The new synthetic turf field has an inlaid school logo and is surrounded by a synthetic track. The project uses a subsurface drainage system in a herringbone pattern across the field. With lights for night games and painted lines, the field is ready for soccer and football players at Archbishop Williams High School.
Woodside Racquet Club
Westwood, Kan.

This upgraded four-court facility has a stadium court with seating, and three courts in an upper area, complete with distinctive shade shelters to keep players comfortable. The upper site was difficult to access—requiring two large stone ramps that were removed as the project stages were completed and a crane to move equipment. But the results proved to be outstanding.
Timing was critical for this winning project, as the track had to be completed in time for the Bruins’ commencement ceremonies. The original granite track was removed and replaced with a pre-manufactured, vulcanized rubber track, complete with eight lanes and two straightaway extensions. The project included all-weather “D zones” at the ends that accommodate areas for long jump/triple jump, high jump and pole vault.
This year’s outstanding residential tennis court shows off quality workmanship and attention to detail. The cushioned hard court, which also accommodates basketball, has elevated viewing from three sides, while the extended balcony off the master bedroom affords a full view of the court. Complete with waterfalls, koi pond, full outdoor kitchen, entertainment areas, and scenic views, the result is a true “outdoor living room.”
The city found a creative way to use leftover property between a middle school and high school: build a four-field soccer complex that can hold district-wide soccer meets. The site required excavation of basalt, the lava rock from prehistoric volcanic activity, but local mineral laws prevented moving the rock from the site, so it was used for decorative landscaping around the synthetic turf fields.

Albuquerque Public Schools Soccer Complex
Albuquerque, N.M.

Southwest Minnesota State University
Marshall, Minn.

The fieldhouse accommodates basketball, volleyball and tennis. But the flooring had been plagued by concrete moisture problems, and the surface was unusable. The failed moisture sealer had to be removed and another product applied before the pre-fabricated 10-mm rubber flooring could be put down. Later, custom colors were developed to match the Mustangs’ school colors.
The college wanted to update and enlarge its facility, which had a 20-year-old, 160-meter track, to include a new 200-meter track. Expanding the facility posed issues of matching the new flooring to the existing flooring, which necessitated grinding the surfaces to even them out. A new pre-fabricated sheet rubber surface completed this outstanding indoor track facility.

Sportime Randalls Island
Randalls Island, N.Y.

A New York City Parks licensee project, Sportime Randalls Island is the largest indoor facility in the world. There are five permanent indoor courts in a pre-engineered clear-span structure, while the other 15 courts are in three air-supported structures, which come down in the summer for outdoor tennis. Support facilities include offices, lounge areas, viewing areas, fitness center, tutoring center and banquet spaces.
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Monroe Community College PAC Center
Rochester, N.Y.

The first-ever ASBA Green Award goes to this new 56,000-square-foot indoor multi-purpose facility for athletics, fitness and recreation. The project, which achieved a LEED Gold rating, includes a high-energy-efficiency field house with a synthetic turf field, energy-cost reductions of over 30%, and a 30% reduction in water use. Also, more than 50% of construction waste was diverted away from landfills, nearly 40% of all construction materials used contained recycled content, and more than 10% of all materials used were generated within 500 miles of the project.

From the ASBA Chairman

Our Winners ‘Build It Right’

On behalf of the American Sports Builders Association, I would like to congratulate the 2010 Outstanding Facilities of the Year Award winners. The ASBA Awards Program has the goal of promoting the highest standards of construction excellence.

In 1995, the ASBA Board of Directors moved to revise the Awards Program and at the 1996 Technical Meeting, we began the tradition of honoring the award winners at this annual Association gathering. A complete listing of this year’s winners of awards, along with the winners from the past two years, can be found on ASBA’s website at www.sportsbuilders.org.

ASBA’s theme—“Build It Right”—is exemplified by the ASBA Awards Program. The quality work exemplified by this year’s award-winning facilities is at the heart of ASBA’s purposes. We want to continue to recognize and support this type of quality throughout the industry. ASBA’s programs are built around educating the professionals in our industry, providing networking opportunities for our members, and recognizing the quality work that we do every day.

As you look at the complete listing of award winners, you will notice mention of builders and suppliers on each project. The strong partnerships that exist within ASBA among its builders, designers and suppliers are at the heart of our success. We work together to “Build It Right” and have a strong record of quality and creative projects like the ones represented through the 2010 Outstanding Facilities of the Year.

Any ASBA members contributing to the design and/or construction of an outstanding project or facility are encouraged to submit an application for one of several industry awards.

Congratulations to this year’s award winners!

Sam Fisher, CTB
Chairman, American Sports Builders Association

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June 21, 2011  ASBA Awards Deadline

December 1-6, 2011  ASBA Technical Meeting,
JW Marriott Resort and Spa, Palm Springs, CA