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Twój przewodnik po pielęgnacji
Systemy tarasowe Millboard

Fire pits

- Care should be taken if using a fire pit/bowl, chiminea or brazier on your Millboard deck. Fire pits should not be placed directly on to surface of the boards, as this may cause damage. The supplier of such items should confirm whether their product can be used on decking
- Any embers or burning material that fall on the boards could cause damage or lasting marks to the Millboard decking surface. These should be removed immediately
- It may be best for the heat source to be sat on a fireproof material such as a porcelain tile
- Patio heaters or infra-red heaters are not known to affect the boards

Algae

- Algae will grow where there is light, moisture, and nutrition. Therefore it can start to show on the board surface where there is dirt build-up
- Algae will not penetrate the core part of the board
- Normally all that is required is for the surface to be cleaned and scrubbed, however specific algae cleaners can be used – such as *Algon!*



In the heat

- As with all composite products, the surfaces of the boards tend to be hotter than timber when exposed to direct sunlight.
- Darker colours particularly will feel hotter and may be uncomfortable to walk on in bare feet
- Under direct sunlight and high temperature, footwear may be necessary
- Special caution should be taken when using decking in areas by heat/UV reflective glass, or around pools

In the cold

- Like any exterior surface, the boards will be slippery when they have frost or ice on them. Frost can be removed by lightly spreading white salt over the boards. Please don't use rock salt, as this contains clay and grit which can contaminate the boards and be abrasive
- When winter is over, clean the surface with soapy water and a brush
- Snow can be removed from the boards with a stiff broom, or with a plastic snow shovel. Please note a metal or metal faced shovel could damage the board surface

Have some more questions?

Have any questions about the content within this guide or would like further information about how best to look after your deck?

Please get in touch and our friendly team will be happy to help. You can reach us on 024 7643 9943 or enquiries@millboard.co.uk

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