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Comments: The extension to the pavilion will bring the club house structure much closer to the rear boundary of our property than currently. Primarily as a result of the covered patio area being extended, this will have a significant detrimental effect on our amenity caused by increased noise and disturbance. This is a regular and known evening "hang out" venue for a number of the local youths and will therefore lead to both increased nuisance to us and a loss of privacy.

The cricket club have been long aware of the issues for adjoining residential properties of noise and disturbance from the local youths, when the ground is not being used, but have yet to demonstrate any meaningful or effective method of deterring or identifying those that gather. We are often subjected to the noise of music from speakers that the youths bring with them, shouting, swearing amongst themselves, sometimes directed at us, and the sounds of breaking glass when empty bottles are discarded onto the tarmac pathway.

However the extension of the clubhouse and the patio area will now bring the issues that occur when the ground is empty, but unsecured and unsupervised, directly below our garden wall due to the nature of the extension. This will increase both the proximity and the impact of the nuisance to us when sitting out in our gardens, and in the summer months when our doors and windows are open, of the noise and disturbances being heard within our homes.

We chose to live next to the ground precisely because of a love of cricket. When the ground is being used for its intended purpose, we have very few problems. When the ground is empty and 'unmanned' the increased incidents of unwanted noise and disturbance are a serious concern and the plans for the extension will bring those issues even closer to our home.

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