

Elite Precast Concrete **case study**

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Golf courses across the UK are facing a growing problem: unauthorised vehicle access. Whether caused by careless drivers following faulty satnav directions, thrill-seeking joyriders, or outright vandals, the results are the same — damaged greens, churned-up fairways, broken irrigation systems, and costly repairs running into thousands of pounds.



Penn Golf Club in Wolverhampton was no exception. Despite clear signage and fencing, vehicles continued to find their way onto the course, leaving behind destruction that frustrated both grounds staff and members. For a club that prides itself on pristine playing conditions, the situation had become unsustainable.

Penn Golf Club turned to Elite Precast Concrete's Minion-Bollards® which are compact, heavy-duty bollards that are small in stature but mighty in strength.



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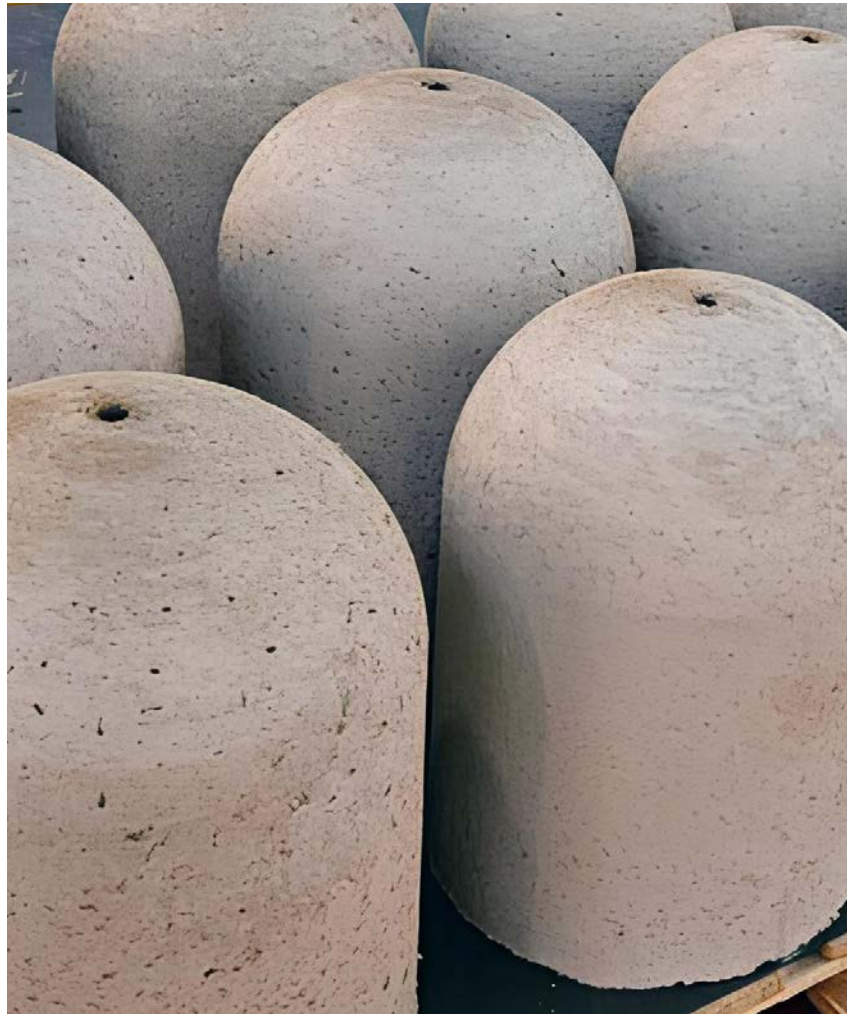
Standing at just 500mm high, these bollards are cast from high-strength precast concrete. Originally designed for industrial and commercial security, their discreet size and robustness made them an ideal choice for golf courses, where aesthetics matter as much as protection.

The grounds team strategically installed Minion-Bollards® along a vulnerable perimeter that still needed to allow for emergency and maintenance access. Installation was quick and non-invasive: as freestanding units, the bollards required no foundations, no heavy machinery, and no disruption to the course. Within a few hours, the solution was in place and without a single hole dug or a single round of golf interrupted.

The impact was immediate. Since the installation, Penn Golf Club has reported zero incursions. The cost savings on repairs have already exceeded the initial outlay, and the club has been able to redirect resources back into course improvements rather than patching up damage.

Just as importantly, the bollards blend seamlessly into the landscape. Painted to match their surroundings, they are unobtrusive to players and spectators alike, avoiding the unsightly visual impact of fencing or barriers while still delivering uncompromising protection.

Elite Precast's Minion-Bollards® have proven themselves to be more than just a physical barrier, they're a cost-effective, discreet, and reliable guardian of the game.



For golf course managers and groundskeepers battling the headache of unauthorised vehicle access, this case study is proof that sometimes the smartest solution is also the simplest.

Elite Precast Minion-Bollards® – Small in size, big on protection.



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