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PROJECT PROGRESS REPORT

JUNE 2023

ATHLETIC STADIUM ENHANCEMENTS

WHERE WE'RE AT:

Excavation, clearing, and construction of the upper drainage basin have reached completion without issue. Connection to the main drainage lines coming from the stadium field was completed and the area has been landscaped to include plantings depicted below.



Figure 1 Upper Drainage Basin completed with plantings. Additional layers include rock, soil, perforated pipe and shrubs in accordance with our approved NPDES permit.

As the project continues our goal is to communicate the project's progress with periodic updates designed to capture important elements of major work performed.

Footings and Piers to accommodate the new bleachers and Press box are continuing and expected to be ready for installation by mid-July. This will include independent third party inspections along with code compliance inspections through Keycodes and Hannover Engineering on behalf of the district and Upper Saucon Township.



Figure 3 - Picture of footing below the pier which serves as the base of the pier for additional load capacity and support of the overall structure.



Figure.2 - Piers for bleachers to support the weight of the overall structure.



NEW STADIUM LIGHTING!







MUSCO
lighting

New stadium lighting includes TLC “Total Light Control” from foundation to pole top thanks to MUSCO!.

WHAT'S NEXT?

As we spring into summer, the project will focus on the Stadium itself with installation of the Turf Field and by Shaw and construction of the track subsurface by AFOA will set the project up for substantial completion in August as we look ahead to the 2023-2024 sports season.

 Lights – Musco Lighting Light LED	 Scoreboard – Daktronics 25" Digital	 Turf – Legion NXT Slit film/Monofilament	 Stands – Southern Bleacher ADA Compliant
Total Light Control from foundation to pole top. TLC for LED® Better for players, fans and built to last up to 25 years	14'5" H x 25'3" W with AD Panel Arch Truss Speaker and Sound System Better for AD marketing and revenue generation	Power through Shaw Sports Turf's PowerBlade® fiber system Designed to look and play more like natural grass Shaw backed 8 Year Warranty Typical field use up to 12 years	Home Grandstand with increase seating over 2,000 seats Latest in ADA compliance and safety guidelines 8'x42' New Press box



Combining slit film and monofilament fibers into one complete system, Legion provides the benefits of both:

- not only does it look like natural grass and allow for better ball roll
- but it also has added durability and infill control

Continued thanks to our Athletic Department including our Director Marc Zimmerman and the various coaches involved in ensuring our scheduling remains in place to accommodate all practices and games for all teams displaced during the construction period. We appreciate your patience as we look forward to an exciting project that will add value for years to come.

Likewise, our building principals Mr. Joshua Miller at the High School and Mrs. Deanna Webb at the Middle School continue to attend our construction meetings and keep students, staff and parents informed about updates on progress, adapting to any temporary displacements and ensuring a smooth dropoff/pickup continues along with other safety measures for overall site safety.

Updates will be made available on our district website: www.slstd.org.