

## Flagler Beach, FL population age distribution

A complete breakdown of Flagler Beach's age demographics from 0 to 85 years, distributed across 18 age groups is listed in the table below.

Share Data

Age Group	Population	% of Total Population
Under 5 years	151	2.98%
5 to 9 years	106	2.09%
10 to 14 years	140	2.76%
15 to 19 years	138	2.73%
20 to 24 years	127	2.51%
25 to 29 years	199	3.93%
30 to 34 years	135	2.67%
35 to 39 years	122	2.41%
40 to 44 years	149	2.94%
45 to 49 years	253	5%
50 to 54 years	445	8.79%
55 to 59 years	874	17.26%
60 to 64 years	532	10.51%
65 to 69 years	402	7.94%
70 to 74 years	553	10.92%

75 to 79 years	316	6.24%
80 to 84 years	185	3.65%
85 years and over	237	4.68%

Above chart from 2023

Wickline Park, geared for all ages.

The percentage of the park dedicated to children (say 10 and under) seems sufficient since that group makes up approx. 6.5-7% of the city's population. The equipment needs updating, but, the physical area seems of a reasonable size.

Exercise equipment is generally used by those in the 20-50 year age range or 20-22% of our population, unless someone who uses this has any suggestions the current equipment would seem sufficient

Pickle ball/tennis courts seem to be a sport that adults lean towards. If we say that that encompasses adults from 25 to 74 years of age that is approx. 73% of our population. Not being a pickle ball or tennis player I have no idea if this is up to standard, but, since a vast majority of our population could participate in this sport, this portion of the park should be kept up to date.

Volleyball court, a sport generally played by mid-teens to mid to late 40's or roughly 22-23% of our population. At the last parks meeting (this past week) there was conversation that the volleyball court should be repaired and refreshed.

Basketball court, a sport that anyone can play but 10-59 is a reasonable spread for this sport or roughly 50% of our population. Courts are in place and maintenance is minimal.

## SUGGESTIONS

Our older population (55+) has little to do with this park (aside from those who play pickle ball or tennis) and that group makes up roughly 60% of our population. There is a gazebo that would be perfect for an adult 2-person swing. This is by the back parking lot, so, it is an easy walk from that parking lot to the gazebo for seniors. Additionally, there is a spot right there that would be perfect for a horseshoe pit (right behind the tennis courts). This would allow older folks the ability to enjoy the park while walking to a minimum. Today (5/4/24) a group was in the gazebo doing yoga, so, this area is used, but a swing could still be used hung from the North wall (facing south) and would not interfere with usage.

In addition, improvements to the kid's area and updating the volleyball court, would seem to be the best use of money for the park and would be inclusive to all age categories