



Wargrave Tennis Club

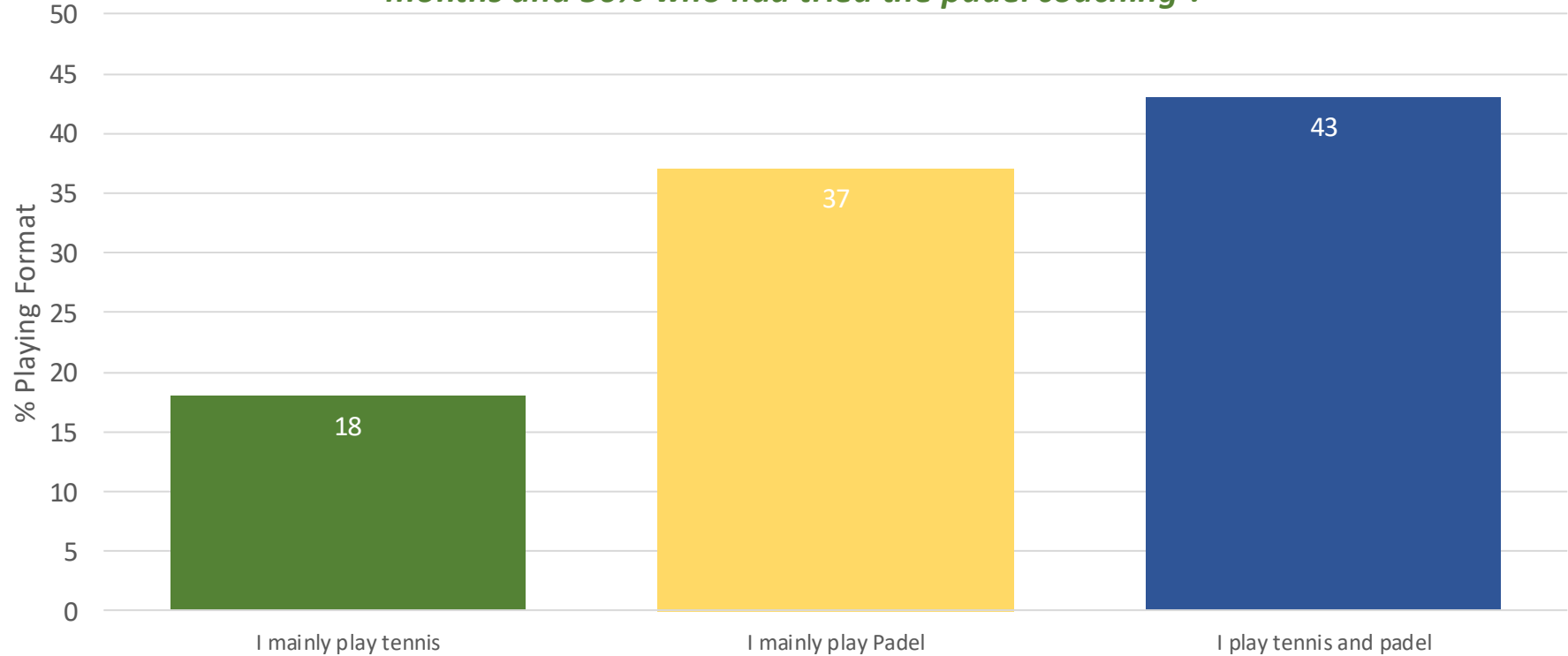
Padel Survey 2026

10th August 2026 v1

A quick padel survey was run from 27th July to 7th August 3rd. A total of 33 members responded, with 82% saying that they play padel.



“A good cross section of members completed the survey including 20% who joined in the last 12 months and 50% who had tried the padel coaching”.



Padel Survey Key Responses

Survey Results

Question	% No	% Neutral	% Yes TTB	% Yes Strongly Agree
Having padel at Wargrave really adds value to this tennis club.	3	0	97	90
The hourly court hire fees of £10 off-peak and £20 peak represent good value.	3	10	87	55
I like the initial Tuesday padel coaching sessions that have been offered by the Club.	0	32	61	32
I think the padel coaching fees represent good value compared to other padel clubs.	0	35	56	35
I think one evening of group padel coaching is probably enough.	22	32	41	13
I like the volunteer-run Club padel sessions that have been run on a Wednesday and Thursday evening.	6	32	62	35
I would be happy to volunteer to help organise and run future Club padel social sessions.	35	29	19	10 (3)
I like the padel competitions that the Club is running.	6	29	74	29
I would like to see more ongoing padel competitions at the Club and inter Club matches.	0	32	74	35
I have found it relatively easy to book the padel courts at the Club.	12	23	74	51
I am pleased the Club made the investment in the two padel courts.	6	3	91	84

OVERALL MESSAGE

Padel is seen as a very positive addition to the club - inclusive, sociable and good value, bringing new and younger players and a fresh dynamic. Most suggestions are about making it easier for even more members to play.

WHAT MEMBERS VALUE

- Inclusive and social
- Good value and availability
- Two courts and easy booking
- New & younger members
- A great club atmosphere

MORE WAYS TO PLAY

- More social sessions
- Daytime and weekend options
- Help finding other players
- Keep groups open and inclusive
- Revive ladders/competitive play

COACHING & JUNIORS

- Shorter, smaller courses
- Daytime/weekend coaching
- More structured & higher-level coaching
- Junior tasters and lessons
- Easier junior court booking

FACILITIES & COMMUNITY

- Fix Court 9 surface - clear priority
- Simplify apps/match organising
- Longer-term winter cover idea
- Several members offered to help
- Strong appetite to play more

KEY PRIORITIES

1 Fix Court 9 2 Broaden social play 3 Make finding games easier 4 Expand coaching 5 Develop junior padel

Many thanks to the many members who have offered to help run Social Padel Sessions. As we pull together our plans for Social Padel, we will be in touch. In most cases, we are looking for volunteers who would be happy to lead a weekly session every few weeks or so.

Strongly agreed to help

Rose Tate
Sarah Thompson
Richard Knight
Richard Rudman
Mya Tun
Jeremy Cooke
Stuart Crainer
Edward Scandrett
Graham Pattie
Liz Tripp
Will Banwell

Agreed to help

Luis Marini
Sue Gutierrez
Els De Mets
Daniel Loiterton
Gary Jones

