GANDY   **Proper Care of Your Gandy Sweep Master**

Your Gandy Sweep Master turf brush has been designed to groom playing surfaces, athletic fields, greens, tees and parking lots quickly and professionally. Operator should check brush plate and cross-member bolts regularly for security and the brush components for wear.
Note: Bolts and lock nuts attaching outer cross-member to parallel angles are in place and are kept loose to allow flexing of plate with contour of the ground.
Proper maintenance will prolong the life of your Sweep Master.

Your brushes are constructed from the finest quality virgin polypropylene brush materials and staples set into a sturdy head. The cloverleaf configuration of bristle was chosen because of its greater stiffness compared to round or oval material. Polypropylene is not affected by moister, fertilizer, pesticides or herbicides normally used in turf care.

Proper care of the brushes will improve their life span and enhance their function:

1. As is the case with any brush product, do not store the unit with any weight on the brushes themselves.

2. If brushes appear to be too aggressive when first put to use, you may want to operate the unit on a paved surface as a means of pre-conditioning the brush tips.

3. All brush bristles will eventually take a curve or set if used in the same direction repeatedly. We recommend reversing the direction that you pull the unit regularly to lessen the bend or set of the bristle and maintain a consistent aggressive brushing action.

4. If a smoother, less aggressive sweeping action is desired, you may want to allow your unit to take a permanent set in one direction.

5. If brushes are allowed too great of a set they will have a tendency to dig into the turf and cause the unit to slip or bounce. We do not recommend reversing the direction of the unit once the bristles have taken a set past 15 to 30 degrees.