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Introduction:

Moorland Tennis Club has undergone a £500,000 transformation to produce an impressive new clubhouse and modern tennis facilities.

The customer:

Founded 65 years ago, Moorland Tennis Club in Poulton-le-Flyde has invested nearly half a million pounds in new facilities, including a new clubhouse, the resurfacing of three tennis courts and new floodlights, allowing members to play throughout the winter.

The project:

The Moorland Tennis Club committee has created an impressive spectator and social facility with the construction of a new clubhouse. The modern clubhouse balcony provides a safe and stylish viewing area for spectators and players.

The balustrade:

FUSION® Commercial outdoor balustrade glass panel system was installed on the clubhouse's external balcony, which extends from and surrounds the clubhouse creating a rectangular balcony. By selecting the glass panel option, the views remained undisturbed, and 16 glass panels were fitted around the balcony.



After viewing numerous systems the committee decided to install FUSION® balustrade, due to its modern appearance and quality of the materials.

The idea was to establish a high quality feature for the Pavilion that would allow members to make full use of the facilities. The finished re-build looks great; our members and visitors are really impressed with how striking the new balustrade system looks.

Keith Clark, President of The Moorland Tennis Club Committee



FUSION®
distinctive by design

Key features of the FUSION® Commercial Outdoor System

- Tested by FIRA to British Standards to withstand loadings of 1.5kN/m
- Compliant with UK Building Regulations
- Approved for use on domestic balconies and raised or ground level decks
- Available with glass panels, hardwood timber balusters or hardwood slatted panels
- Glass panels available in two sizes for greater flexibility
- Toughened glass, manufactured to EN12150-2
- Bracket fixings and newel post support bar provide structural strength
- Suitable for use on concrete surfaces or timber boards
- All brackets powder coated with Fusion Powder Coatings Silver 03
- Easy to install, delivering labour, time and cost savings
- Available ex-stock



We're Here To Help

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DECKPLANNER™

This is the unique and easy way to plan your balustrade requirements for external areas such as decks and balconies. DECKPLANNER™ calculates all the parts you require by asking a series of questions such as strength category, range and spindle or panel design you wish to use.

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Bespoke Planning Service

Our Technical Team offer a bespoke planning service to help at all stages of your project, from the parts you need, where to purchase, to how to install and finish. Available from 8.30 - 17.30 weekdays.

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Specifying Outdoors

When specifying outdoors it is important to select the right balustrade system for your needs. We have systems available to suit all applications, from ground level domestic settings, and raised level requirements to heavy commercial use.

Ground Level Domestic Settings – domestic decks up to 600mm above ground level.

Raised Level Domestic Settings – domestic decks over 600mm above ground level. Balustrade systems tested to raised level domestic requirements are equally suitable for use in ground level domestic settings.

Light Commercial Settings – public areas which are used to move people through and not susceptible to overcrowding including stairs, landings, corridors, external balconies & ramps. Balustrade systems tested to light commercial requirements are equally suitable for use in raised level domestic settings.

Heavy Commercial Settings – public areas with tables or fixed seating where people may congregate and are not susceptible to overcrowding. Balustrade systems tested to heavy commercial requirements are equally suitable for use in light commercial settings.

Building regulation requirements to be noted:

Minimum handrail heights within a domestic deck are; 900mm for both stairs and horizontal balustrade, on decks at ground level and up to 600mm above ground level.

For decks raised over 600mm above ground level; minimum handrail heights must be 900mm for stairs and 1100mm for horizontal balustrade.

Minimum handrail heights within any commercial setting; must be 900mm for stairs and 1100mm for horizontal balustrade.

