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Application number: 2023/0866

Application address: St Georges Hill Lawn Tennis Club, Warreners Lane, Weybridge, KT13 0LL

Name: Mr Busch

Address: East Warreners East Road, Weybridge, Surrey, KT13 0LD

Comment type: You object to the planning application

Date of comment: 31 May 2023

Comment: To Whom it May Concern, I am writing to make my unequivocal objection to the proposed 3 court "semi enclosed" Padel courts at the St George's Hill Lawn Tennis Club. The Club ran a 6 month trial Padel court that was located just behind our property, East Warreners. The noise was unbearable. I regretted agreeing to a trial of 6 months. It did not take that long to determine that the court should not be anywhere near a residence. A sound test was done that determined the test court was "not exceptionally noisy". There was something fundamentally wrong with a test that could conclude that. We had representatives from the Tennis Club and the Residence Association come into the garden to listen to the sound of the Padel. All agreed that it was a nuisance. I am now skeptical of any professional sound report. At the time we concluded that the only way the Tennis Club could have Padel would be for the courts to be completely enclosed. My view hasn't changed. Thank you for your consideration. Len Busch