

Active Lifestyles Strategy – Club and Organisational Survey

Engagement Summary

Central Coast Council

Summary

Between 22 February and 5 April 2021, Central Coast Council sought input from community sport, recreation and physical activity organisations on a range of aspects involved in providing their sport or activity.

The Active Lifestyles Strategy will provide a 10-year plan for parks, public and sporting spaces that support Central Coast residents to be active.

An invitation to complete the survey was emailed to identified relevant community, sporting and organisational groups

Engagement Results

Sports and activities represented in the organisation survey included:

- Australian Rules Football
- Archery
- Athletics
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Bowls (lawn)
- Cricket
- Croquet
- Cycling
- Dancing
- Dog Obedience
- Football
- Golf
- Hockey
- Karting
- Martial Arts
- Model Aero
- Motorcycling
- Netball
- Orienteering
- Rugby League
- Paddle sports (canoeing, kayaking, paddling, dragon boats, SUP)
- Rugby Union
- Running
- Sailing
- Shooting
- Softball
- Squash
- Surf Lifesaving
- Surfing
- Swimming
- Tennis
- Volleyball
- Water Polo
- Yoga/ Pilates/ Fitness

Of the sport facilities and reserves used for these activities, most respondents indicated their level of satisfaction was either satisfied or neutral.

From a range of issues that typically impact community organisations, difficulty attracting and retaining volunteers was ranked as the issue causing the most impact.

Priorities for facilities were primarily in relation to maintenance, cleanliness, and access.

Organisational priorities focused on building/ retaining membership and supporting volunteers.

How you connected



800 visits to the Your Voice Our Coast website



More than 7,500 social media users reached generating 35 likes, comments and shares.



12,203 stakeholders were kept up-to-date through e-news.



95 surveys completed



333 emails were sent to identified stakeholders

What's next?

This survey was only a part of the engagement program for this study, as part of this phase of consultation we also conducted a community survey (the results of this survey are available on the Your Voice Our Coast project page). Another round of consultation is currently underway which includes workshops and meeting with a range of government, Council and community stakeholders.

All of the feedback collected throughout the consultation will be used to inform the draft Active Lifestyles Strategy, the draft strategy will then be placed on public exhibition where the community will again be invited to provide feedback.

We will keep the community informed as this project progresses.

Find out more and stay up to date at yourvoiceourcoast.com

