

Sustainable Bowling Greens Management Programme [Stuart Yarwood MG stuart.yarwood@dlf.com](mailto:stuart.yarwood@dlf.com)

	Aeration	Granular	Liquid & Biostimulants	Topdressing	Wetting Agent	Cost £?
January	Solid Tine + (7-8mm Height of Cut-HoC) - <i>"Always roll after EVERY aeration, prior to cutting"</i>		Seaweed @ 20L/hect + Chelated Iron @ 10L/hect			
February	Solid Tine + (7-8mm HoC)	Lawnsand 3.0.0 +3%Fe @ 20gm/m ² (1st false spring)		Light dusting (approx 1 ton)	Aqueduct Dry Patch Curative @ 3 L per Green	
March	Solid Tine + (7-8mm HoC)	Lawnsand 3.0.0 +3%Fe @ 20gm/m ² (2nd false spring)	Seaweed @ 20L/hect	Liberal application after Tining, but not to smother grass - brush well	Standard Wetting Agent Application 1 (can be mixed with Seaweed App)	
April	Solid Tine + (6mm HoC) Verticut Lightly Fortnightly (weather permitting) Star Slit/Sarrel Roll Fortnightly		Seaweed & Methylene Urea @ 10L/hect	Liberal application after Tining but not to smother grass - brush well	Standard Wetting Agent Application 2 (can be mixed with Seaweed App)	
May	5mm HoC - Verticut Lightly Fortnightly (weather permitting) Star Slit/Sarrel Roll x 2	8.0.0 @ 20-30gms/m ² early part of month			Standard Wetting Agent Application 3 + Seaweed @ 10L/hect	
June	5mm HoC - Verticut Lightly Fortnightly (weather permitting) Star Slit/Sarrel Roll Fortnightly		Seaweed & Methylene Urea @ 10L/hect each		Standard Wetting Agent Application 4 (can be mixed with Seaweed & Urea App)	
July	Solid Tine - 5mm HoC - Verticut Lightly Fortnightly (weather permitting) Star Slit/Sarrel Roll Fortnightly	8.0.0 @ 20-30gms/m ² late part of month			Standard Wetting Agent Application 5 (can be mixed with Seaweed App)	
August	Solid Tine - Verticut Lightly Fortnightly (weather permitting) Star Slit/Sarrel Roll Fortnightly		Seaweed & Methylene Urea @ 10L/hect each		Standard Wetting Agent Application 6 (can be mixed with Seaweed & Urea App)	
September	Vertidrain or Solid Tine. Increase HoC to 7-8mm Scarify, Over Seed, (Fescue/Bent 80/20) & Topdress	Lawnsand 3.0.0 +3%Fe @ 20gm/m ²		3-5 tonnes of Topdressing No more Topdressing after Renovations again till Feb		
October	Deep Slit Fortnightly (7-8mm HoC 7-10 days mow weather depending) - Daily Dew & Wormcast removal	Late Oct-Early Nov LeatherJacket Treatments (depending on the timing of the hatch?)	Seaweed @ 10L/hect + Chelated Iron @ 10L/hect			
November	Deep Slit Fortnightly (7-8mm HoC 7-10 days mow weather depending) - Daily Dew & Wormcast removal		Seaweed @ 10L/hect + Chelated Iron @ 10L/hect		Aqueduct @ 3 L per Green	
December	Deep Slit Fortnightly (7-8mm HoC 7-10 days mow weather depending) - Daily Dew & Wormcast removal	Lawnsand 3.0.0 +3%Fe @ 20gm ²				
TOTALS	Lots of Air! Nb. Increase aeration locally on high traffic, Dry Patch or shaded areas.	50-60kg/N per hect - (12X 20kg Lawnsand, 6 x 20kg 8.0.0)	10L Seaweed, 10L Meth Urea, 10L Chelated Iron	5-10 tons	10L of wetting agent will do 6 applications for the year.	£?

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