

Kingston Duplicate Bridge Club

Face to Face Survey Results

July 2021

Survey Monkey was used to send out questionnaires to 297 bridge players. We received responses from 112 of these people. In addition, we phoned people who had not provided us with an email address and received 10 more responses. Here are the summarized results:

- Q1. The Board plans to resume some face-to-face play when our local health officials provide their consent. Certain restrictions such as proof of vaccination and face masks may be required. Do you support this decision?

Responses:

Yes = 103 84%

No = 19 16%

- Q2. What conditions would you want in place in order to return to play face to face?

Responses summarized:

- proof of 2 vaccinations
- mandatory face masks
- hand sanitizer
- increased cleaning of surfaces
- extra space between tables
- no food or beverages
- good ventilation
- good parking
- easy access
- limit sessions to 2 hours
- would not want to wear a mask
- people take bidding boxes with them to next table
- zero cases in area for 6 months

- Q3. Assuming there is sufficient interest, the Board is considering a temporary space when we first reopen, with the option of moving to a permanent space at a later date. This period will allow us to gauge the space needed. Do you support this idea?

Responses:

Yes = 109 94%

No = 7 6%

- Q4. What criteria are important to you for the type of space that we select to play face to face?

Responses summarized:

- at least two washrooms
- someone at door to check for safety protocols
- good, natural light
- clean
- good heat and ventilation
- ample space
- free parking, well lit at night

- easy entry
- central location or west end, quick access from 401
- accessible by transit
- ability to open windows
- kitchenette
- wheelchair accessible doors
- place to hang coats

Q5. How many face-to-face games do you expect to play on a weekly basis once we reopen?

None:	7	6 %
One:	42	36 %
Two:	46	39 %
Three:	20	17 %
Four +:	2	2 %

Q6. How many weekly games did you play at the club before Covid?

None:	8	7 %
One:	27	23 %
Two:	34	29 %
Three:	29	25 %
Four +:	19	16 %

Q7. How often would you like to play in our online club games once we reopen?

Never:	45	39 %
Once:	24	21 %
Twice:	27	24 %
Three Times:	11	10 %
Four or more times:	7	6 %

Q8. The ACBL is allowing tournaments to reopen with certain restrictions. We have dates on hold for our sectional tournament at the Portuguese Club on the first weekend in February 2022. Do you expect to attend this Sectional Tournament?

Yes =	53	47 %
No =	60	53 %

Q9. Our regional tournament is set for May 17-23, 2022. (Venue not certain.) Do you expect to attend this tournament?

Yes =	70	61 %
No =	45	39 %

Q10. The club is looking for members who are interested in becoming game directors. This would involve taking and passing an ACBL director course. Are you interested in taking this course with the intent of directing games at our club?

Yes	10	9 %
No	104	91 %