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STRAIGHT LINES IN LESS TIME NEWS

New Products:

- Tru Mark Field String Winders—Heavy Duty all steel and Light Weight plastic reel. Both feature a connecting post for quick wind-up with a cordless drill.



- Sports Field Stencils—Small Block Letters for painting sports fields, Patriotic Star, and custom stencils

- Tru Mark Sand Bag—light weight yet versatile marine fabric bag with Velcro closure for loading on site, holds 10 pounds



- Shurflo Backpack Sprayer—battery operated 12 volt diaphragm sprayer that can be used for painting field stencils and hashmarks
- E-100 & RS-500 Intake Line Upgrade Kits—Solid tubing for paint tank to maximize field lining and minimize residual paint
- Paint Mule, 5 x 10 Utility Trailer

Tru Mark Continues with Product and Service Innovations—How Can We Help?

2004 saw several new product and information introductions. Besides the new products listed above we developed a **Soccer Field Layout Tool** that is a Microsoft Excel based application used to establish the distances from two points and all the field line intersections. Using the center line running perpendicular to the center of the goalie boxes and the center of the playing field all corners can be staked out using two tape measures.

Visit <http://www.athleticfieldmarker.com/SoccerFieldCalculator.html> and click on the layout tool image and do a “Save As” action.

In addition we have collected four pages of **Field Painting Strategies** primarily for football field marking. These tips and tricks will help prepare you for the season as well as each week of your field marking season. This is an Acrobat formatted file that can be downloaded at http://www.athleticfieldmarker.com/Field_Painting_Strategies.pdf.

Two very popular set of web pages have been the **Football and Soccer Field Dimensions**. You can reach these pages from our Links page.

We search for new, innovative and well built products that offer multiple benefits to customers. Although not yet posted on our web site we do offer **chalk markers as well as aerosol and bulk latex field marking paint**. Tru Mark now sells Krylon field marking aerosol paint that is priced at \$38.50 per case (12 cans). Also we offer the Missouri Turf Paint field marking latex paint (Mautz #8-30 manufacturer) in 5-gallon pails at \$42.50/pail. This better quality, higher solids and titanium oxide, latex paint is normally diluted 2-3 gallons of water to one gallon of paint. Some of you may need removable paint for either grass or artificial surfaces. Tru Mark sells removable paint products by turfCOATINGS, a division of Coating Specialist Group. The natural grass removal paint product is priced at \$47.50/ 5-gallon pail and the artificial surface removal paint is priced at \$164.95/ 5-gallon pail. Please contact us for quantity pricing and shipping on the aerosol (12 and 25 cases) and Mautz latex (32 5-gallon pails) paint products.

What's New @ Web Site

www.AthleticFieldMarker.com

Products

- RS-500M—“Out-in-Front” striper with Mower Deck
- Field Stencils - Small Block Letter, Patriotic Star, Custom Stencils
- Paint Mule, 5 x 10 Utility Trailer
- String Winders—Heavy Duty and Light Weight
- Sand Bags
- Backpack Sprayer
- Other Kits & Parts—new kits, parts and pictures—Brass Nozzle Body Upgrade Kit (replaces the black nylon nozzle body holding the spray tip and check valve)

FAQ

- Product Catalog (4 pages) with pricing sheet
- New Distributors
- Field Stencil Tips

Service & Repair

- Soccer Field Layout Tool
- Field Painting Strategies
- Grass System Response to Traffic and Recovery Article

Links

- Grounds Maintenance Tips
- Sports Field Dimensions
- Youth Soccer Program & Rules
- Removable Field Paint
- Sports Associations