



Happyland Park Playground Renewal

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT SUMMARY

Background

Happyland Park is a community park as well as an attraction for many Winnipeggers. The Park has a range of activities, including a pool, disc golf course, a play structure and a skateboarding area. The play structure was built over 20 years ago and is in need of replacement.

Roughly \$180,000 was allocated for playground and basic amenity renewal work at Happyland Park through the Parks and Recreation Enhancement Program for 2017.

Engagement

The goal of the engagement process was to consult with members of the public to determine how people use and value Happyland Park, which included the exploration of upgrades to the aging play structure, and gather feedback on what improvements and amenities the community would like to see in the park both now and in the future. Participants could offer feedback through an online survey and in-person information session. The survey also gathered general information on parks across Winnipeg.

Promotion

- News Release on November 21, 2016.
- Four tweets and four Facebook updates issued through the City of Winnipeg’s social media accounts between November 30, 2016 and December 8, 2016.
- Public Engagement Newsletter on November 30, 2016.

The area Councillor provided the venue and event promotion:

- Facebook advertisement;
- Flyer delivered to Dufresne and Archwood areas;

- Phone calls to community; and,
- Emails.

What We Heard

New play equipment (14%) and skate park improvements (14%) are the top improvements requested within Happyland Park.

The most popular activities enjoyed by visitors to the park include disc golf (22%), walking (21%), and use of the playground (14%).

The majority of respondents (57%) have no preference on what age group the park should be designed for. The most popular age range for this question was 13+ year old (34.3%).

Refer to Appendix 5 for full survey results.

Next Steps

Based on the findings from the public engagement process, the City of Winnipeg issued a Request for Proposals for improvements to Happyland Park in May 2017. The scope of work includes, but is not limited to, new play equipment, granular pathways, site furniture, disk golf signage and trees. The cost of skate park improvements would exceed the budget available for improvements at this time, but the information gathered at the information session will be used in future park planning. Requests regarding pool improvements have been provided to the Community Services department for aquatics project planning.

Construction is expected to begin late summer/early fall 2017.

Engagement Activities		
Date(s)	Technique	Description
Launched on Nov. 21, 2016	Website	winnipeg.ca/HappylandPark
Nov. 23, 2016 – Jan. 12, 2017	Survey	72 were completed online. 35 were completed at the public information session.
Nov. 30, 2016	Public Event	Held at Archwood Community Centre from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. 38 community members attended.



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Appendix 1 – Event Promotion Materials

Happyland Park Information Session

The City of Winnipeg is currently exploring upgrading the play structure in Happyland Park and would like your input on that initiative as well as your ideas about the rest of the park.

Please join us at an information session.

Date: Wednesday, November 30, 2016

Time: 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Location: Archwood Community Centre,
565 Guilbault Street

For more information, to view the presentation boards or to provide feedback, please visit www.winnipeg.ca/happylandpark





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Appendix 2 – Open House Boards

Welcome to the Happyland Park Information Session

- The information boards presented today provide assessments and considerations for improvement opportunities at Happyland Park.
- The intent of today's Information Session is to obtain feedback and input on what activities park-users enjoy at Happyland Park and what improvements they would like to see.
- Please feel free to explore the presentation boards provided, ask questions to City staff and provide feedback directly on each board and by filling out our questionnaire.
- Feedback gathered today will be shared by email to those attending the Information Session, as well as on the City of Winnipeg web site.
- Project is subject to 2017 capital budget approval.

Thank you for your attendance and feedback!

Happyland Park Information Session Aerial Images





picnic table



fire pit



new trees



gravel path



bench



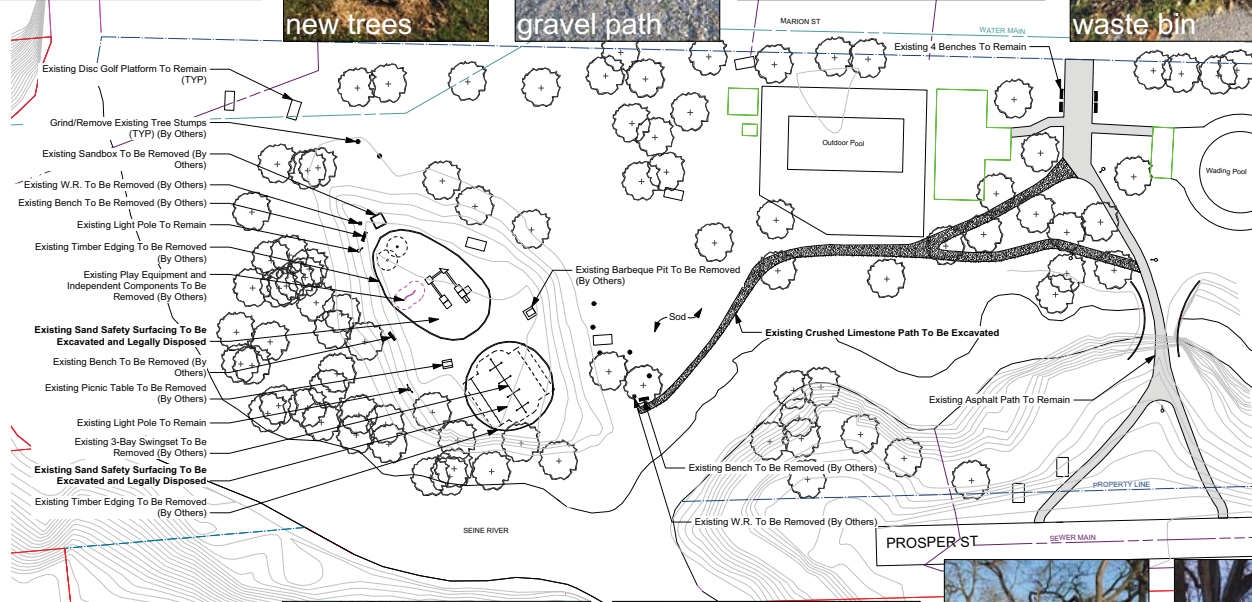
waste bin



disc golf



playground



dutch elm disease



swings



skate park



spring toy



spring toy



seine river



bench



park sign



park lighting



new path

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Proposed Playground and Play Ideas



net climber



swings



tire swing



standing spinner



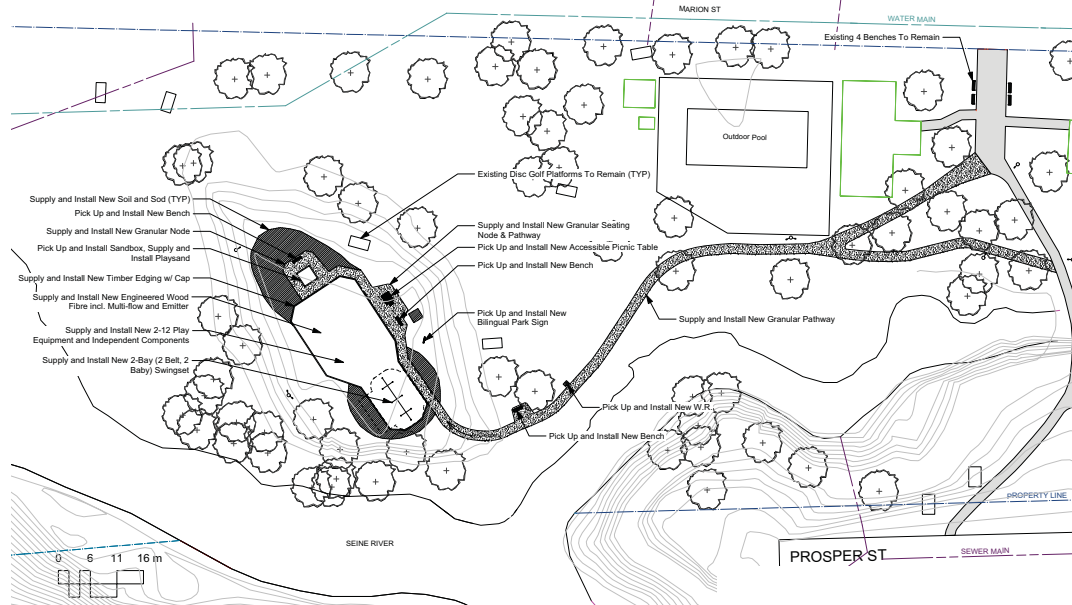
bongos



motion pads



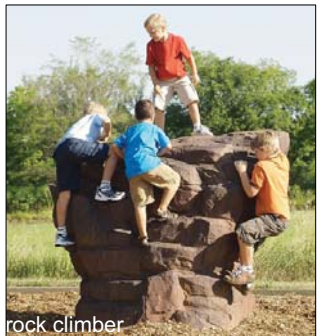
panel climber



rail climber



spring rider



rock climber



Pods and log tunnel



log clusters



vertical logs



spinner seat



double spring rider

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Appendix 3 – News Release

For immediate release
Monday, November 21, 2016

Public invited to an information session on Happyland Park Playground Upgrade

Winnipeg, MB – Winnipeggers are invited to attend a public information session on the playground upgrade at Happyland Park.

The Happyland Park play structure was built over 20 years ago and is in need of replacement. The City of Winnipeg is currently exploring upgrading the play structure and would like your input on that initiative as well as your ideas about the rest of the park.

Date: Wednesday, November 30, 2016

Time: 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Location: Archwood Community Centre, [565 Guilbault Street](#)

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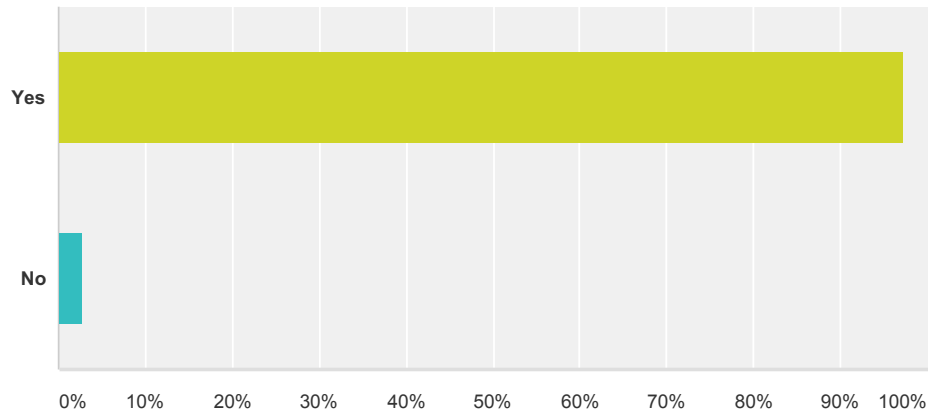
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Appendix 4 – Survey Results

Q10 Are you familiar with Happyland Park?

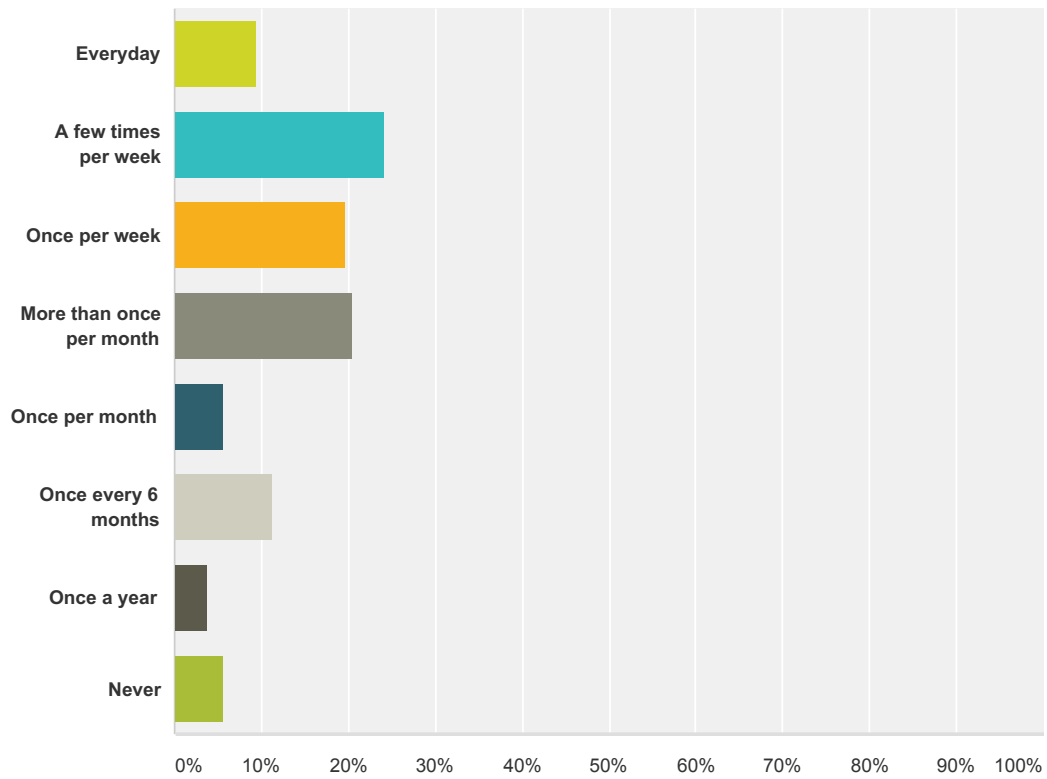
Answered: 107 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	97.20% 104
No	2.80% 3
Total	107

Q11 Within the last year, how often have you visited Happyland Park?

Answered: 107 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
Everyday	9.35% 10
A few times per week	24.30% 26
Once per week	19.63% 21
More than once per month	20.56% 22
Once per month	5.61% 6
Once every 6 months	11.21% 12
Once a year	3.74% 4
Never	5.61% 6
Total	107

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Q12 What activities do you enjoy at Happyland Park?

Answered: 99 Skipped: 8

#	Responses	Date
1	walking, disc golf, some fishing, swimming in the pool, berry picking, walk around and pick up cans to recycle them.	1/12/2017 4:22 AM
2	park, skatepark, pool, walking in the park	1/12/2017 4:11 AM
3	Disc Golf - best in the city!	1/12/2017 3:46 AM
4	walking, biking, frisbee	1/12/2017 3:39 AM
5	walking, biking, swings, walking along the riverbank, the pool	1/12/2017 3:32 AM
6	disc golf	1/12/2017 3:24 AM
7	disc golf, walking, playstructure	1/12/2017 3:17 AM
8	frolf	12/13/2016 10:02 PM
9	Skateboarding, Longboarding	12/13/2016 9:26 AM
10	Skateboarding	12/13/2016 6:57 AM
11	skateboarding	12/13/2016 6:06 AM
12	Skateboarding	12/13/2016 4:16 AM
13	Dog walking	12/13/2016 1:03 AM
14	Disc golf	12/13/2016 12:20 AM
15	Skateboarding!!	12/12/2016 4:38 PM
16	Skateboarding, frolf.	12/12/2016 4:06 PM
17	Skateboarding	12/12/2016 2:44 PM
18	Swimming	12/12/2016 1:54 PM
19	Skateboarding	12/12/2016 1:54 PM
20	Skateboarding the snake run	12/12/2016 1:29 PM
21	I enjoy skateboarding at happy land park	12/12/2016 12:58 PM
22	na	12/12/2016 9:00 AM
23	Watching skateboarders. Reading. Picnics.	12/12/2016 7:49 AM
24	Skateboarding!!	12/12/2016 7:45 AM
25	Skateboarding	12/12/2016 7:15 AM
26	Disk golf, canoeing on Seine, playground	12/12/2016 6:44 AM
27	Dog walking or skateboarding	12/12/2016 6:27 AM
28	Skateboarding.	12/12/2016 6:14 AM
29	Skateboarding	12/12/2016 6:10 AM
30	Disc Golf	12/12/2016 5:49 AM
31	disc golf	12/12/2016 5:46 AM
32	Skateboarding	12/12/2016 5:31 AM
33	I enjoy going to the pool and playing on the park with my brothers, neighbours and friends.	12/12/2016 2:44 AM
34	Running my dog, my son uses small skatepark.	12/12/2016 2:39 AM

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35	walking, summer and winter.	12/12/2016 2:34 AM
36	The slides, the swings, the hills	12/12/2016 2:30 AM
37	Pool, playground, disc golf, walking (path to the seine river)	12/12/2016 2:24 AM
38	Pools and swings, sandbox, walking, reading, sun tanning	12/12/2016 2:17 AM
39	Swimming at the big pool, walking around but grass is unkept, swinging on adult swings, sitting on benches when not in use,	12/12/2016 2:05 AM
40	Mostly walking my dog. I will walk through on my way home from work (downtown) sometimes, when my kids were young we went to the park to play, swim at the pool, and slide down the hill in the winter.	12/12/2016 1:52 AM
41	Skate park, disc golf, paths.	12/12/2016 1:43 AM
42	Skate park, disc golf, walking, benches to sit on, picnics	12/12/2016 1:37 AM
43	Nature	12/12/2016 1:32 AM
44	Swimming pool, walking around the park	12/12/2016 1:27 AM
45	Walking my dog through the park, sitting on the benches by the river	12/12/2016 1:21 AM
46	I walk through it to get to Marion Street Eatery. I don't walk my dogs there because they can't be off leash, otherwise I'd be there every day.	12/8/2016 2:46 PM
47	walking and disc golf	12/6/2016 6:29 AM
48	walking my dog around the park. bringing visitors - kids to playground. taking photos	12/6/2016 6:02 AM
49	snake run (skateboard area), paths, benches	12/6/2016 5:57 AM
50	skateboarding at the snake run skateboard area. bicycle use on the paths. going for walks, watching frofers, photography.	12/6/2016 5:51 AM
51	bbq pits, skateboard park, Frisbee golf, walking by the river, tobogganing, fishing, picnics	12/6/2016 5:45 AM
52	walking	12/6/2016 5:39 AM
53	jungle gym with daughter, swimming, disk golf and picnics	12/6/2016 5:36 AM
54	walking around. relaxing	12/6/2016 5:28 AM
55	dog walking walking	12/6/2016 5:25 AM
56	walking the dog and sitting on a bench overlooking the people. watching the Frisbee golfers, fishermen, canoeists, swimmers, etc.	12/6/2016 4:26 AM
57	playstructure swimming	12/6/2016 4:12 AM
58	disk golf	12/6/2016 4:05 AM
59	children's park area and wading pool	12/6/2016 4:00 AM
60	walking	12/6/2016 3:29 AM
61	Roller skating on paths, walking, benches, swings	12/6/2016 3:15 AM
62	picnics, walking, enjoying quiet time in a natural setting.	12/5/2016 11:16 PM
63	cycling, walking, jogging, throwing ball, painting, cross-country skiing, tobogganing	12/3/2016 10:18 AM
64	Cycling, walking, people watching, and my husband likes disc golf	12/2/2016 7:47 AM
65	Disc golf, swimming	12/1/2016 1:21 PM
66	pool and playground	12/1/2016 8:04 AM
67	Playground, swimming pools, tobogganing, walking our dogs	12/1/2016 6:07 AM
68	Playground, Walking, Cycling, Pool	12/1/2016 2:06 AM
69	frizbee	12/1/2016 12:03 AM
70	Walking the dog, jogging, playground, skatepark	11/30/2016 11:49 PM
71	Walking	11/30/2016 8:09 PM

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72	watching the river, nature and wild animals, walking the dog, meditating, disc golf, bmx biking, and skateboarding, playing catch. socializing.	11/30/2016 7:58 PM
73	Reflection by water. Walking dog.	11/30/2016 3:14 PM
74	Disc golf; picnics; fire pit	11/30/2016 1:52 PM
75	Picnicing	11/30/2016 1:26 PM
76	Disc golf Play structure Pool	11/30/2016 1:10 PM
77	Play structure walking alone and with dogs swimming	11/30/2016 1:05 PM
78	Disc golf. Playground. Outdoor pool. Kayak thru	11/30/2016 1:02 PM
79	Fishing Frisbee golf skateboard	11/30/2016 12:59 PM
80	Grass	11/30/2016 12:49 PM
81	frisbee golf, walking around, enjoying the trees, climbing the rocks	11/30/2016 12:42 PM
82	walking, running, swimming, walking the dog, bringing kids to the playground.	11/30/2016 12:34 PM
83	winter walk on the seine	11/30/2016 7:51 AM
84	Disc golf, green space	11/29/2016 5:14 PM
85	Disc golf, swings, play structure	11/29/2016 3:10 PM
86	Disc Golf!!	11/29/2016 2:36 PM
87	Disc golf and playground use with kids	11/29/2016 1:42 PM
88	Disc golf	11/29/2016 1:08 PM
89	Disc golf	11/29/2016 12:54 PM
90	Disc golf, watching the kids play	11/29/2016 12:36 PM
91	Disc Golf	11/29/2016 12:16 PM
92	Disc golf.	11/29/2016 12:11 PM
93	Disc golf	11/29/2016 12:09 PM
94	disc golf	11/29/2016 11:51 AM
95	Frisbee golf, skateboard park, play structure, fishing, BBQ, just relaxing	11/29/2016 3:46 AM
96	We walk our dog	11/28/2016 4:59 AM
97	The pool and playground	11/27/2016 2:21 PM
98	-walking, playing soccer, disc golf	11/27/2016 1:04 PM
99	Disk golf, playground, wading pool, outdoor pool, walking, playing, walking with dog.	11/23/2016 2:41 PM

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Q13 Please identify any improvements you would like to see at Happyland Park?

Answered: 97 Skipped: 10

#	Responses	Date
1	maybe more lighting, add some more picnic areas with fire pits.	1/12/2017 4:22 AM
2	new playground, bigger skatepark with more obstacles, soccer field. would like a bike path around the park so we can rollerskate or walk around it with lights to make it safer at night.	1/12/2017 4:11 AM
3	would like better signs and baskets for disc golf to improve the visibility and a sign explaining the sport. plant trees, new playstructure, for more information on disc golf signs contact: www.discgolfmanitoba.ca	1/12/2017 3:46 AM
4	1. be able to launch canoe from park, 2. paths along the Seine going south and north, 3. the pool needs to be redone, 4. ?, 5. ?, 6. a picnic area, 7. organize summer concerts	1/12/2017 3:39 AM
5	more picnic tables, nature park, benches, path along the edge of the seine river - connections in both directions, canoe/kayak launch pad, interpretive signage to learn about flora and fauna found here. a safe way to bike down Marion to Lagimodiere.	1/12/2017 3:32 AM
6	protect the riverbanks from erosion, clean garbage, bike racks	1/12/2017 3:24 AM
7	playstructure! (for kids of all ages, example-swings, ect). Better signage for disc golf	1/12/2017 3:17 AM
8	An outdoor gym would be great	12/13/2016 10:02 PM
9	Improvements to skatepark area. The Happyland skatepark is the only real "Snake Run" park in Winnipeg. If it could be made a little longer it would be AMAZING.	12/13/2016 9:26 AM
10	The original skateboard heritage preserved and new features added around existing ones.	12/13/2016 6:57 AM
11	expanded skatepark	12/13/2016 6:06 AM
12	Add on to existing skatepark (keep original park, as it has historical value to the city's skateboarders).	12/13/2016 4:16 AM
13	A post at the park entrance with doggie bags in case I forget mine. Similar to Maple Grove Dog Park. Raised river bank on west side of park to prevent overland flooding and extend the use of that area of the park (it's the only good place to throw a ball of the dog).	12/13/2016 1:03 AM
14	None	12/13/2016 12:20 AM
15	Huge overhaul of the skatepark! It desperately needs it!	12/12/2016 4:38 PM
16	Upgrade the skatepark.. surf park..?.	12/12/2016 4:06 PM
17	Expand the skatepark but keep the old one as part of the expansion.	12/12/2016 2:44 PM
18	Heated pool	12/12/2016 1:54 PM
19	Add to the existing skatepark and upgrades	12/12/2016 1:54 PM
20	Better concrete is a must! longer snake run with higher hip transfers.	12/12/2016 1:29 PM
21	I would like the skateboard area of the park to be improved	12/12/2016 12:58 PM
22	na	12/12/2016 9:00 AM
23	Improving the skateboard plaza	12/12/2016 7:49 AM
24	Either improve the snake run or replace it with a bowl would be awesome!	12/12/2016 7:45 AM
25	Increase the size of the skateboarding snake run	12/12/2016 7:15 AM
26	Natural playground development with logs and boulders, swales and hills vs. plastic playground equipment	12/12/2016 6:44 AM
27	No	12/12/2016 6:27 AM
28	Improve the historic skateboard run.	12/12/2016 6:15 AM
29	Make the skateboard area better. Improve the condition of the concrete surface add new features maybe a rail or a few concrete ledges	12/12/2016 6:14 AM

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30	Improvement to existing skateboarding facility	12/12/2016 6:10 AM
31	Better pathways and amenities, better swimming facilities, better organization of the park, upgrades to disc golf course.	12/12/2016 5:49 AM
32	skate park	12/12/2016 5:46 AM
33	If the skate area would be replaced, replacing it with a modern 'snake run' aka: 'down hill half pipe' would be great.	12/12/2016 5:31 AM
34	I would like to see an improvement done on the playground, more specifically a new slide, disc swings, and a path for skateboards and rollerblades.	12/12/2016 2:44 AM
35	bigger/better play structure	12/12/2016 2:39 AM
36	none	12/12/2016 2:34 AM
37	the swings, the structure, more lighting, bollards on path to prevent driving.	12/12/2016 2:30 AM
38	Playground equipment - priority	12/12/2016 2:24 AM
39	New big pool and small pool, adult gym, public washroom, asphalt walking path, lights.	12/12/2016 2:17 AM
40	A new swimming pool, ice skating rink, pool has fallen apart, benches are old, fire pits are demolished, a much needed walking path, a real volleyball court. Park needs lighting and public washrooms. Our park is historic and needs to be preserved at any cost. The big pool needs to be replaces, our park has been neglected for many years. Walking paths are essential. Preserve the flower gardens for the elderly and adults with benches. No loss of green space. Black top trails and paths because you cannot push strollers or rollerblade.	12/12/2016 2:05 AM
41	I would like improvements to the playground, to the disc golf, to replace the wading pool with a splash pad that would be more accessible since hours are longer than the wading pool hours. I would like to see a path to the playground that people with walkers, etc.. can use. Picnic tables would be great near the playground area.	12/12/2016 1:52 AM
42	Upgrades of above activity equipment. Please consider a canoe docking space,	12/12/2016 1:43 AM
43	Clean up fire pits, picnic benches by fire pits, more trash and recycle bins.	12/12/2016 1:37 AM
44	Continue status quo	12/12/2016 1:32 AM
45	Swings for bigger kids, paths for walking, wading pool	12/12/2016 1:27 AM
46	Pool upgraded, pool hours extended. A water park.	12/12/2016 1:21 AM
47	A fence. All the way around, to protect kids and pets against traffic.	12/8/2016 2:46 PM
48	please clear snow from concrete path connecting Prosper and Marion.	12/6/2016 6:29 AM
49	swings need repair/ replacement. intergenerational equipment would be nice replacing benches. skating might be nice	12/6/2016 6:02 AM
50	repairs to paths to make more smooth, repair of cracks in snakerun (skateboard area), better lighting at snakerun	12/6/2016 5:57 AM
51	there are cracks int he snake run skateboard area that should be addressed.	12/6/2016 5:51 AM
52	new playstructure, more garbage cans, better bbq pits, replace removed disc golf baskets (used to have 2 per hole - easy and hard), clean the stream	12/6/2016 5:45 AM
53	upgrade both pools	12/6/2016 5:39 AM
54	playstructure definitely, would be awesome to have a splashpad and maintenance of disk golf signage	12/6/2016 5:36 AM
55	I think picnic tables would be nice for people to enjoy family time. As long as they are clean and freshly painted.	12/6/2016 5:28 AM
56	better pool and washroom	12/6/2016 5:25 AM
57	keep the park benches and picnic tables in good repair. "Idea" - a beach volleyball court.	12/6/2016 4:26 AM
58	new playstructure, new lighting and seating, new splashpad, intergenerational work out	12/6/2016 4:12 AM
59	minor exercise equipment/ area	12/6/2016 4:05 AM
60	turn wading pool into a splash pad and replace pea gravel with the soft rubber matting	12/6/2016 4:00 AM
61	public washroom	12/6/2016 3:29 AM
62	improvements to all benches, picnic tables by fire pits, paved path to skate park, river walk, outdoor fitness equipment (intergenerational to match diversity of area). Park is used by all ages improvements should reflect this.	12/6/2016 3:15 AM

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63	pool and splash pad. more trails and picnic sites. more green space. barrier to suppress noise from Marion and Archibald ie more trees or shrubs.	12/5/2016 11:16 PM
64	I would love to see permanent exercise equipment, such as you see on activefit.ca.	12/3/2016 10:18 AM
65	Maybe more emphasis on safe active commuting routes, linking Archibald with Marion for pedestrians, cyclists and bus riders	12/2/2016 7:47 AM
66	disc golf sign age and basket improvements pool repair and enhancemant for shaded areas	12/1/2016 1:21 PM
67	trails and pools	12/1/2016 8:04 AM
68	More space aside from the frisbee stuff	12/1/2016 6:07 AM
69	Frisbee golf signs	12/1/2016 4:24 AM
70	Definitely better playground equipment. Perhaps an emphasis on making it a 'winter' park - areas for sledding (not necessarily a toboggan run), warming hut for cross country skiing / walking on seine river, effective buffering between busy marion / archibald streets and park (landscaping / nicer fencing).	12/1/2016 2:06 AM
71	more trees	12/1/2016 12:03 AM
72	our neighborhood is multi generational, more focus on activities for people 10 and up. more options for adults. i have heard about these adult jungle gyms. i would love that!! also, spray pad for dogs, there are more dogs in our neighborhood then there are children. some type of sheltered area near the pools for picnic table and or outdoor grills. better/more waist receptacles.	11/30/2016 7:58 PM
73	Reduce bike traffic	11/30/2016 3:14 PM
74	Picnic shelter	11/30/2016 1:52 PM
75	upgrades, show some respect to this neighborhood.	11/30/2016 1:26 PM
76	New play structure	11/30/2016 1:10 PM
77	n/a	11/30/2016 1:05 PM
78	Playground	11/30/2016 1:02 PM
79	Make a better sKate board park as this was the first built in the city in early 80s	11/30/2016 12:59 PM
80	Bathroom, build the overpass at Marion and Archibald	11/30/2016 12:49 PM
81	Fill in the low spot so it isn't flooded out in the spring. Bring back the wood timber style structure(s)	11/30/2016 12:34 PM
82	replace chain link fence with decorative wrought iron fencing or brick.	11/30/2016 7:51 AM
83	Improve disc golf course	11/29/2016 5:14 PM
84	More trees. Reinforce the ravine to prevent further sinkage. More bridges to cross the stream.	11/29/2016 3:10 PM
85	Any improvements are welcome but please communicate with the disc golf community to make sure the disc golf course is not affected. In regards to baskets, tee pads and signage it is the best disc golf course in the city. Definitely the best short course in the province. Disc Golf brings tons of traffic to the park, ask if they need any improvements	11/29/2016 2:36 PM
86	New playground facilities and new disc golf baskets (higher visibility) and disc golf signage	11/29/2016 1:42 PM
87	Maybe a couple trees along the river (behind the 4th/13th basket). Probably a lot of discs in that river.	11/29/2016 12:54 PM
88	More trees to replace the lost elms and prevent erosion	11/29/2016 12:36 PM
89	New, more visible disc golf baskets and better signage.	11/29/2016 12:16 PM
90	Upgraded (new) baskets, like the Veteran baskets recently installed at LaBarriere park would be awesome and are relatively inexpensive.	11/29/2016 12:11 PM
91	I'd like the city to install new baskets, and maintain them, that being usually baskets chains being removed or baskets vandalized.	11/29/2016 12:09 PM
92	Protect current size of park, perhaps expand along the seine river, insure water flowing from the creek into the seine river is clean	11/29/2016 11:51 AM
93	The play structure needs to be replaced, the stream through it needs to be cleaned more often. The BBQ pits are needing an upgrade.	11/29/2016 3:46 AM
94	I would love to see a fully fenced area for off-leash dogs. The area isn't very conducive to that though, so as long as it stays green, I'm happy.	11/28/2016 4:59 AM

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95	The playground needs major reno. Replaced really. The pool needs some fixing, also make a splash pad added not replacing the pool. By tieing into the existing pool lines.	11/27/2016 2:21 PM
96	more tree esp along the street, even more shrubs to separate street/traffic from park, playground, make sure swimming/wading pools are maintained	11/27/2016 1:04 PM
97	Playstructure needs to be updated, update wading pool, splash pad? Putting in river walkway. Having a better barrier alongside the park and Marion street.	11/23/2016 2:41 PM

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Q14 Are there any improvements/activities you do not want at Happyland Park?

Answered: 56 Skipped: 51

#	Responses	Date
1	all improvements are welcome!	1/12/2017 3:46 AM
2	whatever children's equipment that will be added needs to be engaging and encourage children to climb, move and take risks. Children learn to be careful in this way.	1/12/2017 3:32 AM
3	do not need new infrastructure	1/12/2017 3:24 AM
4	sportsfields	12/13/2016 6:06 AM
5	Do not remove existing skatepark.	12/13/2016 4:16 AM
6	None	12/13/2016 12:20 AM
7	Anything not related to skateboarding. It's the cities 2nd skate park ever and is huge historically to our community	12/12/2016 4:38 PM
8	No	12/12/2016 4:06 PM
9	Keep it original with a new look	12/12/2016 1:29 PM
10	N/A	12/12/2016 12:58 PM
11	na	12/12/2016 9:00 AM
12	No	12/12/2016 7:49 AM
13	As long as skateboarding isn't affected then do whatever	12/12/2016 7:45 AM
14	Destroying the skatepark	12/12/2016 7:15 AM
15	No	12/12/2016 6:27 AM
16	Don't get rid of the skateboard snake run.	12/12/2016 6:15 AM
17	N/a	12/12/2016 6:14 AM
18	No	12/12/2016 6:10 AM
19	n/a	12/12/2016 5:49 AM
20	no, we have frisbee now, its ok.	12/12/2016 2:34 AM
21	worried (safety) disc golf	12/12/2016 2:30 AM
22	Do not make it a dog park. We do not want a reduction of green space.	12/12/2016 2:17 AM
23	We do not want to lose any part of the park and do not want the kids playing near a busy road or freeway. Fishing on banks but grass in uncut. Clean up the river so we can take our kayaks on the river there.	12/12/2016 2:05 AM
24	Don't need to make a new pool (large one).	12/12/2016 1:37 AM
25	Commercial development	12/12/2016 1:32 AM
26	No dog park, all dogs must be on leash.	12/12/2016 1:27 AM
27	Don't want to lose the big pool.	12/12/2016 1:21 AM
28	anything that takes away green space	12/6/2016 6:02 AM
29	PLEASE stop covering graffiti in the snakerun (skateboard area) - the paint used by the city is slippery and causes falls. also, skate graffiti is part of the culture (obscene/ offensive items excluded)	12/6/2016 5:57 AM
30	please stop covering up the graffiti on the snake run skateboard area. the artwork is part of the culture of the area and the various sports represented.	12/6/2016 5:51 AM
31	making it smaller	12/6/2016 5:39 AM
32	improve the park	12/6/2016 5:25 AM

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33	no improvements needed with the big pool	12/6/2016 4:00 AM
34	Reduction of green space and trees.	12/6/2016 3:15 AM
35	don't reduce the size of the park.	12/5/2016 11:16 PM
36	There are many people in the neighbourhood who are nearing retirement - I would like the improvements to reflect this, and not only cater to the younger citizens. The question 16 below does not address this. Either it's for kids, or we should have no preference - what?	12/3/2016 10:18 AM
37	Get rid of fire pits they bring vagrants and partiers drinking alcohol	12/1/2016 1:21 PM
38	dogs	12/1/2016 12:03 AM
39	Excessive development. Leave some space.	11/30/2016 8:09 PM
40	no to any decrease in square footage. NO wooden playgrounds. i think there is enough play structure for 6yrs and under but not much for older ages.	11/30/2016 7:58 PM
41	Sports fields and equipment, no more artificial structures. Leave it more natural	11/30/2016 3:14 PM
42	NO FREEWAY	11/30/2016 1:26 PM
43	n/a	11/30/2016 1:05 PM
44	No new buildings. No removal of existing facilities.	11/30/2016 12:34 PM
45	Reduced access	11/29/2016 5:14 PM
46	I don't want the park to be made smaller by the road proposal.	11/29/2016 3:10 PM
47	See answer for #13.	11/29/2016 2:36 PM
48	Boat launch.	11/29/2016 1:42 PM
49	I like the disc golf a lot but I worry that new comers to the sport might accidentally hit kids with their discs. It would be great to see more parks that are more dedicated to disc golf and less crowded.	11/29/2016 12:54 PM
50	A ridiculous road exit	11/29/2016 12:36 PM
51	insure water flowing from the creek into the seine river is clean	11/29/2016 11:51 AM
52	No.	11/29/2016 3:46 AM
53	I don't want the green space taken away. I don't really care for the drainage running east-west down the middle of the park but I don't want to see it turn into a huge splash pad/waterpark/soccer field/play structure.	11/28/2016 4:59 AM
54	Taking away the pool. The younger kids get to play easier without the older kids.	11/27/2016 2:21 PM
55	do NOT want off-leash dogs	11/27/2016 1:04 PM
56	N/a	11/23/2016 2:41 PM

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Q15 Are there any issues at Happyland Park we should be aware of that need to be addressed?

Answered: 61 Skipped: 46

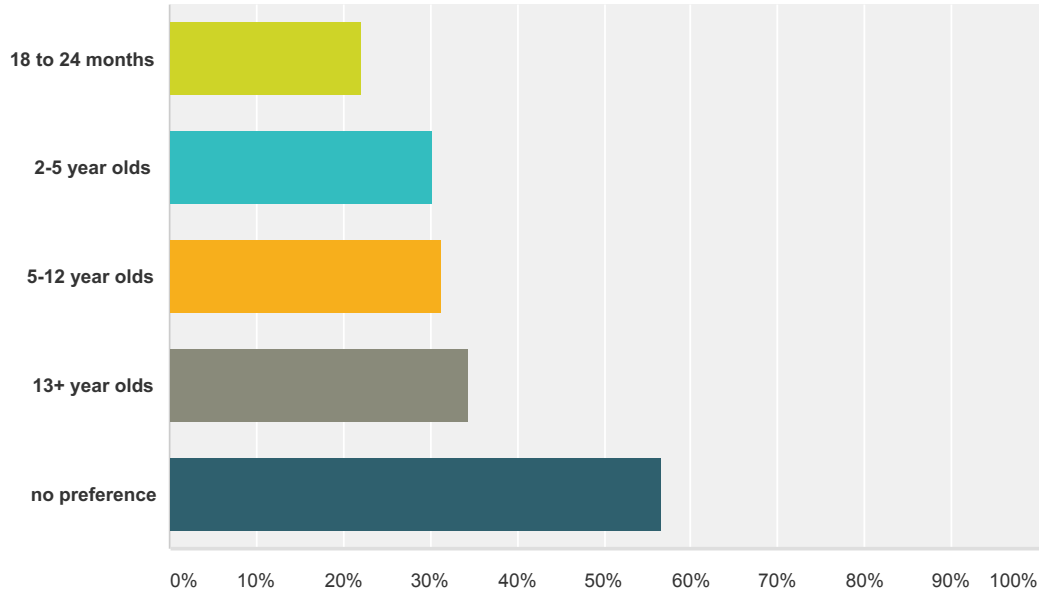
#	Responses	Date
1	Happyland, like the neighbourhood, is affected by toxic emissions. the proof is in the ground when you look.	1/12/2017 4:22 AM
2	sometimes there are dogs offleash but it's not too bad for the most part. sometimes all of the parking is taken up by the pool.	1/12/2017 3:46 AM
3	it's a popular park for young families and frisbe players	1/12/2017 3:39 AM
4	garbage. maybe add more garbage cans and organize a "community clean up" each year.	1/12/2017 3:32 AM
5	riverbank erosion, garbage, water quality	1/12/2017 3:24 AM
6	it's a little hard to access the park	1/12/2017 3:17 AM
7	litter	12/13/2016 6:06 AM
8	Not that I am aware of.	12/13/2016 12:20 AM
9	Don't tear down old skatepark	12/12/2016 2:44 PM
10	The concrete at the skatepark is cracking in the snake run	12/12/2016 1:54 PM
11	Concrete needs to be fixed 5 years ago	12/12/2016 1:29 PM
12	N/A	12/12/2016 12:58 PM
13	na	12/12/2016 9:00 AM
14	Not being used to its full potential for skateboarding	12/12/2016 7:45 AM
15	Small skate park size, uneven cement.	12/12/2016 7:15 AM
16	No	12/12/2016 6:27 AM
17	Skateboard area is old	12/12/2016 6:14 AM
18	No	12/12/2016 6:10 AM
19	nothing significant at the moment	12/12/2016 5:49 AM
20	I hope we can clean our park (playground) and maybe clean the showers at the pool. This would probably bring the community closer.	12/12/2016 2:44 AM
21	This park is fine as is 85% of the people are seniors, spend money on our gravel back lanes so we can breathe the fresh air also pave our streets, some our terrible. This is a waste of money.	12/12/2016 2:34 AM
22	Vandals, disc golf	12/12/2016 2:30 AM
23	We need a new big pool, wading pool, new swings (for adults also), lighting, public washroom, walking path (asphalt) for bikes, strollers, wheelchairs, etc...	12/12/2016 2:17 AM
24	Uncut grass, big pool has fallen apart. Happyland pool is way worse than the Norwood Flood Bowl. Happyland pool needs to be fixed FIRST or replaced with new pool. Fire pits are demolished picnic tables need to be replaces and more benches and walk paths. Public washrooms are very much needed.	12/12/2016 2:05 AM
25	The park is used by all ages and a clean park do not take away what garbage containers are in the park, they are used.	12/12/2016 1:52 AM
26	Lighting for night use.	12/12/2016 1:43 AM
27	Encroachment	12/12/2016 1:32 AM
28	The pool needs repairs.	12/12/2016 1:27 AM

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29	Pool is falling apart, public washrooms lighting, asphalt walkways (rather than gravel) for better accessibility for people with strollers, wheelchairs, etc...	12/12/2016 1:21 AM
30	sometimes people park inside the park.	12/6/2016 6:29 AM
31	outdoor pool needs attention	12/6/2016 6:02 AM
32	drain at the bottom of the snakerun (skateboard area) becomes clogged - could be maintained more often.	12/6/2016 5:57 AM
33	the rain drain in the snake run skateboard area gets plugged from time to time and should be checked regularly.	12/6/2016 5:51 AM
34	not enough garbage cans/ too much litter. poor lighting	12/6/2016 5:45 AM
35	improvements wide roads	12/6/2016 5:25 AM
36	some park benches need repairs	12/6/2016 4:26 AM
37	better lighting/ seating better playstructure	12/6/2016 4:12 AM
38	no, it's great	12/6/2016 4:05 AM
39	better lighting around the park	12/6/2016 4:00 AM
40	Wading pool - closed more often than open - need repairs. Swimming pool - needs repairs, skatepark needs repairs, benches outside of study area have portions of wood rot. Fire pits need improvements. missing Happyland sign on North Entrance. Playground needs repair, up date. Disc golf signage and some paths need repair.	12/6/2016 3:15 AM
41	Police Issues - Public intoxication and all night parties	12/1/2016 1:21 PM
42	trails	12/1/2016 8:04 AM
43	don't know	12/1/2016 12:03 AM
44	erosion of the banks and flooding	11/30/2016 7:58 PM
45	Unsupervised gangs of teens	11/30/2016 3:14 PM
46	no	11/30/2016 1:05 PM
47	More lighting	11/30/2016 12:59 PM
48	As mentioned before, there is a low spot that floods in the spring and stays underwater for quite some time rendering a large section of the park unusable.	11/30/2016 12:34 PM
49	Some petty theft	11/29/2016 5:14 PM
50	See above	11/29/2016 2:36 PM
51	Loss of several trees, vandalized disc golf signs.	11/29/2016 1:42 PM
52	Graffiti	11/29/2016 1:08 PM
53	Lots of love for disc golf in the area. Sometimes a little crowded, I noticed the grass getting killed near the tee's and baskets. It'd be nice to see some more courses to help meet the demand. Also, I notice the smell of exhaust pools in the valley when traffic is heavy. Not sure on what could be done to help that but it stinks pretty nasty at times.	11/29/2016 12:54 PM
54	The ridiculously designed road expansion	11/29/2016 12:36 PM
55	Only concern is that the disc golf course be maintained and safety considered if the playground area expands.	11/29/2016 12:09 PM
56	glass in creek, water in creek often looks polluted.	11/29/2016 11:51 AM
57	Not enough garbage cans, especially by the bus stop across from the Tim Hortons. More trees would be nice.	11/29/2016 3:46 AM
58	Actually, it's pretty nice. The drain kind of sucks but it's okay.	11/28/2016 4:59 AM
59	Sometimes I feel the river is to open for little kids to fall in.	11/27/2016 2:21 PM
60	history of vandalism in playground and bar-b-que area	11/27/2016 1:04 PM
61	N/a	11/23/2016 2:41 PM

Q16 Is there a specific age group Happyland Park Playground should be designed for?

Answered: 99 Skipped: 8



Answer Choices	Responses
18 to 24 months	22.22% 22
2-5 year olds	30.30% 30
5-12 year olds	31.31% 31
13+ year olds	34.34% 34
no preference	56.57% 56
Total Respondents: 99	

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Q17 Are there any specific play components you would like to see in this park?

Answered: 50 Skipped: 57

#	Responses	Date
1	winter considerations	1/12/2017 4:22 AM
2	outdoor exercise machines	1/12/2017 3:46 AM
3	playequipment for all ages, even the older adults. outdoor fitness equipment as part of a walking loop? nature/ exploratory play equipment for kids.	1/12/2017 3:32 AM
4	disc golf	1/12/2017 3:24 AM
5	swings for babies and older kids, slides, interactive games like music ect.	1/12/2017 3:17 AM
6	Expanded skatepark.	12/13/2016 9:26 AM
7	SkAteboarding	12/12/2016 4:38 PM
8	Surf wave.	12/12/2016 4:06 PM
9	N/A	12/12/2016 12:58 PM
10	Snake run upgrade or replaced with a bowl	12/12/2016 7:45 AM
11	Snake run for skateboarding	12/12/2016 7:15 AM
12	outdoor and natural play spaces skate/snowboard park	12/12/2016 6:44 AM
13	Keep the snake run! It's one of the oldest in Canada.	12/12/2016 6:27 AM
14	slides, take advantage of change in grade	12/12/2016 5:49 AM
15	skateboard area	12/12/2016 5:31 AM
16	no	12/12/2016 2:34 AM
17	Spinner seat, tire swing, rock climber, standing spinner, net climber, swings, panel climber, mushroom steps, teeter totter.	12/12/2016 2:30 AM
18	Keep disc golf.	12/12/2016 2:24 AM
19	Swings (for adults also). Big pool, wading pool, sand box, walking path, teeter totter (old style), slides.	12/12/2016 2:17 AM
20	Teter todderm adult swings, real volleyball and tennis courts, fix the big pool, public washroom. A park for all ages, not just kids. Need bike racks.	12/12/2016 2:05 AM
21	I would like to see the slides repaired and more climbing.	12/12/2016 1:52 AM
22	Multi-use/multi-age equipment.	12/12/2016 1:43 AM
23	Rock climbing	12/12/2016 1:37 AM
24	Paths, play structures.	12/12/2016 1:27 AM
25	An adult gym set added, water park as well as big pool, hard top pathways so its accessible for wheelchairs, strollers...	12/12/2016 1:21 AM
26	a twin to the existing snake run skateboard area, just mirrored.	12/6/2016 5:51 AM
27	slide, swing, spinners	12/6/2016 5:45 AM
28	better lighting	12/6/2016 5:39 AM
29	public art integrated into the playstructure and improvements	12/6/2016 4:12 AM
30	get rid of the pea gravel	12/6/2016 4:00 AM
31	Adult swings, outdoor fitness equipment (multi-age, intergenerational).	12/6/2016 3:15 AM

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32	Just what's on the site I mentioned above. Parks in Calgary, BC, and Spain have good examples of adult play/fitness equipment.	12/3/2016 10:18 AM
33	A fitness trail for children and adults, like the one at Assiniboine Park. So much fun!	12/2/2016 7:47 AM
34	nothing specific, but an increased attention to 'natural' play would be nice, i.e. - logs, berms, water features...	12/1/2016 2:06 AM
35	no	12/1/2016 12:03 AM
36	adult equipment, dog friendly spray pad or pool	11/30/2016 7:58 PM
37	Play structures are attractive nuisances	11/30/2016 3:14 PM
38	Nature based structures.	11/30/2016 1:10 PM
39	no	11/30/2016 1:05 PM
40	Swing, multiple slides. Climbing wall	11/30/2016 1:02 PM
41	Climbing and nature theme	11/30/2016 12:59 PM
42	swings, slides	11/30/2016 12:42 PM
43	Things that encourage exercise and mimic workouts you might see in a gym. Keep kids healthy while they just think that they're playing.	11/30/2016 12:34 PM
44	Na	11/29/2016 5:14 PM
45	If you adversely effect the disc golf course you will lose an enormous amount of traffic here	11/29/2016 2:36 PM
46	Playground facilities, new disc golf baskets.	11/29/2016 1:42 PM
47	Improvements to the disc golf park, money to replace the vandalized tee signs	11/29/2016 12:36 PM
48	The zip line type of thing that's at the airbase Park on silver I believe is Kool. Some high climbers. My daughter is 3 but she climbs to the top of everything. And a slide down. Enclosed for safety.	11/27/2016 2:21 PM
49	I especially like the more natural playgrounds such as the vertical logs,etc. you pictured on pdf	11/27/2016 1:04 PM
50	Updated playstructure, putting in a splash pad.	11/23/2016 2:41 PM