

Mann McGowan gives tennis players a better vista

Mann McGowan's Pyrovista System met the challenge set for Brazier Interior Systems Ltd., Southampton, by Invicta Leisure for the new South of England Health and Racquet Club, Brighton.



The challenge was to supply aesthetically pleasing, full glazed timber partitioning with a 30 minute minimum fire rating and good acoustic insulation.

The partitioning, in and around the reception and other key areas of the building, was designed to create a favourable atmosphere for members and their guests. Apart from being visually pleasing the partitions were to enable members to see the different activities going on in the centre, yet allow the activities to take place safely and independently.

Brazier Interiors, working closely with Main Contractor *James Longley & Co. Ltd.*, proposed the Mann McGowan Pyrovista System as it is backed by full certification for fire rating in insulation as well as integrity.

The contract was won in the face of stiff competition, because Mann McGowan were able to offer this comprehensive Warrington certification.

Another deciding factor was the time element. From the initial phone enquiry received by Mann McGowan until full completion on site it took just 10 weeks.

The fire resistant glazed screens and full glazed doors, giving 30 minutes integrity and insulation in accordance with BS476: Part 22, were finished in American White Oak and double glazed to satisfy the acoustic requirements.

The fire, acoustic and aesthetic requirements were thus met, and the Client, architect Gamble Cook, and the main contractor are reported to be delighted with the outcome.

Pyrovista is a proprietary timber glazing system ideal for this type of building as it can be readily constructed on site. Standard finishes are kept in stock by Mann McGowan, and therefore short lead times can be offered.

Mann McGowan's Firestale doors incorporating natural wood finish Timbertone intumescent seals and Flexifin for smoke and acoustic sealing.





For further information on Firestile doorsets, Pyrovista partitioning or any of the extensive Mann McGowan range of intumescent products, call

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- Heathside School, Weybridge, Surrey
- Linacre College, Oxford
- Imperial College Library, London
- South of England Health & Racquet Club, Brighton
- Furness General Hospital, Barrow in Furness
- Hammersmith Hospital, London
- Link Primary School, Croydon
- Runnymede CCTV Control Room, Addlestone
- Viking Industrial Park, Jarrow
- Claremont Fabrics, Glossop
- Stonelake Landrover, Wakefield
- Fenwick Hospital, Lyndhurst
- Medical Centre, Northampton General Hospital
- Shaw House, Crawley
- 11 Gladstone Place, Stirling
- Ninewells Hospital, Dundee
- Caladonia Hostel, London
- Solicitors Office, City Road, London
- Brechin Business Centre, Brechin
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