

Napton Padel Club

July 2026



1 Licensing Update

Napton Parish Council (NPC) met on 6 July and confirmed the following:

- The final version of the headlease between the Coventry Diocese and NPC (which enables NPC to sub-lease land for the padel courts) is now with the Diocese's solicitors. We are currently awaiting their final approval.
- The sub-lease between NPC and Napton Padel Club is complete and both parties are ready to sign, subject to approval of the headlease.
- If both documents are approved within the next few days, NPC is willing to call an extraordinary public meeting to enable signing ahead of the next scheduled meeting in August.
- This will allow Napton Padel Club to enter into contract with OnPoint Ltd, our selected contractor, and begin construction without delay.
- NPC has also confirmed it will continue instructing its solicitors until the legal process is fully completed.

2 Funding Arrangements

We are delighted to confirm that full funding is now in place to deliver:

- Two padel courts (constructed simultaneously)
- A retaining wall above the first court
- A level seating area adjacent to the existing tennis shed

This is a significant milestone for the project.

3 Membership

With the sub-lease close to completion and funding secured, we are pleased to introduce our Founding Membership (standard membership will be available after the club launches):

LIMITED TO THE FIRST 75 MEMBERS

Includes:

- ✓ Priority court booking
- ✓ Discounted coaching rates
- ✓ Free use of racquets and balls
- ✓ Access to the Napton Sports Association pavilion
- ✓ Guest pass (invite a friend to play twice, or two friends once, free of charge)
- ✓ A key to the security posts at the entrance to the sports field
- ✓ Recognition on the Club website
- ✓ Full refund guarantee if cancelled within the first month

Further details can be found on the Club's new website www.naptonpadel.org

And as ever, we are very grateful to **RMF Raised Flooring** for their continuing support and sponsorship.