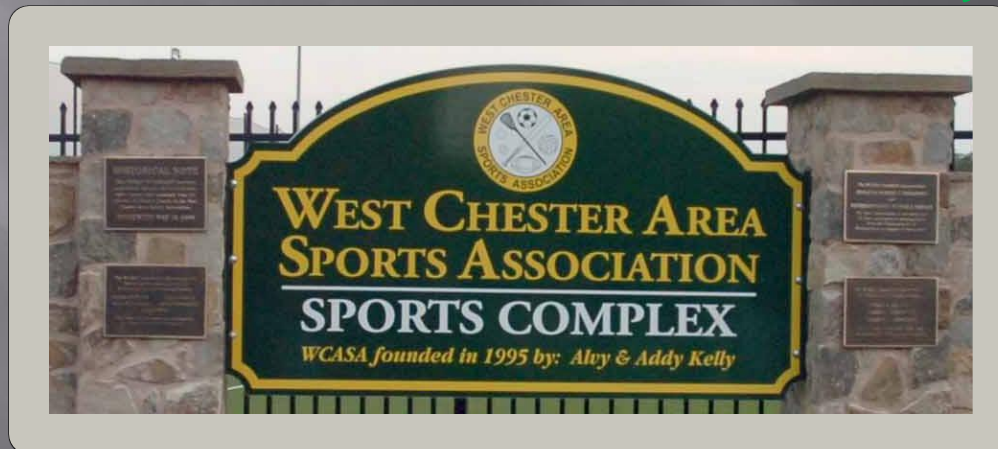


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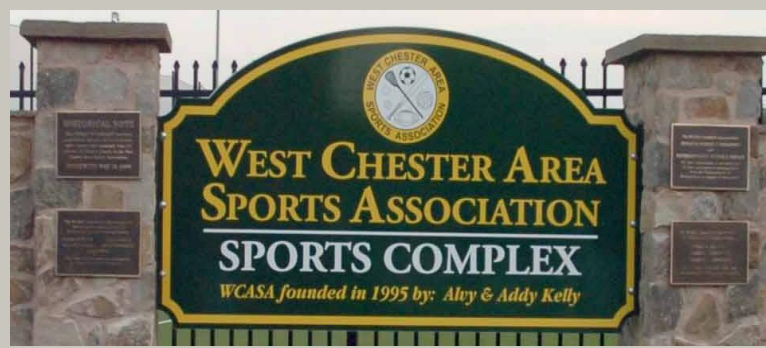
Softball Fields Renovation Project



# WCASA Complex:

Izzi (Upper) & Dorazio (Lower) Fields

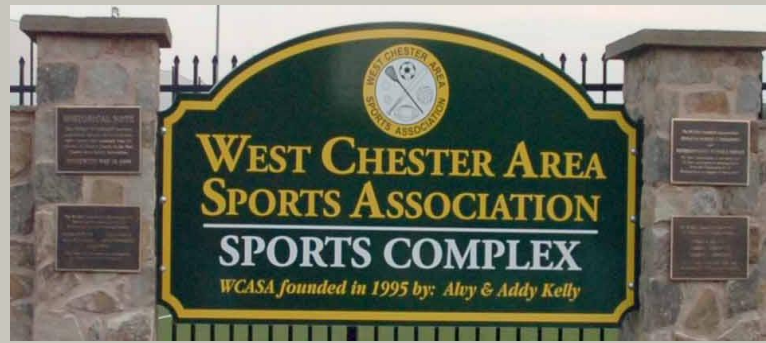




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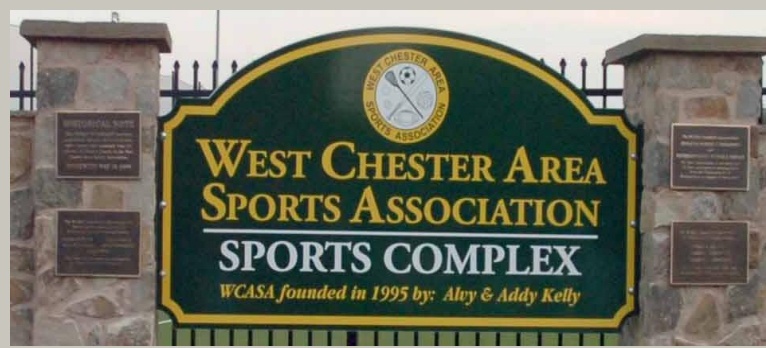
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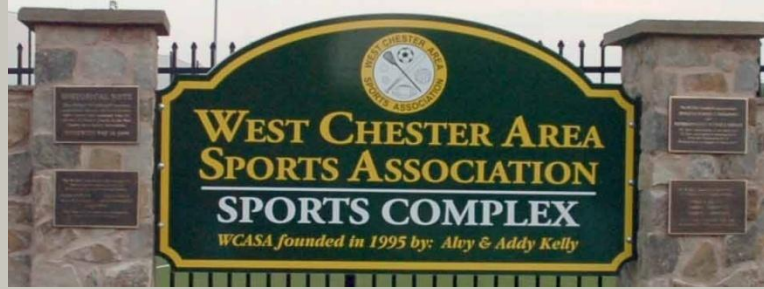
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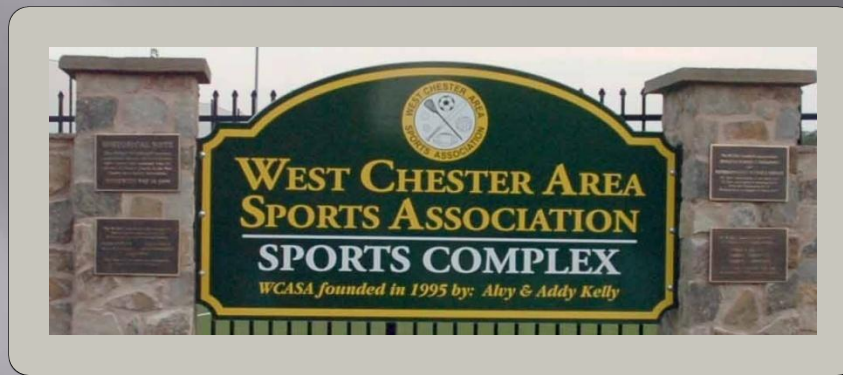


## Proposed Plan:

- Upper and Lower Softball field to have complete reconstruction

- **Lower Field:**

- Demo Work
- Earth Work
- Retaining Wall
- New Field Construction (infield extension)
- Arc Restoration
- General Restoration
- Turf Collar (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> baseline, and around Home plate)
- Stone base for Turf Collar

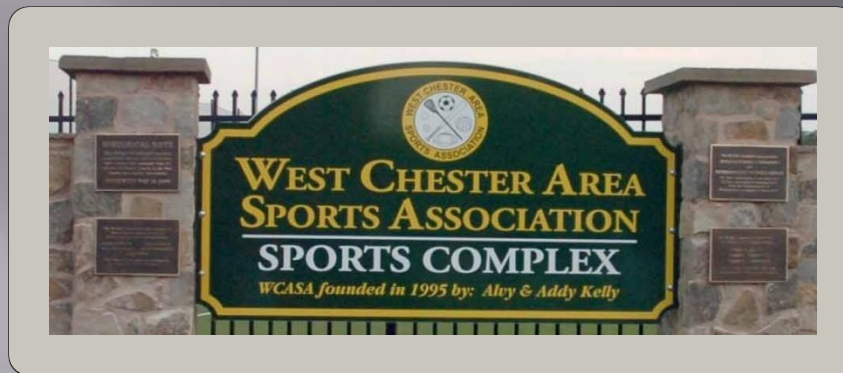


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- Upper and Lower Softball field to have complete reconstruction

- **Upper Field:**

- Demo Work
- Earth Work
- Retaining Wall
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- Turf Collar (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> baseline, and around Home plate)
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# ASA Rule Changes for 2012-2013:

## Official ASA Rule Changes for 2012

- Change Women's SP max fence distance to 300'
- All adult SP except Seniors move bases to 70' - effective in 2013
- Men's adult SP except Seniors move bases to 70'
- Allow wooden bats made before 2000 to be legal without ASA stamp
- Allowing Seniors to use 1.21 BPF bats
- Clarify knob specifications
- Clarify safety "grip" as opposed to "tape" and reduce the minimum coverage to 6"
- Reinstate heating of a bat as a manner of altering it's characteristics
- Change HR limits in Men's A to 10
- Allows the BR to advance beyond 1B only if there is a play made on another runner or there is an errant throw.
- Clarifies intentional interference with a batted ball a fielder has missed



# Infield does not support 65' bases



# Major Structural Issues:

## Dorino Izzi (Upper)

- ▣ Infield drainage issues
- ▣ Infield mix problems
- ▣ Infield does not support 65' bases
- ▣ Dangerous sun glare
- ▣ Low fence safety issues
- ▣ Holes in high use areas
- ▣ Aesthetic improvements

# Major Structural Issues:

Jim Dorazio (Lower)

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# Common Issues

- Existing storm water management





Continued Issues:

Both Fields





# Infield mix problems



# Dangerous sun glare



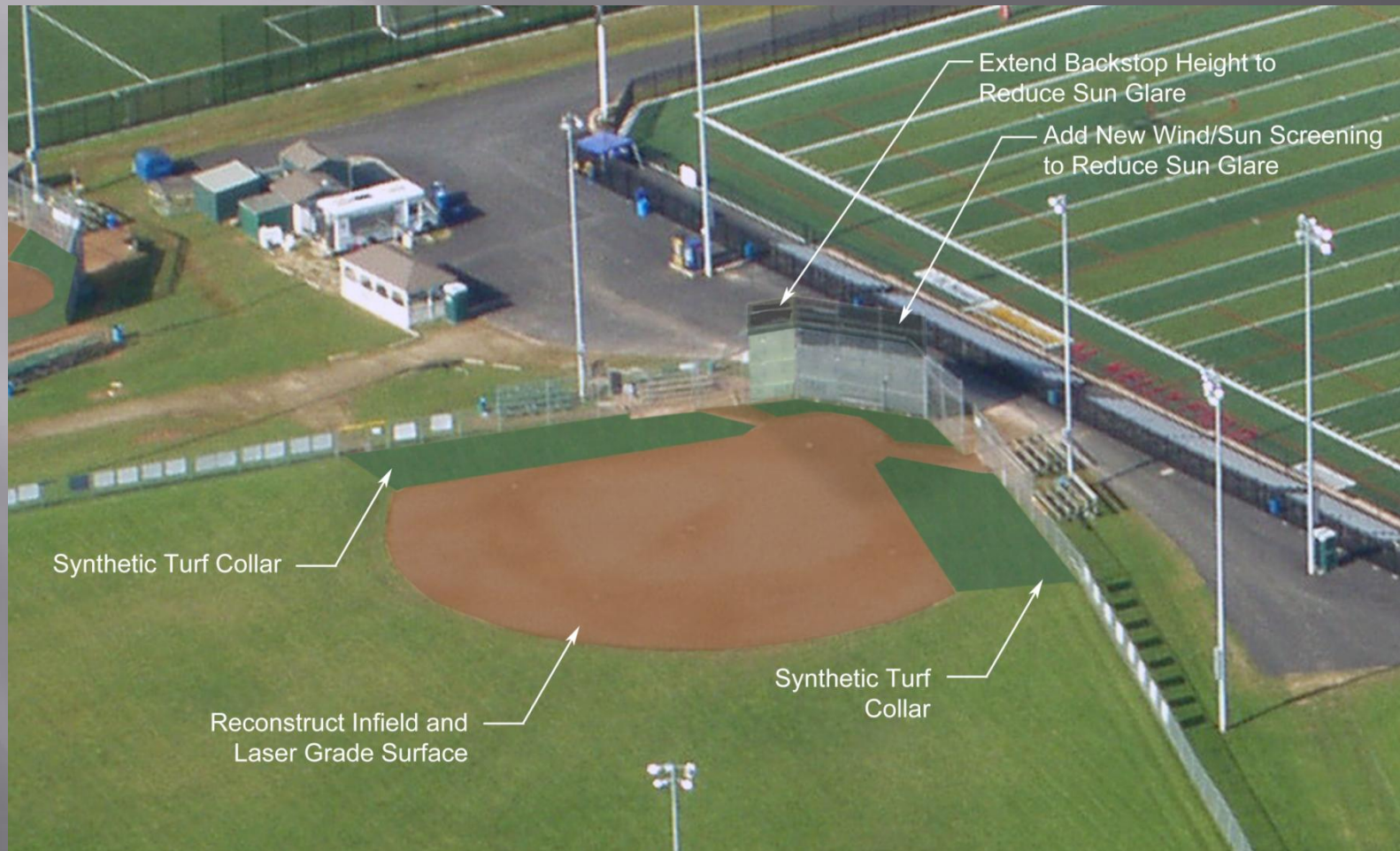


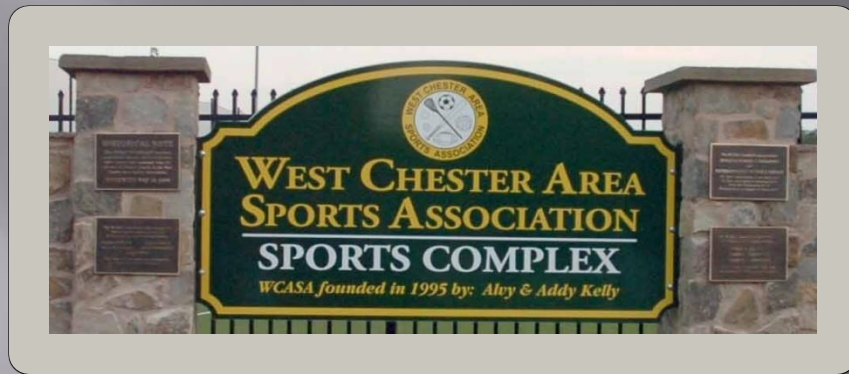
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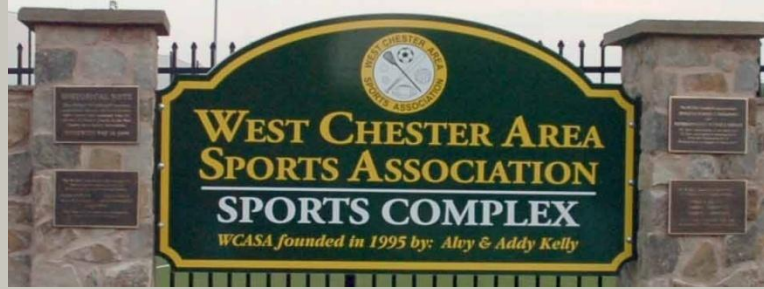
# Turf Collar - Upper





## Donations and Association Development:

- Corporate Sponsors are needed to complete this project:
- \$10,000 (Platinum Sponsors)
- \$5000 (Gold Sponsors)
- \$1000 (Bronze Sponsors)
- All sponsors will be officially recognized at the Grand Re-Opening of the WCASA Complex ceremony. Sponsors and families are welcome.



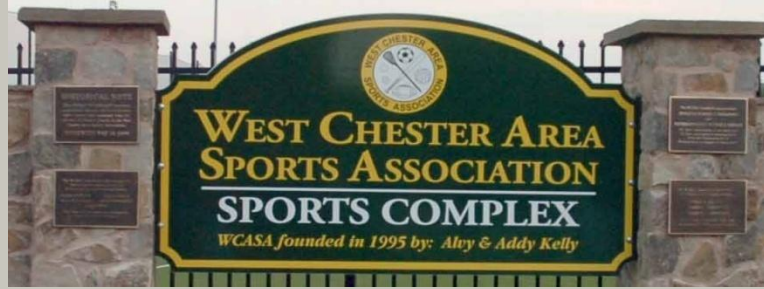
## Proposed marketing ideas:

### Platinum Sponsors:

- \$10,000 donation includes the following:
  - a) Field Signage (outfield walls, website)
  - b) Recognition Plaque
  - c) Article in (Daily Local News) about company and service duty to the community .
  - d) 5 year sponsor recognition on all tournament and events associated with the fields

### Gold Sponsors:

- \$5000 donation includes the following:
  - a) Field Signage (outfield walls, website)
  - b) Recognition Plaque
  - c) 2 year sponsor recognition on all tournament and events associated with the fields



## Bronze Sponsors:

- \$1,000 donation includes the following:
  - a) Field Signage (shared signage with similar donors)
  - b) 2 year sponsor recognition on all tournament and events associated with the fields

Donation Interest please contact the following representatives:

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