

## Wyndham Sports Strategy Newsletter 3 February 2017

Sports and Recreation Department
Wyndham City

## **Consultation Stats**

Thank you for your participation in the Sports Strategy Consultation Period between October and December 2016.

606 people responded to the online community survey

1201 people responded to the independent phone survey



25 providers responded to a survey about their facilities

31 Sports Clubs responded to a survey about their facilities

13 Schools responded to a survey about their facilities



Workshops were attended by our newly arrived communities, sports clubs, private providers, children and youth.



Meetings were held with State Sporting Associations and Local Commercial Sports Facility operators.



Support for the consultation period was provided by CoHealth, New Hope, NEAMI, Werribee Community Education Centre, Schools, Wyndham Youth Services and Western Leisure Services.





## What is on offer in Wyndham?

Wyndham has access to 98 different types of sports and recreation activities.

Wyndham has more than 328 clubs, organisations and businesses that provide sport and recreation for the community at over 132 different locations.

## What is next?

An issues and opportunities paper is being developed to review the findings from the consultation, industry data and literature. This review will consider:

- What our community want to play
- Who can provide these activities
- Where they can be provided

A draft Sports Strategy will then be developed with recommendations.

The Sports Strategy will be developed to ensure our community has the best possible opportunity to be active and connected to the local community. To reduce the things that make it hard to play and support what makes it easy.



The next opportunity for public engagement will be a 28 day public exhibition period of the strategy once it is approved by Councillors.

Newsletter 4 will be sent with details of the public exhibition including a link to the strategy and opportunities for feedback.

The website link will provide you with all information about the project and development of the strategy. www.wyndham.vic.gov.au/sportsstrategy

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