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The Market Stance Playing Fields

Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing in support of KCC taking a 25 year lease of the Market Stance Playing Fields in Kingussie. The proposal to upgrade the facility is something that will hugely benefit Kingussie High School pupils as it will allow the school to use it for physical education classes, sports days and also to play fixtures which we often have to travel to Aviemore to play on the astro pitch.

The proposed upgrades to the current pitch will ensure that Kingussie has a quality grass facility that will allow a variety of local clubs and organisations to participate in a range of activities. Currently, Kingussie High School uses the facility when our school pitches are unplayable or we need an extra venue. Although we appreciate the use of the pitch it is uneven and dangerous due to rabbit holes and the lack of maintenance.

A quality grass pitch will help to create a community feel within Kingussie as it will be fantastic to see local shinty teams of all ages training, local football teams playing matches with spectators supporting, school teams playing fixtures and community events such as the Bikeathon using the facility.

Kingussie High School will work with KCC to ensure that the facility is well respected by all pupils and we are excited by the project and the potential for more sport in the community.

Yours sincerely

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