

Croquet NZ lawn blend promotion and trials

NZ Seed Brokers (NZSB) is a turf product developer and supplier that acts as an intermediary agent to assist Lawn and Sports turf sectors with procurement services, advisory and group buying potential. **NZSB** have collated a network of suppliers and advisers to secure the best possible seed and products at "group" purchasing rates with the additional advantage of on-call advice and phone/online support. Current clients include golf clubs, turf & sod farming networks, stadium agronomists, turf consultants, landscapers and lawn contractors.

Clients, and affiliates of clients have access to (cost free) services that include :-

- > Fine turf cultivar specifications and trials results (domestic & global programmes)
- > Quality assurance and onsite performance trials
- > Sowing, outputs and management guides
- > Agrichemical and nutrients specifications
- > Funding support service (i.e. public funds, grants applications, formal quotations)









Seasonal Trials

Case studies & trials

Trials monitoring

Play quality tests

NZSB's procurment pricing to its' customer is <u>all inclusive</u> of a contracted loading with the supplier, there are no additional costs to our clients (other than any additional or specialist services contracts i.e. contract turf management, additional monitoring, staff training, seminars etc..)

Autumn 2014 Lawn blend trial for Croquet NZ Clubs and Associations



Introducing:-

TRU-ROLL (*Creeping Red Fescue / Bentgrass Blend*)

A recent trials standout, **TRU-ROLL** was initially adapted for golf course oversowing and greens renovations. Using heat and disease tolerant varieties, the blend has proven to handle wear & mowing height and frequency. By using fine, stoloniferous (creeping) varieties the turf blend creates a very uniform cover with a slow and low growing "knit" canopy, thus assisting self repair qualities that are required for high traffic lawns and level greens (and a "true roll"). The mid green sward will thrive in warmer conditions and in areas with limited access to irrigation resources.

TRU-ROLL be is available to Croquet NZ as of 1st March 2014 **at cost plus handling** as a seasonal promotion and can also be viewed at club trials (to be selected by Murray Taylor) in the Lower North Island this season. Subsequent peer reviewing and workshops will be arranged through the year to present the result reports to the national club network via Croquet NZ.

To purchase TRU-ROLL for Autumn renovations

Email your enquiry to NZ Seed Brokers at nzeedbrokers@inspire.net.nz