

# **WESTMOUNT PARK PLAYING FIELDS PROJECT**

## ***WHY CLOSE THE BEST FIELD TO MOST SOCCER PLAYERS?***

Westmount's latest plan envisages closing the upper Melville FIFA-size field as a senior and junior pitch.

**If the goal is to increase youth soccer resources,  
Why close the city's best field to most of its players?  
Why spend \$800,000 if the real result is not more  
but less space for organized soccer?**

The net reduction in playing area will lead to a concentration of activity in the southern field, natural turf failure, and, ultimately, new calls for synthetic turf which was resoundingly rejected at the May 2007 public consultation

A natural turf strategy requires using every available resource.

And the best resource of all is the north field.

It must remain a senior/junior field, or that strategy will fail.

Let's keep the southern area for school students and junior play

**For a sustainable natural turf strategy  
Keep the north field open as a senior and junior field!**



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