



## Drainage – Notts County FC



### Project details:

Floods during the spring of 2001 caused the river Trent to back up into the drains of the football ground. When the water subsided the pitch was left with a covering of river silt, which clogged up the drainage systems already in place & destroyed the turf and sub soil.

The whole pitch was taken up along with all the soil matrix build up. It was taken down to the original verti drains, which were natural aggregate.

A carpet bed of 4/8mm loose Lytag<sup>®</sup> lightweight aggregate was used to cover the pitch to a depth of 75mm and to replace the materials in the verti drains. The pitch was then built up with specialist fibre sands & soils. The turf finish was seeded.

The first friendly game of the season was played on the 4<sup>th</sup> August 16 weeks after the project began.

### Project:

Notts. County Football Club

### Date:

2001

### Client:

Notts. County Football Club

### Main Contractor:

DJR Contractors

