what we discussed on the phone.

- The product looks analogous to what we would currently sell as a heavy weight batting cage material.
- That cushion does not look to be perforated, so it would not be suggested to use outside as it will not drain water through the system and will water log the cushion. The fiber does look to be Nylon, so UV exposure would also create the "white chalky" look over time I mentioned on the phone, so you may also want to avoid outside use because of that as well.
- That is a low pile dense thatch turf so it would not require any infill. All of the shock absorbency would be satisfied by the attached cushion in lieu of a rubber infill system.
- It looks like there are remnants of seaming thread from the initial install. That is certainly an option but the seams can also be glued. I would think for a reused field that has already been sewn, it would be better long term to glue the new seams to avoid any additional stresses to the joint with additional sewing. Glued seams do require much less of a skilled installer than sewn seams. We use a polyurethane epoxy for our glued seams in conjunction with a backing tape. One of the pictures looks to have a different color turf inlaid into the green that may be a visual example of what a glued seam would look like. We can provide you with a cost for those items if you would like.
- Since it is a 12 year old field, the warranty period has lapsed, so we wouldn't be able to help out there.

Let me know if you need anything else and I'll do whatever I can to help you out.

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