## Kent Sport Partner Webinar

Sport England Strategy consultation

2021 onwards

https://www.sportengland.org/why-were-here/shaping-our-

future-strategy







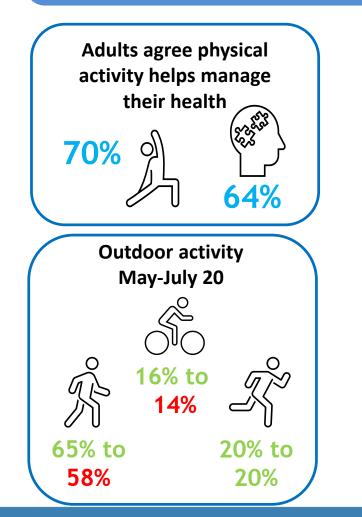
## Progress has been delayed but...

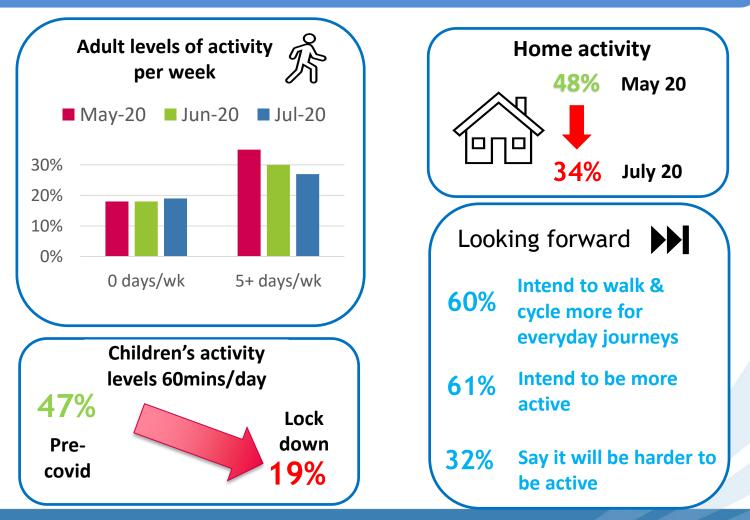
- Sport England quickly reprioritised
- Government has deemed exercise as <u>essential</u>, along with food and medicine.
- CMO said "there is no age and no condition where exercise is not a good thing"
- This is shaping mindsets adults believe being active is more important than before and are using physical activity to stay physically and mentally healthy





## Behaviour and attitudes during lockdown The latest data July 2020





https://www.sportengland.org/know-your-audience/demographicknowledge/coronavirus#research

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## The inequalities gap has grown – people who are finding it harder to be active

- Black Asian & Minority Ethnic Communities
- Lower socio economic groups
- Long term health conditions
- Disability
- Older adults
- Women

"There is a real risk that despite our best efforts and good intentions, the inequalities in activity gets even bigger"





# Sport England Purpose

When we move, we are stronger (individually and together)

Play a part in creating:

- More integrated and resilient communities
- A stronger economy
- A society where physical activity is the norm



Champion the role of sport and physical activity





#### Sport England's Values



#### We are collaborative

One team, committed to delivering together and working with others to make a difference to people's lives.



#### We are inclusive

Harnessing our collective strengths and respecting difference to create the conditions for everyone to engage and excel.



#### We are ambitious

Determined in pursuit of our goals, prioritising work and partnerships that will most advance our mission, help us to succeed and make a positive impact on the nation.



#### We are innovative

Curious, optimistic and relentless, we question established ways of working and learn from each other and from our experiences.



# The consultation to date says...



- Focus on the people who need the most help to live active lives
- Support the backbone of sport and activity
- Deliver the basics brilliantly
- Step up on the big issues







# What are the BIG issues?

- 1. Active Environments
- 2. Climate Emergency
- 3. Connecting with health & well-being
- 4. Digital and data
- 5. Diminishing local resources & capacity
- 6. School experiences
- 7. Tackling inequalities
- 8. Workforce

Is there anything missing from the list?





# How should Sport England (and the sector) operate going forward?



- A longer-term strategy
- Stop working in silos
- Grow expertise
- Join things up
- Share insight and information
- Utilise different perspectives & roles
- Learn what works well
- Let go trust others to deliver







# Questions to consider

- Is the document on the right track? Score 1 to 10
  (1 = totally missed the mark, 10 = I'm completely supportive of the proposed direction).
- 2. Which elements of 'Shaping our Future' do you like the most?
- 3. Which elements of 'Shaping our Future' do you like the least?
- 4. Any further comments on 'Shaping our Future'?

## www.sportengland.org/shapingourfuturestrategy







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