

# Tennis & Pickleball Survey 2021





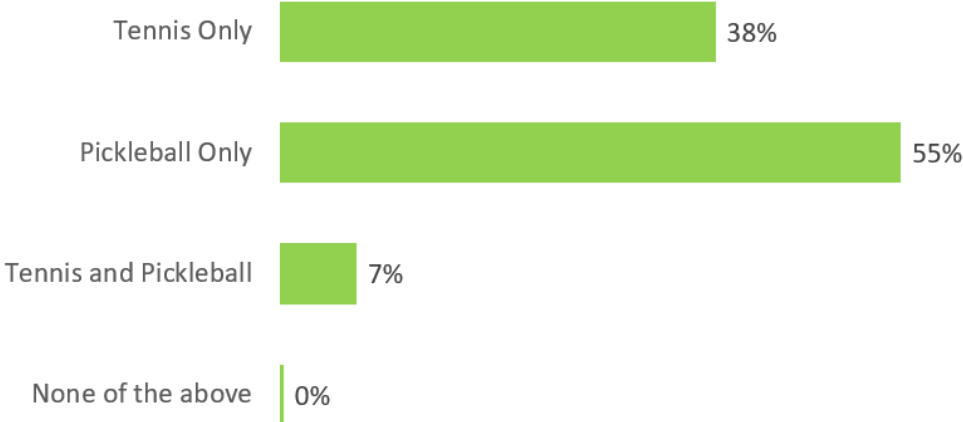
## Background

Tennis and Pickleball players were invited to take part in the survey through informational posters placed at all sport courts, as well as through direct email links provided to local community clubs.

577 responses were received between Apr 23 to June 8

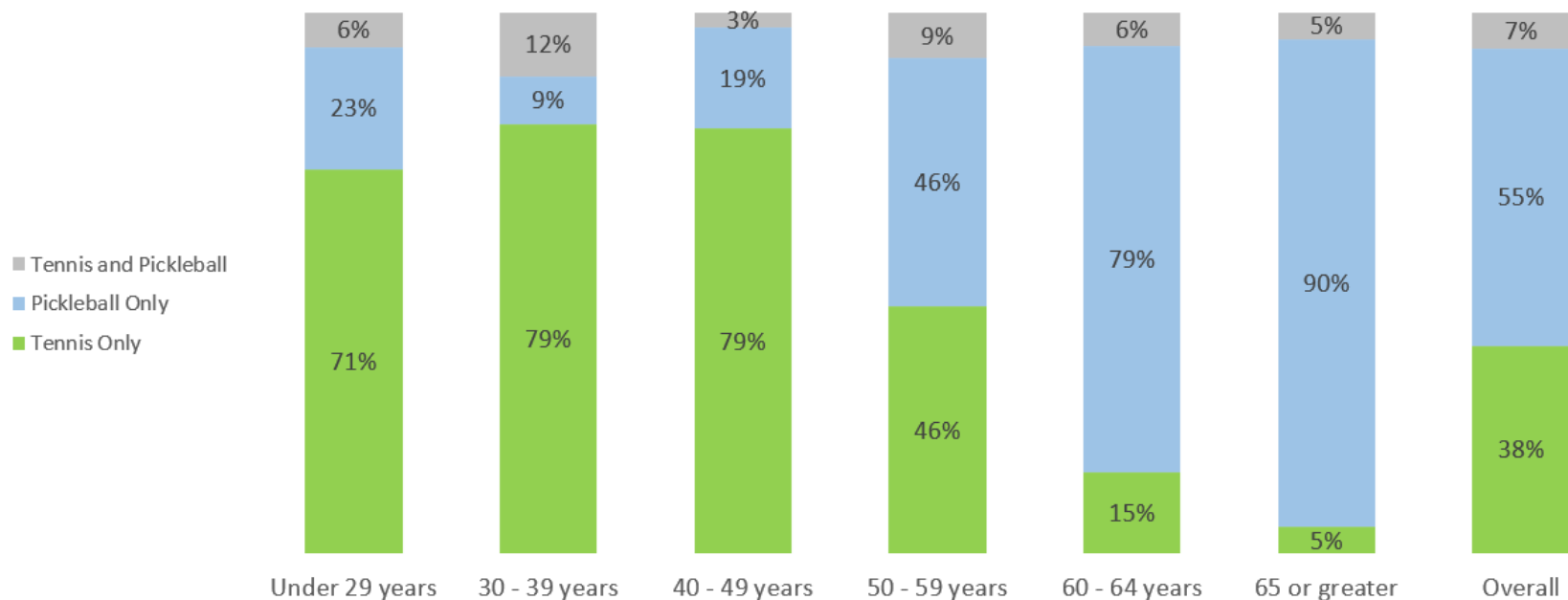
- 316 responses came from Surrey Pickleball Club members
- 206 responses came from park posters with a QR code link
- 55 responses came from Newton Tennis Club members

# Sports played on outdoor courts

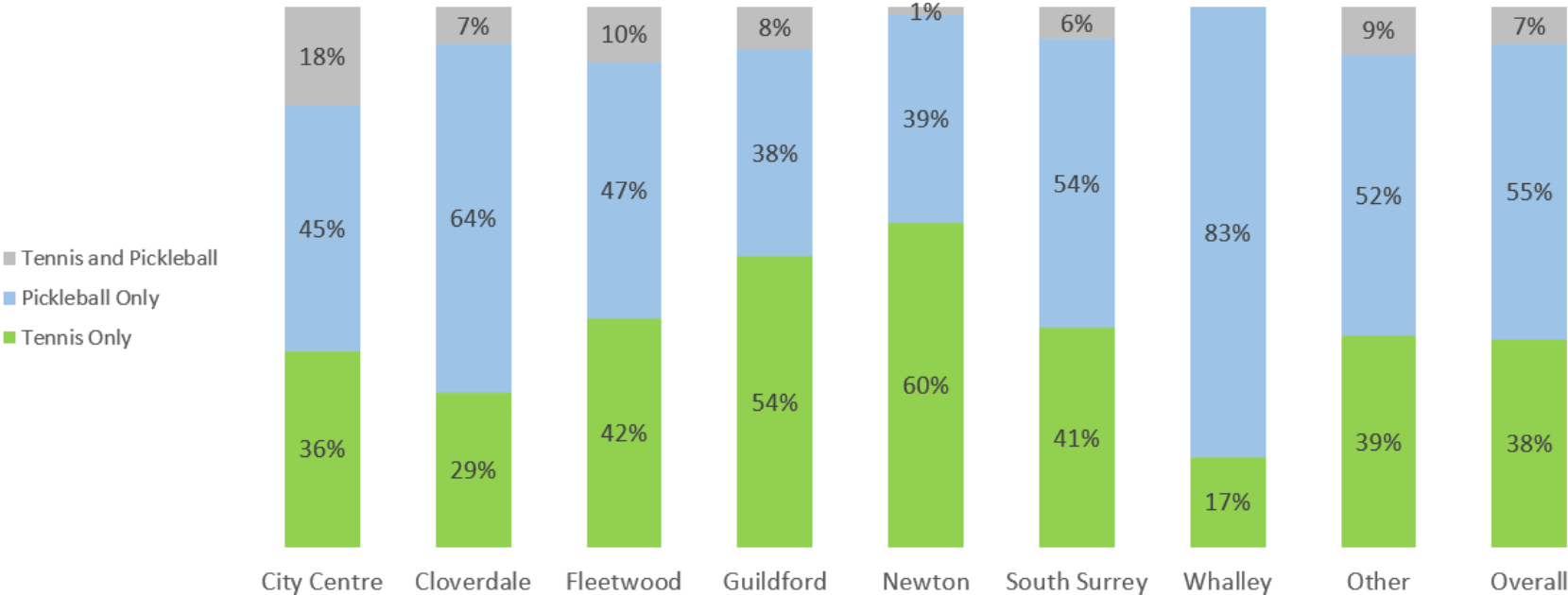


Q: During the April through September season which of the following sports do you play on outdoor courts?  
Total participants: 577

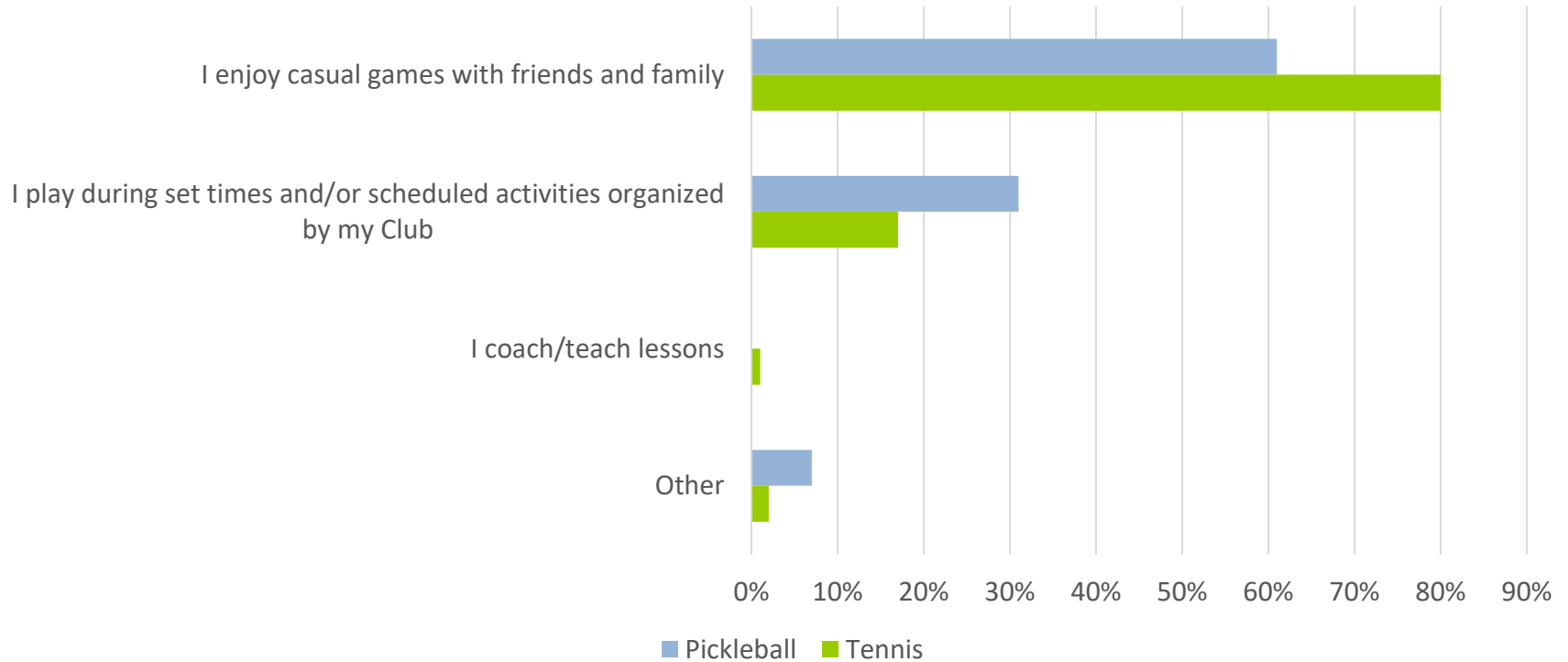
## Age Range by Sports played on outdoor courts



# Surrey Community by Sports played on outdoor courts

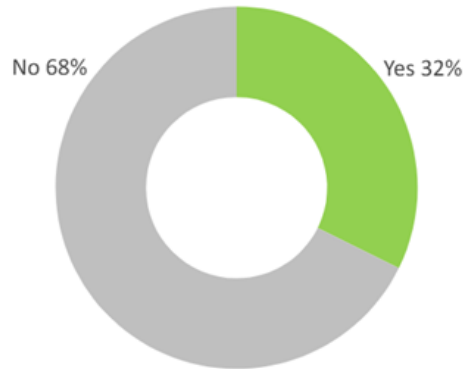


## Outdoor Court Usage

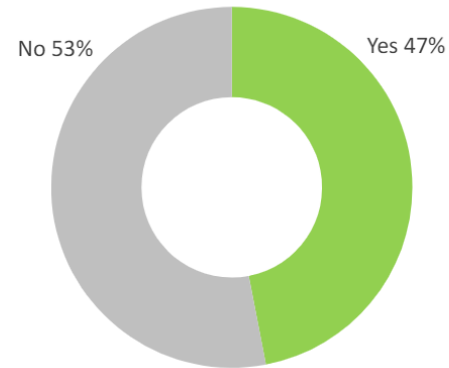


# Club Membership

**TENNIS: Club membership**



**PICKLEBALL: Club membership**





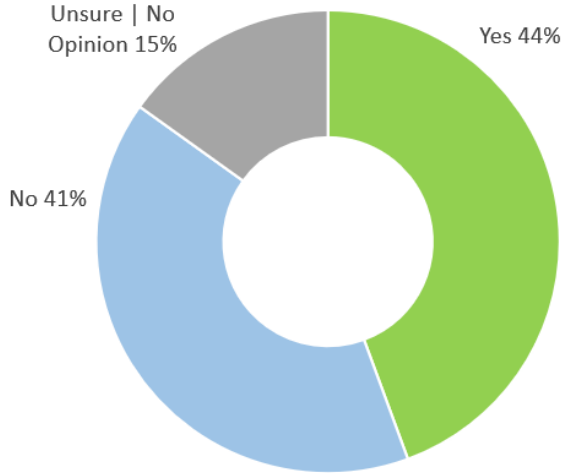
# Court Times



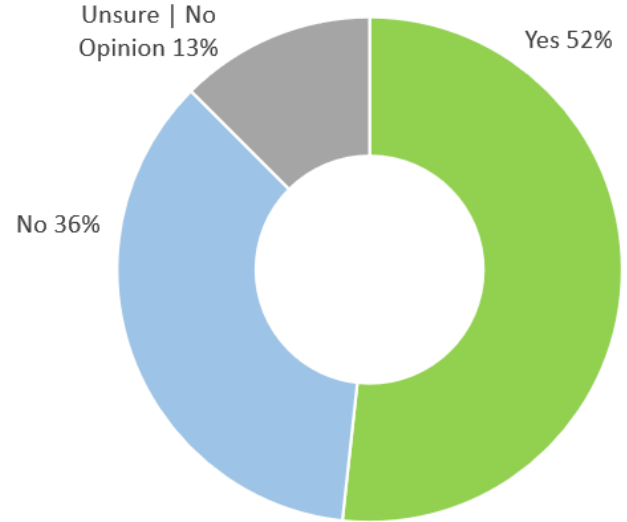
Clayton Park



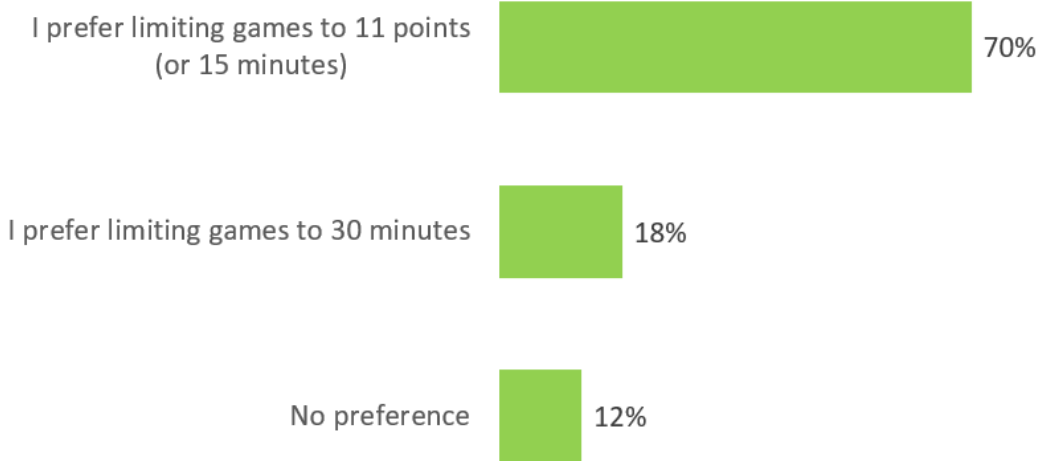
# Tennis Time Limit – 30 or 45 Minutes?



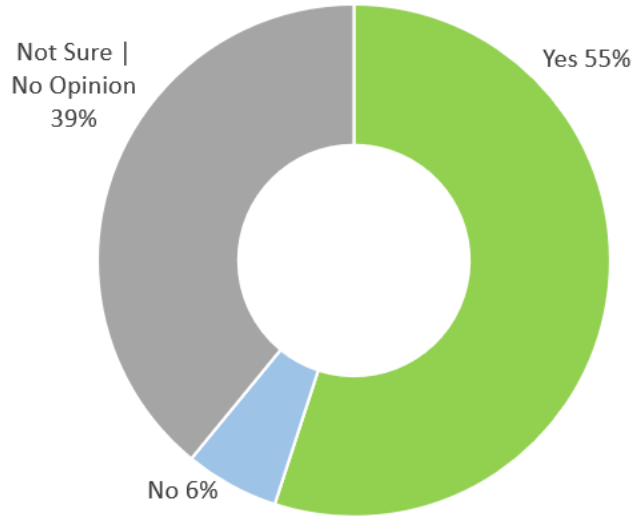
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# PICKLEBALL: Preference for limiting games

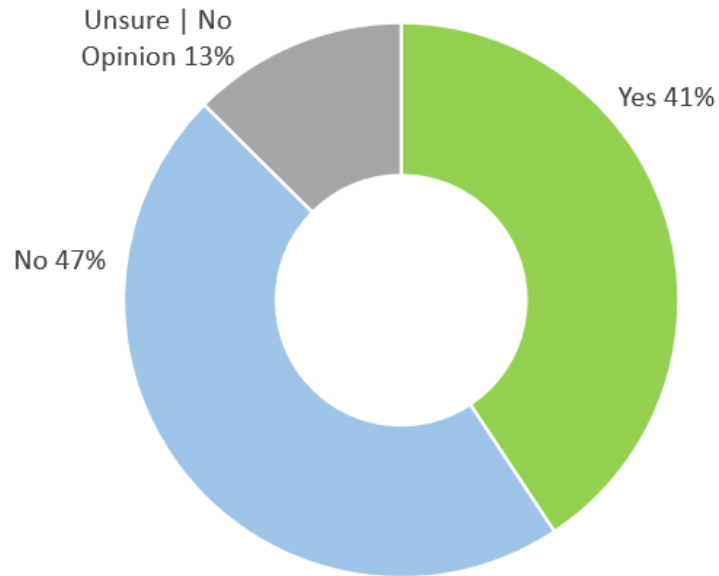


# Preference for Paddle Rack System

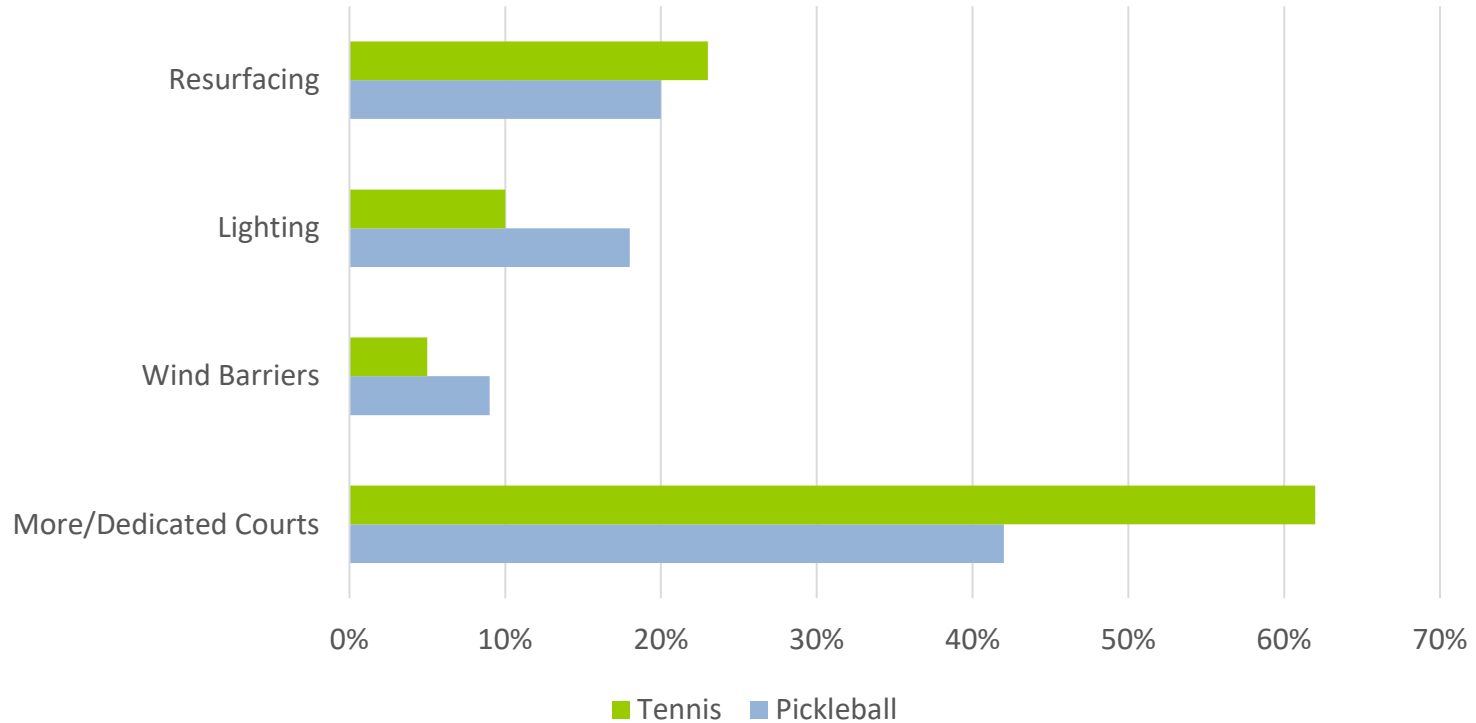


“In the pickleball community, this system has worked the best for several years already, as it moves people around, sharing courts, it helps with socialization as players chat on the sidelines. It can also help with both mixing up of skill levels and playing with small groups of same levels of play.”

## TENNIS: Interest in an online booking system



## Comparing Sport Requests



# Survey Take-Aways

- Compare overall trends, participation and demand for both sports – both during and AFTER a Covid year
- Allocation Policy needs to be updated for clubs, lessons and private bookings
- Should we consider a trial site with a booking system?
- Review current distribution and capacity of tennis and pickleball facilities
- Does court design/size influence styles of play?
- What challenges and successes are other municipalities having?
- Develop a Pickleball and Tennis Strategy to guide these processes and decisions?