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Care and Maintenance for Champion Flooring Systems

Thank you for your purchase of the Monoflow or Monoflex system manufactured by Champion Flooring. These floor systems are designed to be very durable athletic surfaces for installations where multi-purpose activities will be held. You Champion Floor should perform well for many years provided the following maintenance instructions are followed. If you have any questions, please contact Champion Flooring at 620-232-2671.

The following are standard precautionary measures that should be taken to prevent damage or premature wear of your Champion Floor.

- Walk off mats should be placed at all entrances to the gym where the floor is installed. This will decrease the amount of dirt and grit that will be tracked onto your floor which can act as sandpaper under foot.
- All tables and chairs should be monitored to ensure that the rubber feet are on all legs and in proper condition. These tables and chairs can cause damage to the floor if the feet are damaged or missing.
- All folding bleacher wheels as well as wheels on equipment carts or dollies should be checked regularly. Damaged or dragging wheels or wheels that may have picked up screws, rocks or other objects will damage the floor.
- Athletic equipment such as Volleyball posts should be placed in their sleeves carefully. Dragging this equipment may damage the floor.

The following are general guidelines that should be followed to clean and maintain your Champion Floor. The degree of use of every facility is different, therefore this should be considered in determining the appropriate cleaning schedule. Please contact Champion Flooring with any questions. Do not clean the floor with an auto-scrubber or buffer for a period of 30 days from completion.

• Use of a commercial dust mop (dry) should occur at least once per day or more if under heavier use. This will assist in keeping the dirt and grit to a minimum.

- Weekly or monthly maintenance should include cleaning the floor with an autoscrubber or buffer. If this equipment is unavailable, a wet mop may be used. Use Champion Citrus Cleanser, available from Champion Flooring or other <u>neutral</u> <u>based cleaners</u>. A blue or red pad is recommended for periodic cleaning however use only the minimum amount of downward pressure necessary to clean the floor. Excessive downward pressure may damage the finish of the floor surface. Do not operate the scrubber or buffer on a dry floor. Follow all instructions on the cleaning solution packaging to avoid damage to the floor. It is recommended to rinse the floor with clean water only after every other cleaning to prevent cleaner residue buildup.
- Ink pens and very acidic foods may stain the floor if is not removed promptly. Clean up all spills immediately with clean warm water. Should a stain occur a mild solvent wipe may be used to try to remove it. Mineral spirits and a clean white cloth may be used. Wipe back and forth lightly to remove the stain. If the cloth begins to become the color of the floor, stop immediately. Do not use sandpaper, steel wool or abrasive cleaners as they will damage the finish of the floor.
- Soft soled shoes may leave scuff marks that are hard to clean. It is recommended that only proper athletic shoes be worn on the floor. High healed shoes without the proper pad on the heel will damage the floor as well.

The Champion Floor systems are designed for heavy use. Therefore, the use of an after market coating or sealer is not needed. If one is desired, do not install for a period of 90 days following completion. Most after market sealers will cause the floors appearance to become glossy. Build up of these sealers or over application may change the slip coefficient of the floor making the surface more slippery.

If you have any questions or if you wish to purchase the Champion Citrus Cleanser product, please contact Champion Flooring.