

Allenby Park Playground + Sportcourt Replacement Project

Survey Results Summary

Online survey open from January 18, 2021 – February 21, 2021

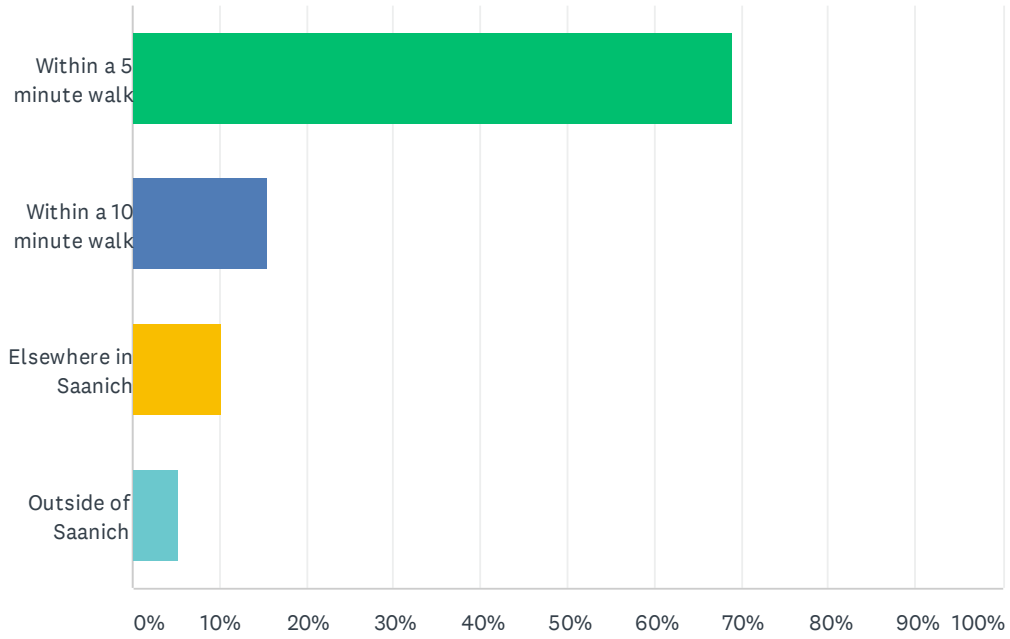
- 97 responses received
- 69% of respondents live within a 5 minute walk of Allenby Park, followed by 15% who live within a 10 minute walk
- 93% of respondents use the playground while 51% use the park for leisure recreation, followed by 39% who use the park for walking
- 55% of respondents use the playground several times a week, followed by 20% of respondents who use the playground once a week
- 87% of respondents walk to the park, followed by 27% of respondents who bike
- Most popular activities on the current playground include climbing (69%), swinging (69%) and sliding (51%)
- Top 5 most valued play features were:
 - Climbing features (75%)
 - Swings (68%)
 - Natural play (37%)
 - Playhouse (25%)
 - Social/imaginative play (24%)
- 56% of respondents said a sand area is not important
- Open-ended responses for other ideas or comments to improve the playground at Allenby Park:
 - Improved sportcourt with 2 basketball hoops + 2 hockey nets (11)
 - Variety of challenging climbing equipment (8)
 - Sand play area with digger (8)
 - Accessible elements and rubber surfacing (7)
 - Zipline (6)
 - Skatepark or skateboard elements (6)
 - Natural playground or elements (5)
 - Exercise equipment (5)

A wide variety of comments were received for additional improvements to Allenby Park playground and sportcourt. Given the project constraints of budget, timing and project scope, we have identified the following priorities:

- Fun & challenging climbing features
- Enhanced sportcourt with 2 basketball hoops and 2 hockey nets
- Natural elements with imaginative play

Q1 How close do you live to Allenby Park?

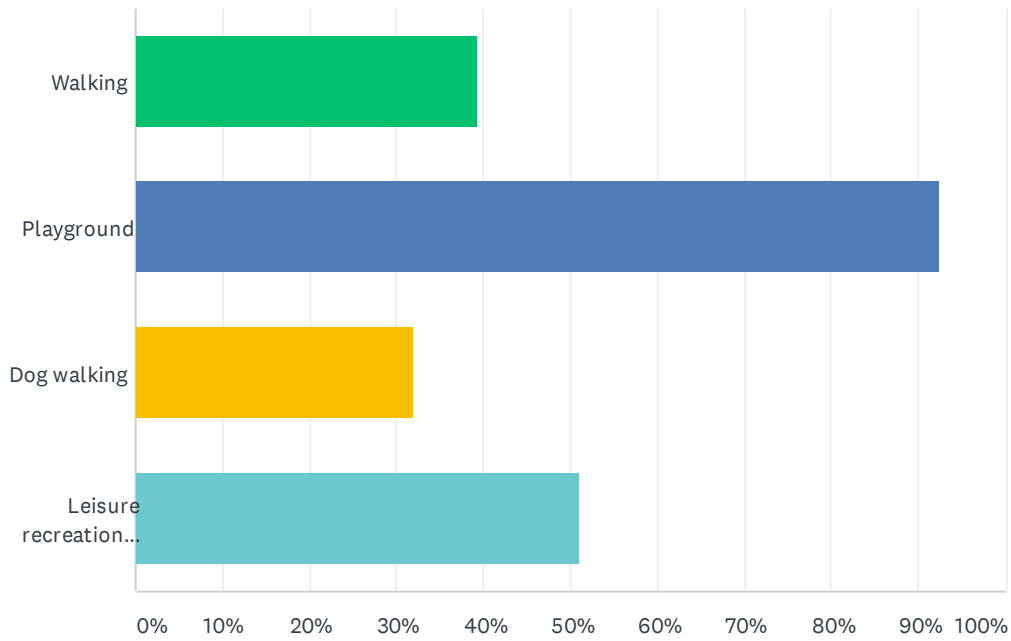
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Within a 5 minute walk	69.07%	67
Within a 10 minute walk	15.46%	15
Elsewhere in Saanich	10.31%	10
Outside of Saanich	5.15%	5
TOTAL		97

Q2 What kinds of activities do you use the park for? Please check all that apply.

Answered: 94 Skipped: 3

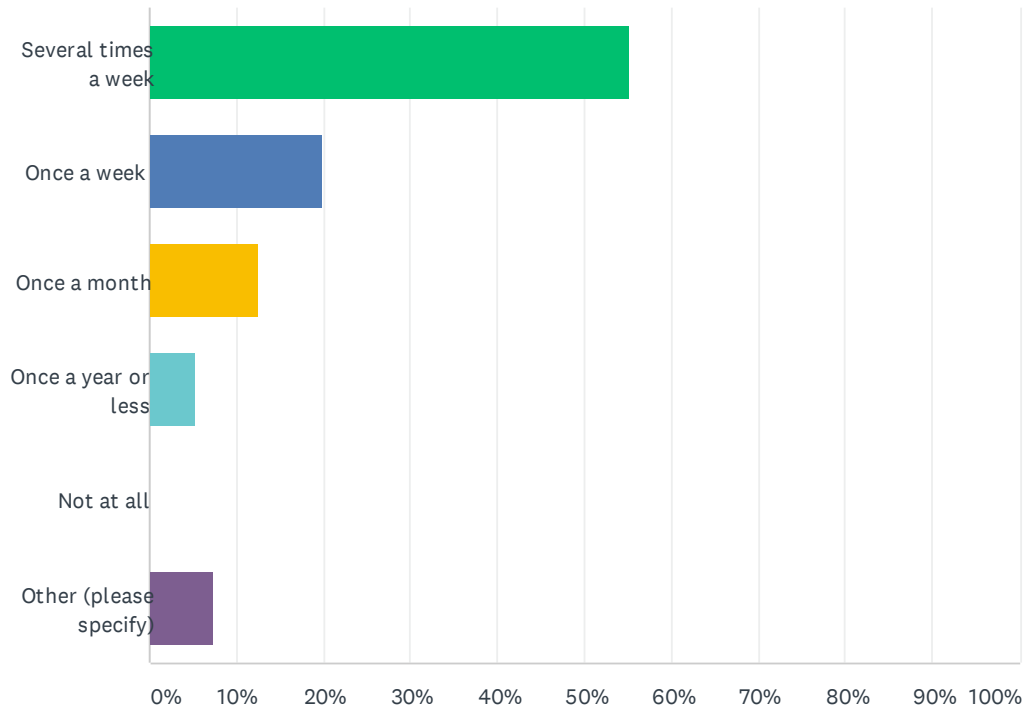


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Walking	39.36% 37
Playground	92.55% 87
Dog walking	31.91% 30
Leisure recreation (i.e., picnic)	51.06% 48
Total Respondents: 94	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Baseball, basketball, soccer, street hockey, frisbee...	2/8/2021 8:47 PM
2	Kids riding bikes on trail around playground	2/5/2021 7:32 PM
3	Skateboarding	2/4/2021 7:24 PM
4	Baseball	2/1/2021 8:48 PM
5	Baseball	2/1/2021 8:03 PM
6	Kids biking and basketball	2/1/2021 6:43 PM
7	I have two of my own children (5 and 7) and run a little daycare. We use the park at least 4 times a week.	2/1/2021 2:52 PM
8	The playground at Allenby is wonderful for small children. We need more green spaces badly in this area of Saanich - it's getting busier and denser. A nature based playground would be wonderful.	2/1/2021 10:24 AM
9	Softball, basketball	1/31/2021 7:21 AM
10	Baseball BTW... the baseball club is Carnarvon Ball Club. You should know who uses your facilities.	1/30/2021 11:10 PM
11	Baseball, basketball, skateboarding, bike riding.	1/30/2021 9:54 PM
12	scooter, biking rollerblades	1/30/2021 9:36 PM
13	Baseball	1/30/2021 9:00 PM
14	Skate park! Or outdoor pool!!!	1/30/2021 8:46 PM
15	t-ball, baseball, softball	1/30/2021 8:36 PM
16	The neighbourhood kids meet there on a regular basis and will play for long periods on play ground, sport court and field. A multi age play structure with a diverse range activities. Some more comfortable seating. A water park would be amazing but probably not an option.	1/30/2021 8:06 PM
17	Exercise, bird watching	1/24/2021 4:16 PM
18	Basketball, hockey, skateboarding, scooter, baseball field	1/23/2021 5:57 PM
19	Playground	1/21/2021 10:15 PM
20	Play basketball with my son.	1/21/2021 9:39 PM
21	Hide and seek behind the trees	1/21/2021 11:51 AM
22	Baseball, basketball, frisbee, playground	1/21/2021 11:48 AM
23	Basketball and Scootering,Bikeriding	1/21/2021 7:29 AM
24	We use the Basketball ball court mostly	1/21/2021 6:58 AM
25	Live across the street from the park.	1/20/2021 9:58 AM
26	Basketball	1/20/2021 2:58 AM
27	Bike riding/scootering (for a young child)	1/19/2021 6:26 PM
28	Basketball Baseball	1/19/2021 4:02 PM
29	Soccer	1/19/2021 1:57 PM
30	When my children were younger we used the park everyday for playing and socializing. They used the park on their own when they were older. Now I appreciate the park as a green-space amenity. There are lots of children in the neighbourhood now who use the playground.	1/19/2021 12:29 PM

Q3 How often do you and your family use the playground?

Answered: 96 Skipped: 1

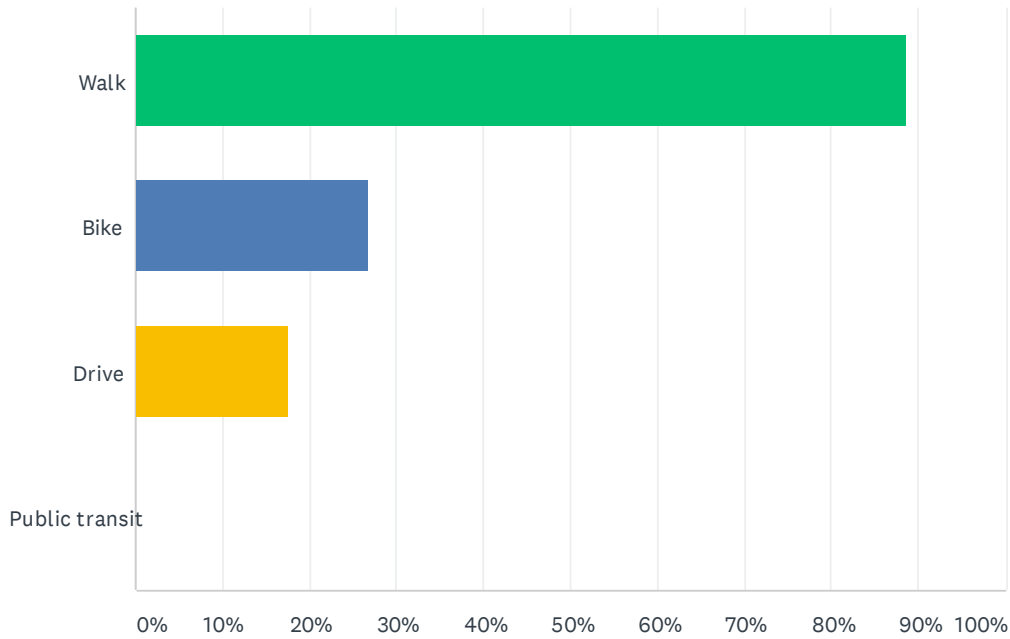


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Several times a week	55.21%	53
Once a week	19.79%	19
Once a month	12.50%	12
Once a year or less	5.21%	5
Not at all	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)	7.29%	7
TOTAL		96

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Several times a day	2/4/2021 7:24 PM
2	sporadically	1/25/2021 4:29 PM
3	Precovid, multiple times a week. During, not so much.	1/23/2021 5:57 PM
4	often in spring/summer (2-4x/wk), less in winter	1/21/2021 11:48 AM
5	2 times a year	1/21/2021 9:13 AM
6	When there are no children using the playground, I use the equipment to do all sorts of exercises. It would be great to have adult friendly equipment on the periphery or in a designated area to encourage us to get out and move.	1/20/2021 7:03 AM
7	not currently but my family used the park daily when my children were young. Now there are neighbourhood children who use it regularly.	1/19/2021 12:29 PM

Q4 How do you typically get to the park?

Answered: 97 Skipped: 0

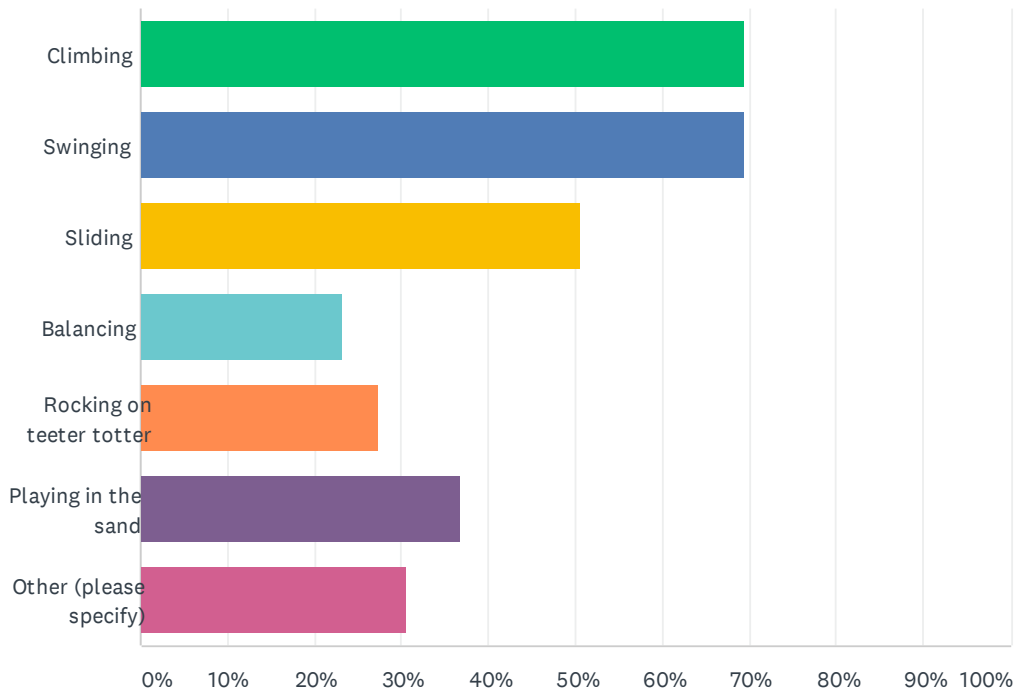


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Walk	88.66% 86
Bike	26.80% 26
Drive	17.53% 17
Public transit	0.00% 0
Total Respondents: 97	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	We are less than 5 mins away, sometimes we bike there because my daughter likes to visit both Allenby and Canarvan and walking is too far for her little legs to go to both. If the equipment at Allenby was better we wouldn't need to do both.	2/7/2021 9:51 AM

Q5 What's your child's favourite play activity on the current playground? Choose all that apply.

Answered: 95 Skipped: 2

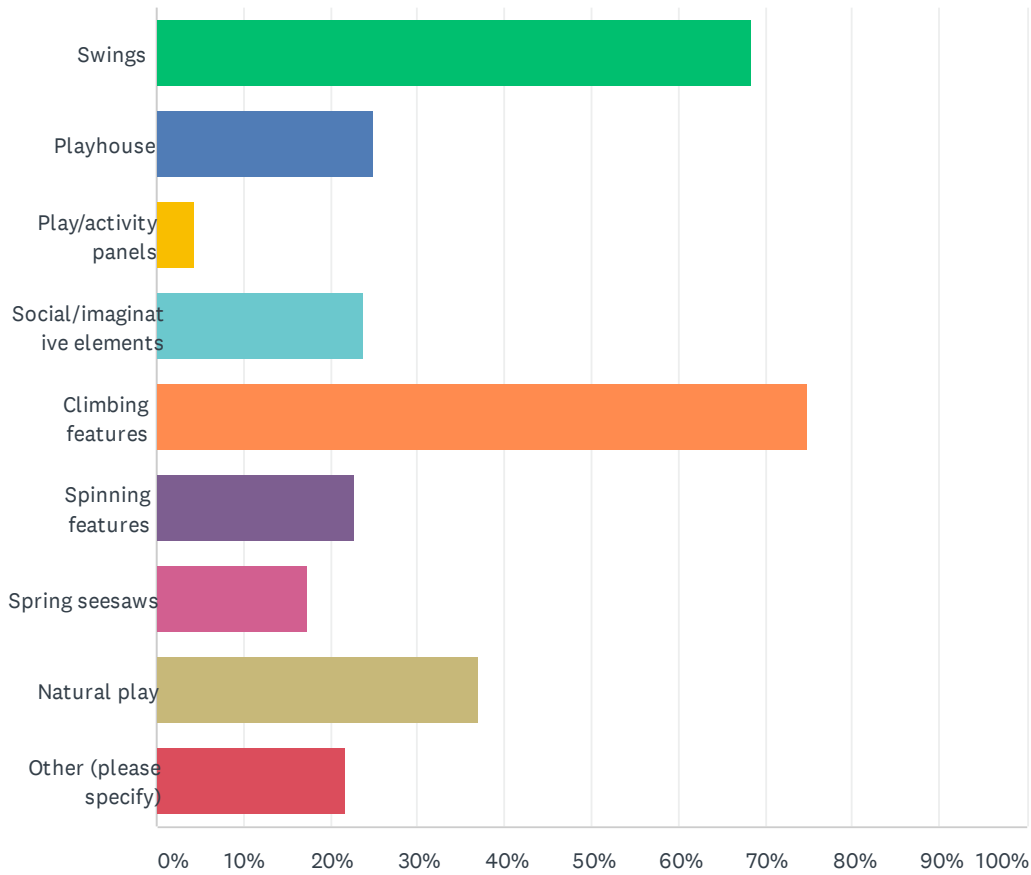


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Climbing	69.47% 66
Swinging	69.47% 66
Sliding	50.53% 48
Balancing	23.16% 22
Rocking on teeter totter	27.37% 26
Playing in the sand	36.84% 35
Other (please specify)	30.53% 29
Total Respondents: 95	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	jeep toy	2/21/2021 7:32 PM
2	Imaginative play (store)	2/17/2021 8:41 AM
3	neighbourhood toy donations	2/9/2021 12:44 PM
4	monkey bars	2/7/2021 11:13 AM
5	Monkey bars!!	2/5/2021 7:32 PM
6	Running around	2/4/2021 7:24 PM
7	Our grandchildren enjoy all aspects of the park. We avoid sandboxes as cats like them too!	2/2/2021 5:08 PM
8	Jeep -greet for make believe play	2/1/2021 8:48 PM
9	Monkey bars.	2/1/2021 10:24 AM
10	Playing tag on the playground	1/31/2021 7:21 AM
11	Sport court and ball fields	1/30/2021 11:10 PM
12	Monkey bars	1/30/2021 9:54 PM
13	No kid	1/30/2021 9:00 PM
14	Basketball court	1/30/2021 8:53 PM
15	skateboarding and basketball	1/30/2021 8:36 PM
16	Make believe so some more natural structure would be cool	1/30/2021 8:06 PM
17	Money bars	1/26/2021 3:29 PM
18	Playing in the car	1/23/2021 5:57 PM
19	playing sport activities	1/23/2021 3:44 PM
20	Imaginative play	1/22/2021 7:14 PM
21	No children but it's important that kids can get active.	1/21/2021 12:27 PM
22	Imaginative play on the jeep	1/21/2021 11:51 AM
23	Basketball	1/21/2021 7:29 AM
24	Basketball court	1/21/2021 6:58 AM
25	I am an adult and would love to see some fitness equipment - parallel bars and pull-up bars.	1/20/2021 8:43 PM
26	I don't have children - but as an adult child, I'd like to be able to play on the playground for fitness. I'd recommend having a set of bars high enough for an adult to hang, swing and do pullups or dips off of.	1/20/2021 7:03 AM
27	Riding on the truck	1/19/2021 6:40 PM
28	Monkey bars	1/19/2021 6:26 PM
29	Using the sport court (basketball, hockey net, baseball field) and cycling on the path around the park	1/19/2021 4:02 PM

Q6 What play features does your child value most? (Choose top 3)

Answered: 92 Skipped: 5

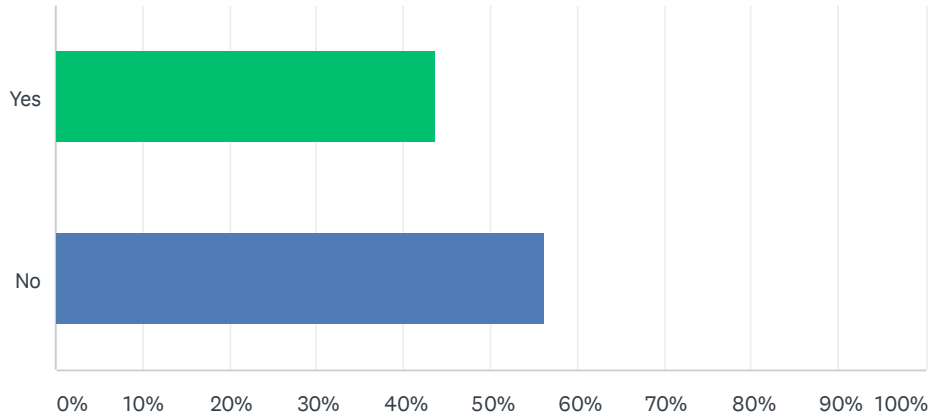


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Swings	68.48%	63
Playhouse	25.00%	23
Play/activity panels	4.35%	4
Social/imaginative elements	23.91%	22
Climbing features	75.00%	69
Spinning features	22.83%	21
Spring seesaws	17.39%	16
Natural play	36.96%	34
Other (please specify)	21.74%	20
Total Respondents: 92		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	sandbox, pretend jeep/truck structures	2/21/2021 7:32 PM
2	monkey bars, slide	2/7/2021 11:13 AM
3	Slides	2/7/2021 9:51 AM
4	Big and small metal slides are always a win!	2/6/2021 11:01 PM
5	Monkey bars	2/5/2021 7:32 PM
6	The monkey bars are a favourite. They are not too tricky for beginners. Please make sure monkey bars are in the new plans.	2/1/2021 2:52 PM
7	Sport court	1/30/2021 11:10 PM
8	Monkey bars, obstacle course, teetar totter	1/26/2021 3:29 PM
9	That's what I have used. No kids. Thank God!	1/21/2021 12:27 PM
10	slide	1/21/2021 7:39 AM
11	Basketball	1/21/2021 7:29 AM
12	playing various Basketball games	1/21/2021 6:58 AM
13	Accessible features	1/21/2021 3:28 AM
14	slides	1/20/2021 10:16 PM
15	A climbing wall for kids and adults would be great.	1/20/2021 8:43 PM
16	As an adult child, I'd love a climbing wall as well.	1/20/2021 7:03 AM
17	Monkey bars	1/19/2021 8:25 PM
18	Monkey bars - she is an avid monkey bar user!	1/19/2021 6:26 PM
19	My daughter loves the Dino at the park	1/19/2021 3:40 PM
20	running amongst the trees	1/19/2021 12:29 PM

Q7 Is a sand play area important to your child?

Answered: 89 Skipped: 8



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	43.82%	39
No	56.18%	50
TOTAL		89

Q8 Do you have any other ideas or comments on how we can improve the play area at Allenby Park?

Answered: 69 Skipped: 28

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	please keep the sand play, seesaw (can't think of any other parks with one!) and jeep/truck toy. the jeep is great for smaller babies just mobilizing- otherwise there's often not much at parks other than swings or sandbox for them. the new equip at horner is very nice as comparison- son really likes the sand digger toy there & bus toy. we don't live in saanich but we're just across the border in victoria (fernwood) so we still consider this one of our neighbourhood playgrounds as it's walking distance for us.	2/21/2021 7:32 PM
2	Sand is important to me. Allenby park and Oaklands park are the only 2 in walking distance that have sand options, and Oaklands tends to be very busy. Beaches are great, but not walkable from where we live. Allenby park has been great for us these last months, as there's so much sand it's been easier to distance from daycare groups during Covid - for this reason I hope there continues to be a sand feature. Our youngest is only 4months, so we expect to be using the park for years to come.	2/20/2021 7:08 PM
3	We love rainbow park, courthouse park (downtown) and Horner park features the best. The water feature at Horner would be awesome. Small water park would be lovely as it's rare in Saanich. Climbing structures and musical interactive panels. Spinning bucket seats are a hit. I like rubber, mulch, and artificial turf is great for little ones, with a small sand pit.	2/20/2021 3:49 PM
4	It's fine. Spend the money on something else. Install a public toilet that is open year round. It's seems quite wasteful to remove this playground equipment, it feels like it's not old enough to replace.	2/20/2021 10:38 AM
5	Bigger climbing equipment and a bigger/taller slide. Installed digger in sand area. Large disc circle swing and/or swing with me attached infant and regular swing for engagement and joint attention development. See saw toy is well loved, larger bouncer one to fit more kids. Accessible features like ramp onto bouncing bus to support inclusion. Side note, would you consider donating existing equipment to Oak Bay parks to improve their playgrounds?	2/17/2021 8:41 AM
6	Bigger, more diverse play equipment. More challenging climbing structures; more imaginative play elements	2/9/2021 12:44 PM
7	increase integration with nature/natural elements. focus on wide age group.	2/8/2021 8:47 PM
8	Add a dragon rope climbing structure - not as large as the new one at Richmond School, more like the one in the Goldstream campground play area Perhaps a very small water feature, i.e. one spraying fountain for those hot days, and adequate seating in tree shade or some sort of sun screen	2/8/2021 8:02 PM
9	Basketball and play courts are important to us. A climbing wall feature would be great. The rope swing feature at Horner Park is great - good for balance and swinging. We also like the parallel bars at Horner Park. Sand play was important when my kids were smaller, so some sand feature is great but it doesn't need to be the base under the structures. More accessible options would be appreciated. A paved/hard packed trail around the whole perimeter of the park would be great given how wet and mucky the field gets. Markings on the pavement areas that encourage movement and fun would be great. I.e. hopscotch, balance and jumping, animal movements, etc (PLAY Sooke-Westshore owns the stencils to do these - stored at Westshore Recreation). Exercise equipment is a great feature as well.	2/7/2021 11:13 AM
10	Metal slides please, plastic slides are just garbage	2/7/2021 9:51 AM
11	It would be nice to have straight metal slides at the new playground. They don't get scratched up or roughed up (the plastic ones destroy clothing and bare legs get stuck on them during the summer). They stay smooth and are way easier to slide down! The current toddler slide is hard to access by little kids on their own as there aren't any steps leading up to it. Instead there are wobbly stepping stones and they are next to impossible for little kids to negotiate independently. A toddler slide that is easily accessed by steps that littles could crawl up or walk up would be amazing!! Baby swings and big kid swings are always in demand at Allenby. So the more the merrier in that department! Kids also LOVE the teeter totter and would be sad to see that option go. The playground on Cook Street (not in beacon hill park, but on cook st, south of the village) has an excellent play structure with metal stairs and metal slides and the little kid part even connects to the bigger kid part! It has a really tall stand alone slide too (there's always a lineup for it)! I know that Allenby is much smaller, but cook st park it's an excellent example of a really great playground. So anything along those lines would be so so awesome! We are so excited for the new park! My kiddos are over the moon that their neighbourhood park is getting a makeover! Thank you so much for doing this!	2/6/2021 11:01 PM

12	Spinning monkey bars (like at Oaklands elementary)", spinners to stand on, and merry-go-round / climber (like at Cook street park).	2/5/2021 7:32 PM
13	Skatepark Another basketball hoop Trail around perimeter	2/4/2021 7:24 PM
14	Regarding SAFE ACCESS to the park: Allenby Street has become a short-cut route. We have lived three doors away from the park since 1989. Large delivery trucks and vehicles cut-through slowing down only for the traffic circle. With a bike path crossing Allenby, a busy playground and a seasonally busy ball park, please include/add safe access to the park in this plan. There are no sidewalks. To access the park, children are required to ride their bikes and/or walk on a busy street. Please consider speed bumps or closing the street at Dean to reduce speeding and minimize cut-through traffic. Thank you for upgrading our community's wonderful playground/park and for the opportunity to provide input. [REDACTED]	2/2/2021 5:08 PM
15	Outdoor circle seating area to sit with friends or family. Picnic areas	2/1/2021 8:03 PM
16	Monkey bars are very important! And a flying fox/zip line would be a highlight!	2/1/2021 6:43 PM
17	Foam flooring would be excellent so the park can be used all year round without the sand sticking to all items and clothing! Maybe a sand section can be incorporated as the sand does create wonderful play experiences. A cycle path simliar to McMinn would be fantastic! Having a net of some sort used often for hockey, soccer etc. is a must. Monkey bars would be wonderful. I'm so excited at the idea of a renovated park just at my door step. Many thanks!	2/1/2021 2:52 PM
18	If replaced, pls build a nature inspired playground C's plastic /brightly colour metal. The Cadboro bay gyro park restoration was very well done, and bringing elements of nature into children's play would enhance the space.	2/1/2021 10:24 AM
19	The kids would love more climbing and balancing options	1/31/2021 10:28 PM
20	Yes, we have lived across from Allenby Park for 17 years, Our kids were 7 and 2 when we moved in and we watched them grow up in the park playing baseball, basketball, tag, and many other games. One thing we were always afraid of is them crossing Allenby Street. Cars use it as a way to get to and from Foul Bay Rd and Richmond Rd. Currently there is no sidewalks on Allenby and people park anyway they want on Allenby to attend baseball games and other park activities parking on the one sidewalk that does exist, asphalt on grass. This creates a problem for many reasons, one thing is there is no where for kids or the elderly to walk without going onto the street, at night this is a real problem. I recommend a new sidewalk and angle parking along side the baseball field close to the tree line. I have a design and I highly recommend it is included in the upgrade to the park. We have been very lucky no one has been seriously injured. I have seen kids and adults come very close to being hit. Please please consider this in your design. [REDACTED]	1/31/2021 11:53 AM
21	We would go to this park far more frequently(especially since it's less than 10 minutes walking from our house) if the surface wasn't sand, and there were more features for older children.	1/31/2021 11:02 AM
22	Water features would be great	1/31/2021 9:26 AM
23	It would be great to have play structures geared towards older and younger kids separated. The playground area is quite small for how well used it is now.	1/31/2021 7:21 AM
24	Skate park	1/30/2021 11:18 PM
25	Leave a sport court	1/30/2021 11:10 PM
26	A small bike pump track would be so amazing for kids of all ages and would be way more used then the basketball court.	1/30/2021 10:32 PM
27	Two basketball hoops. Separate area for skateboarding with some ledges and or rials. Mini skatepark	1/30/2021 9:54 PM
28	we need a separation the age group for the playground (0-5 age and 6-10).	1/30/2021 9:36 PM
29	No	1/30/2021 9:28 PM
30	wood chips or other material instead of sand, rope course like at Caddy Bay so you can play games like the ground is lava, big animal sculptures for climbing on	1/30/2021 8:36 PM
31	I would happily be involved in the design process as we spend lots of time there. The	1/30/2021 8:06 PM

playground in Ganges on salt springs is amazing and would awesome.

32	Lots of climbing obstacle course type structure, swings - thank you for renovating the park!!	1/26/2021 3:29 PM
33	Lighted basketball court.	1/26/2021 3:11 AM
34	Excited about this! We border the park, and have a young child, so are there often. A zip-line is something we'd love to have, and would be happy to see the sand gone. Also a couple more slides that are geared towards older children. Thank you!	1/24/2021 7:50 PM
35	Hard to believe its been 20 yrs since the current equipment was installed. Our kids have moved on and out, but I frequently daily - primary destination for dog walks and meeting neighbors. I also do my part to help keep it clean by picking up garbage, others poop and branches. I also use the playground equipment for pull-ups. Kids like to use the swings, monkey bars, slides and, surprisingly, that "car". BBall also popular but street hockey not poplar like it used to be. Court also used for skateboarding and toddler bikes - safe place to ride. Space also accommodated families attending baseball games - esp. siblings. Parks are for all ages, so please consider adding some adult exercise equipment - or dual purpose playground equipment for pull ups, bar dips, sit ups, resistance training. esp with gyms now hard to access. If not within footprint of existing playground, consider a fitness park on the east side. The east side of the park is very underutilized. I have not see anyone nor any teams using small backstop in NE corner for years. Area is also too wet to use >6 months a year. Saturated. Dogs are run off lease in the fenced baseball field during the in winter months. Too muddy for our small dog. Better drainage and layers of sand required - like Oak Bay does at Carnarvon Park annually. Asphalt path on S side parallel to Townley often floods following rain. Consider improvements to that and adding trails on E and N sides. N side parallel to parking as tight with trees and baseball fence below with parents leaning on fence to watch games (or move fence in) to create a trail around the whole park and more home-runs. I think a perimeter trail it would be well-utilized for walking, jogging - and increase utilization of E side of park, if well designed and not wet/muddy. Looking forward to seeing your plans for this enjoyable city park.	1/24/2021 4:16 PM
36	Rope climbing. Tunnels Separate sand box, with wood chips or rubber in play area. Sit on excavator in sand box.	1/24/2021 8:38 AM
37	A faux climbing rock (ie rock craft chief)	1/23/2021 5:57 PM
38	If possible, we'd love to see playground with a recycled tire surface. Not only do our kids love running around (and falling) on the springy surface but as parents it's nice being able to see the surface and not be worried about what could be hidden under the sand (or wood chips). The majority of parks we go to in the city all have "safety sweep" signs posted, which is never fun. Looking forward to seeing the new park this summer!	1/23/2021 5:19 PM
39	The introductory letter mentioned "sport court replacement", but this survey does not discuss it at all. My children and family would like to see a beach volleyball court or two installed on the west side of the park: so much of Saanich parks are dedicated spaces to baseball, including many structures, it would be nice to see other sports given consideration, particularly ones that can be enjoyed well into middle age, and are popular throughout the world--an Olympic sport, unlike baseball. The court that the town of Sidney installed has seen extensive use by the community. It is a great shame that there are no facilities for beach (sand) volleyball anywhere in the municipality of Saanich. Currently, youth need to drive cars many miles out to find beach courts, either in Sidney or Colwood.	1/23/2021 3:44 PM
40	Definitely include some natural elements and play structures that encourage imaginative play. My daughter loves pretending the little green vehicle is a fire truck and pretends to put out fires!	1/22/2021 7:14 PM
41	Happy to hear of improvements coming.	1/22/2021 1:21 PM
42	Please do not put in equipment modeled after cars/trucks etc. We shouldn't reinforce the idea that motorized transport is for play/fun. Put in something that looks like a bicycle or construct a little climbing hill (these are very popular in Japan), maybe another slide or climbing wall.	1/21/2021 12:27 PM
43	We love to visit playgrounds. The best ones we've seen have had a zip line, soft ground, incorporate natural landscapes, and imaginative scenarios (ie a counter to "sell" acorns in the "shop").	1/21/2021 11:51 AM

44	Better/larger basketball/sport court to include 2 hoops. Improve drainage around the playground and sport court. It gets too muddy in winter. Include more seating or picnic tables options too.	1/21/2021 11:48 AM
45	Hello, I live a distance from the park and do not attend it regularly, although I have visited. I just want to contribute my input from the point of view as a Saanich parent with a child who has a disability. My daughter will require wheeled assistance for quite some time, and when she does start to walk the uneven surface of sand or wood chips will be difficult for her to navigate. The poured rubberized surface that are part of many playgrounds allow us to move her stroller or wheelchair into the middle of the playground where she can interact with other kids. I believe a rubberized play surface should be a main consideration. Thanks.	1/21/2021 10:56 AM
46	More items for older / taller children as I go with a 7 and 13 yr alot	1/21/2021 9:13 AM
47	We feel there should be a full hockey court and full basketball court like they Rainbow Park.	1/21/2021 7:39 AM
48	Please put in a full basketball court with two nets. The current net is heavily occupied and there a many times where we are unable to play as a result.	1/21/2021 7:29 AM
49	maybe a partial fence on west side of Basketball court to keep balls in the court. PLEASE keep the Basketball court we have been using it regularly for 20 years. The hoop facing south and backboard location at the north end of the half courtand are very useful.	1/21/2021 6:58 AM
50	Washrooms	1/21/2021 6:44 AM
51	Updating the local parks to be more accessible is important to our family and others in the community. Parks that don't have a rubber surface are inaccessible to wheelchair users. We'd love to see more playparks that our child can cruise the whole park in his chair. We'd love to see a park in Saanich that has a wheelchair swing. To our knowledge, a swing of that type doesn't exist in our city. Thanks for considering.	1/21/2021 3:28 AM
52	love that there are two baby swing seats find the seesaw just too dangerous	1/20/2021 10:16 PM
53	Please consider installing some fitness equipment for adults - lots of great examples around town and in other communities.	1/20/2021 8:43 PM
54	Better drainage north of BB Court Exercise Equipment for older adults Two Hockey nets somehow to play a game BB Court with two nets for a game	1/20/2021 7:58 PM
55	I would love to see the new park modelled after the Westhills Park in Langford, which had climbing features and slides for children of all ages. A taller structure would blend into the tree and make the park even more of a destination for families. Please... no more sand! I also propose that the unused space between the ball diamond and park be used for a small pump track. I live directly across from the park on Townley street and have two kids.	1/20/2021 1:48 PM
56	I live across the street from the park and have noticed that pre-Covid the parking was very difficult for Park users as all the parking was taken by people going to Camosun College or working at the hospital. It might be a good idea to designate a few parking spaces to 2 hour parking Monday-Friday 8-4.	1/20/2021 9:58 AM
57	Please consider setting up a corner of the park for adult fitness, as we play doesn't stop when you get older. There's a link below of a simple, yet versatile planned improvement in Toronto below. Also, look no further than Beacon Hill, View Royal, or Henderson Chip Trail for outdoor equipment for adults (and children) to stay fit outside. Would be a bonus, especially as COVID-19 has forced us to be more creative with our workouts. Just as we feel more comfortable on patios eating, we'd feel more comfortable using gym equipment outdoors. https://www.toronto.ca/city-government/planning-development/construction-new-facilities/improvements-expansion-redevelopment/ward-20-scarborough-southwest-adult-fitness-improvements/	1/20/2021 7:03 AM
58	More natural features. A zip line would be great to see. Thx	1/20/2021 2:58 AM
59	Monkey bars please!	1/19/2021 8:25 PM
60	My kids would love a zip line	1/19/2021 6:40 PM
61	It would be great change like Horner park.	1/19/2021 6:40 PM
62	Monkey bars are the most important element to my child. We're excited for the new playground! Thank you :)	1/19/2021 6:26 PM

63	Include more features for older children on the playground. Replace aging basketball hoop with two hoops, keep a hockey net, open the washroom for public use during daytime hours. Add a zip line or similar play equipment.	1/19/2021 5:19 PM
64	More basketball nets would be great!	1/19/2021 4:02 PM
65	We would REALLY love to see a full basketball court at this park. Ideally, the basketball court would run one length and a hockey setup could run the other way (similar to Rainbow Park)	1/19/2021 4:02 PM
66	Add a pump track or skate park! New features that other playgrounds don't have. Horner Park is amazing, something like that but with different features. My 11 year old would love even one skate ramp!	1/19/2021 3:40 PM
67	A parent child swing, a bathroom, a few more picnic tables	1/19/2021 1:57 PM
68	As a parent of three, we use all the parks in Victoria, and universally the tilted donut ring at Central park is the greatest fun for the least footprint.	1/19/2021 12:41 PM
69	If at all possible, please try to keep the small crooked tree at the entrance of the park (Dean/Allenby). While children enjoy climbing on the equipment there is a special pleasure for children to try and then succeed at "climbing a tree". Please keep as many trees in the park as possible, they are beautiful and are a part of natural play.	1/19/2021 12:29 PM