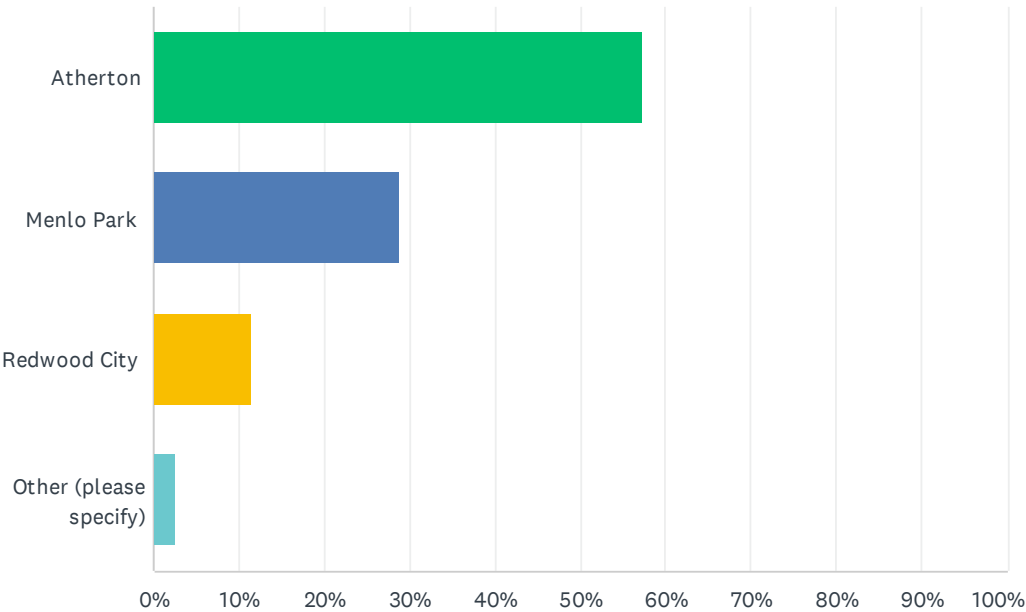


Q1 Where do you live?

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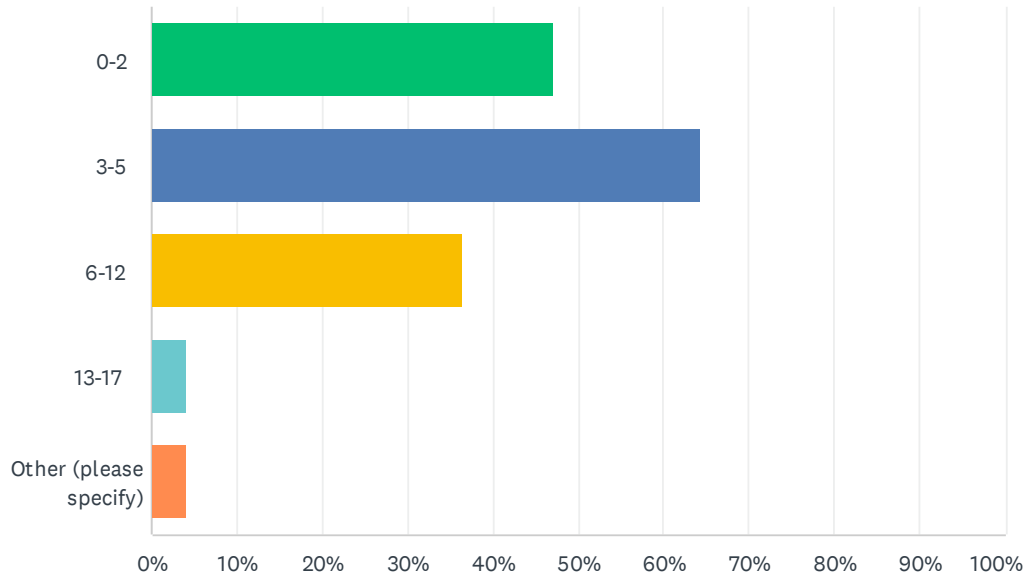


ANSWER CHOICES		RESPONSES	
Atherton		57.38%	70
Menlo Park		28.69%	35
Redwood City		11.48%	14
Other (please specify)		2.46%	3
TOTAL			122

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	San Mateo	1/5/2024 11:37 AM
2	Palo Alto	1/2/2024 10:00 AM
3	Richmond VA	12/14/2023 4:58 PM

Q2 What are the ages of the users you bring to the playground at Holbrook Palmer Park?

Answered: 121 Skipped: 2



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
0-2	47.11%	57
3-5	64.46%	78
6-12	36.36%	44
13-17	4.13%	5
Other (please specify)	4.13%	5
Total Respondents: 121		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	55+ 68	1/9/2024 8:12 PM
2	55+ 55	1/9/2024 12:54 PM
3	55+ 60	1/8/2024 7:34 AM
4	55+ 70	12/18/2023 12:32 PM
5	18	12/13/2023 10:57 AM

Q3 Which schools do your children attend?

Answered: 113 Skipped: 10

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Not in this area	1/31/2024 2:59 PM
2	Headsup preschool	1/30/2024 3:42 PM
3	Nativity school	1/28/2024 5:09 PM
4	N/a	1/28/2024 1:15 PM
5	N/A	1/28/2024 12:18 PM
6	Whole kid school preschool	1/28/2024 11:30 AM
7	Elementary school	1/27/2024 4:10 PM
8	At home	1/26/2024 5:37 PM
9	Bright Angel Montessori	1/25/2024 1:07 PM
10	N/A	1/21/2024 10:36 AM
11	Encinal and Sacred Heart	1/20/2024 3:03 PM
12	st andrews	1/20/2024 12:36 AM
13	Stratford Palo Alto	1/16/2024 8:40 PM
14	Oak Knoll	1/15/2024 7:14 PM
15	Sacred Heart Schools	1/14/2024 1:40 PM
16	Encinal School, Pacific Rim International School	1/12/2024 5:22 PM
17	The children I bring to the park go to both Las Lomas and private schools in the area.	1/12/2024 4:43 PM
18	Knox Preschool	1/12/2024 11:34 AM
19	San Francisco schools...these are our grandchildren	1/12/2024 11:16 AM
20	Pre-schoolers	1/12/2024 10:59 AM
21	grandchildren don't live in area	1/12/2024 10:56 AM
22	Encinal and hillview	1/12/2024 8:59 AM
23	Hillview	1/12/2024 7:53 AM
24	Trinity school	1/11/2024 10:35 PM
25	Silicon Valley international school	1/11/2024 9:26 PM
26	Trinity, Synapse	1/11/2024 9:16 PM
27	Sacred Heart	1/11/2024 11:13 AM
28	St Joseph	1/10/2024 3:53 PM
29	none	1/10/2024 12:49 PM
30	no kids	1/9/2024 8:12 PM
31	They are now young adults, however, attended Encinal and Menlo-Atherton High School.	1/9/2024 12:54 PM
32	Our grandchildren live in Atlanta, GA, but they visit us at least twice a year.	1/8/2024 8:25 PM
33	Playschool Atherton	1/8/2024 12:31 PM

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34	They are 30 and 26 now and attended SHS then Oak Knoll, Hillview, Bellarmine.	1/8/2024 7:34 AM
35	Encinal Elementary	1/7/2024 12:51 PM
36	Private	1/7/2024 9:24 AM
37	Not yet in school	1/6/2024 11:47 AM
38	Knox Playschool in Atherton	1/6/2024 11:33 AM
39	Daycare in San Carlos	1/5/2024 11:37 AM
40	Will attend encinal	1/4/2024 1:58 PM
41	Los lamitos	1/2/2024 2:43 PM
42	Woodland School	1/2/2024 11:45 AM
43	Playschool, CFI	1/2/2024 10:40 AM
44	Currently Spanish Immersion program, shortly to Encinal	1/2/2024 10:00 AM
45	Orion	1/1/2024 4:56 PM
46	M-A Co op preschool	1/1/2024 4:17 PM
47	Bright angel	12/31/2023 4:06 PM
48	Bright Angel Montessori Academy	12/31/2023 1:54 PM
49	Will be Encinal	12/31/2023 12:11 PM
50	None	12/30/2023 8:24 PM
51	None	12/30/2023 5:21 PM
52	Woodside priory	12/28/2023 1:51 PM
53	Encinal	12/27/2023 6:24 PM
54	NA	12/27/2023 2:43 PM
55	Laurel	12/27/2023 8:21 AM
56	None	12/26/2023 4:42 PM
57	Encinal Hillview Menlo	12/23/2023 2:20 PM
58	Orion	12/23/2023 1:47 PM
59	none	12/22/2023 4:24 PM
60	Oak knoll	12/22/2023 11:44 AM
61	Adelante Selby	12/22/2023 9:12 AM
62	Catholic	12/22/2023 9:04 AM
63	None yet	12/22/2023 8:42 AM
64	M-A; younger cousins often come to visit	12/22/2023 7:48 AM
65	Encinal	12/22/2023 7:26 AM
66	Daycare	12/19/2023 4:50 AM
67	No children	12/18/2023 12:32 PM
68	Sacred Heart School	12/18/2023 9:53 AM
69	Synapse	12/17/2023 9:51 PM
70	hillview, MAHS	12/17/2023 9:12 AM
71	Playschool in Holbrook Palmer park	12/16/2023 5:01 PM

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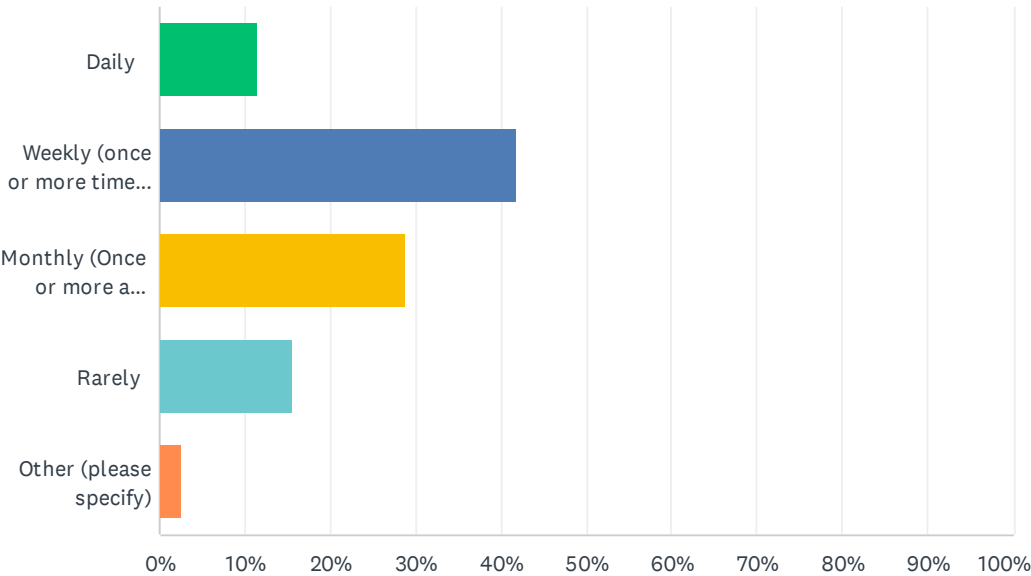
72	Knox Playschool	12/16/2023 3:59 PM
73	Early learning center at Laurel school	12/16/2023 12:06 PM
74	Encinal	12/16/2023 10:44 AM
75	PlaySchool/Encinal	12/16/2023 10:29 AM
76	Daycare	12/16/2023 9:56 AM
77	Encinal Elementary	12/16/2023 8:45 AM
78	Nativity	12/16/2023 8:31 AM
79	Bing pre school	12/15/2023 10:52 PM
80	1 baby, no school 1 toddler starts preschool in summer	12/15/2023 8:44 PM
81	San Francisco schools	12/15/2023 8:33 PM
82	Bing Nursery School	12/15/2023 2:26 PM
83	Sacred Heart	12/15/2023 1:05 PM
84	Encinal	12/15/2023 10:04 AM
85	Bing, school in park	12/14/2023 4:58 PM
86	Knox Playschool Bing	12/14/2023 3:49 PM
87	Bing Holbrook playschool	12/14/2023 3:37 PM
88	Menlo-Atherton Cooperative Nursery School	12/14/2023 2:18 PM
89	Encinal	12/14/2023 1:40 PM
90	Encinal	12/14/2023 12:59 PM
91	Na	12/14/2023 12:53 PM
92	Laurel Elementary	12/14/2023 10:49 AM
93	Los altos United Methodist children's center	12/14/2023 7:56 AM
94	Knox playschools	12/13/2023 11:56 PM
95	Nueva	12/13/2023 11:38 PM
96	L'academy	12/13/2023 6:30 PM
97	Laurel	12/13/2023 3:00 PM
98	Menlo Atherton Co-Op Nursery School, First Congo Nursery School	12/13/2023 2:58 PM
99	MA Co-op First Congo	12/13/2023 2:47 PM
100	Menlo Atherton parent cooperative nursery school, and pinewood school	12/13/2023 2:37 PM
101	Preschool	12/13/2023 2:25 PM
102	Playschool and Silicon Valley International School	12/13/2023 12:57 PM
103	Playschool & Encinal	12/13/2023 12:51 PM
104	Playschool, Encinal	12/13/2023 12:45 PM
105	Knox Play school	12/13/2023 12:23 PM
106	Playschool, encinal	12/13/2023 12:02 PM
107	Knox Playschool and Encinal	12/13/2023 11:52 AM
108	Laurel School, MPCSD.	12/13/2023 11:39 AM
109	SV international school	12/13/2023 11:06 AM

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110	n/a	12/13/2023 10:57 AM
111	Knox and Encinal	12/13/2023 9:55 AM
112	Playschool and Encinal	12/13/2023 9:00 AM
113	St. Pius School in Redwood City.	12/13/2023 8:45 AM

Q4 How often do you visit the playground at Holbrook-Palmer Park?

Answered: 122 Skipped: 1



ANSWER CHOICES		RESPONSES	
Daily		11.48%	14
Weekly (once or more times a week)		41.80%	51
Monthly (Once or more a month)		28.69%	35
Rarely		15.57%	19
Other (please specify)		2.46%	3
TOTAL			122

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	No longer, as my children are grown.	1/9/2024 12:54 PM
2	I haven't yet but plan to	12/15/2023 10:52 PM
3	roughly 3 days/week	12/13/2023 11:52 AM

Q5 When you visit the playground at Holbrook-Palmer Park, which features or elements do you enjoy (Swings, Slide, Monkey Bars, Size of 2-5 year-old equipment, Benches, Shade, etc)?

Answered: 121 Skipped: 2

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	2-5 year-old kids' equipment	1/31/2024 2:59 PM
2	Everything	1/30/2024 3:42 PM
3	Slides, monkey bars benches more shade, better bathrooms	1/28/2024 5:09 PM
4	Slides	1/28/2024 1:15 PM
5	Benches, shade (would be good to add more by equipment and sandpit)	1/28/2024 12:18 PM
6	Slide, sand pit, climbing structure	1/28/2024 11:30 AM
7	Swings monkey bars slide	1/27/2024 10:13 PM
8	Yes	1/27/2024 4:10 PM
9	We enjoy all of the above	1/26/2024 5:37 PM
10	Swings, Slides, Sand Pit	1/26/2024 5:11 PM
11	2-5 year old play area, swings, slide, monkey bars, benches	1/25/2024 1:07 PM
12	Swings are number 1! Monkey bars and slide	1/21/2024 1:20 PM
13	Swings, slide, bridge, tunnel, shade	1/21/2024 10:36 AM
14	Swings, Monkey Bars, Exercise Stations, grassy field.	1/20/2024 3:03 PM
15	swing slide	1/20/2024 12:36 AM
16	Swings, Slides	1/16/2024 8:40 PM
17	Swings, slide, playground, open field	1/15/2024 7:14 PM
18	All of them	1/14/2024 1:40 PM
19	For 2-5 yr old: Size of equipment, play house, swings, slide For 6+ yr old: Swings, large play structure with slide, bridge, monkey bars For adults: Benches, a lot of shade	1/12/2024 5:22 PM
20	All of them.	1/12/2024 4:43 PM
21	Swing, slides, shades and benches	1/12/2024 11:34 AM
22	Everything except the monkey bars for now. Children are three and too small	1/12/2024 11:16 AM
23	All of that	1/12/2024 10:59 AM
24	I have spent a lot of time at the young children's playground. The big kids side was never an attraction	1/12/2024 10:56 AM
25	Shade and swings	1/12/2024 8:59 AM
26	Swings	1/12/2024 7:53 AM
27	Swings,sands	1/11/2024 10:35 PM
28	All of them	1/11/2024 9:26 PM
29	Slides, monkey bars, trains	1/11/2024 9:16 PM

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30	Slide, sand box and swing	1/11/2024 11:13 AM
31	None at this time	1/10/2024 3:53 PM
32	When my grandchildren are here they like the slide and like to climb.	1/10/2024 12:49 PM
33	never been there	1/9/2024 8:12 PM
34	N/A	1/9/2024 12:54 PM
35	Swings, slides	1/8/2024 8:25 PM
36	Slides, swings, moving equipment	1/8/2024 12:31 PM
37	I feel shade in the children's playground is very important. Especially for the littlest ones. I use the park, myself, for walking and exercise. I see patrons and dogs far more often than I see children. I see seniors the most walking and enjoying the park. Perhaps some areas for both to exercise and be in community with others would be a good investment given the large numbers of seniors and patrons with dogs.	1/8/2024 7:34 AM
38	Play structures	1/7/2024 12:51 PM
39	Swings, slide, sand area, benches	1/7/2024 12:04 PM
40	Swings & slides	1/7/2024 9:24 AM
41	Slide for toddlers, train, sand area, little picnic tables	1/6/2024 11:47 AM
42	We spend the most time on the swings and slides. We also enjoy the monkey bars and have snacks on the benches. Would be fun if there was a spinning element.	1/6/2024 11:33 AM
43	Swings and sandbox	1/5/2024 11:37 AM
44	Playground, shade (there isn't much), trail around the park	1/4/2024 1:58 PM
45	Swings, play structure sand pit	1/2/2024 2:43 PM
46	Swings, monkey bars, shade, benches	1/2/2024 11:45 AM
47	Slides, swings, play structure with bridge, shade, benches, walking paths	1/2/2024 10:40 AM
48	Swings, slides, bridges, spin features, climbing features, benches, shade	1/2/2024 10:00 AM
49	All	1/1/2024 4:56 PM
50	The little kids play equipment is great	1/1/2024 4:17 PM
51	All	12/31/2023 4:06 PM
52	We love playing in the sand pit, the swings, and we use the 2-5 equipment. We appreciate that the space often has shade from the trees that have been planted there, and we often snack at the tables.	12/31/2023 1:54 PM
53	Swings and slides. Things to climb on	12/31/2023 12:11 PM
54	Swings, slides, bridge, shade, climbing areas	12/30/2023 8:24 PM
55	All of it	12/30/2023 5:21 PM
56	Walking trail	12/28/2023 1:51 PM
57	shade, benches	12/27/2023 6:24 PM
58	Swings, slides, sand box, and benches. Unfortunately there's no shade around the playground we're the kids can have their snacks	12/27/2023 2:43 PM
59	Not so much is age appropriate or very fun for the kids now.	12/27/2023 8:21 AM
60	2-5 year old area. Sand area. Swings and slide. Would like more shade in the 2-5 year area.	12/26/2023 4:42 PM
61	Swings slides benches	12/23/2023 2:20 PM
62	Slides, Swings, benches	12/23/2023 1:47 PM
63	swings	12/22/2023 4:24 PM

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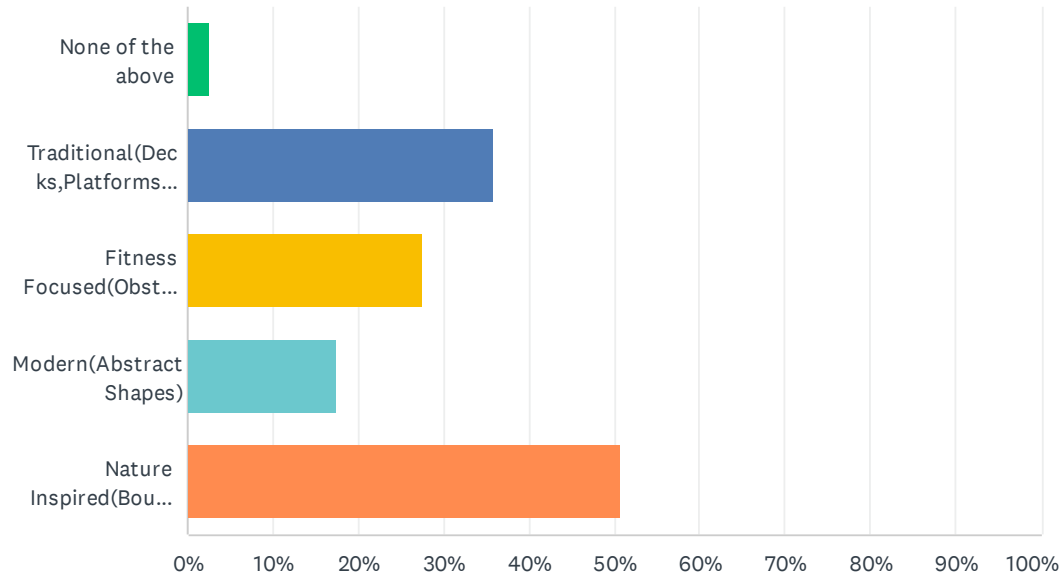
64	Swings and slides, benches and shade, and large lawn for running	12/22/2023 11:44 AM
65	Swings, benches, Sand pits, slides, steering wheels, little benches	12/22/2023 9:12 AM
66	Monkey bars, slide and swings	12/22/2023 9:04 AM
67	Size of 2-5 yr old eqpt.,shade	12/22/2023 8:42 AM
68	My kids used to love the swings, slide, climbing & sandbox, as well as the little train when they were younger	12/22/2023 7:48 AM
69	shade, swings	12/22/2023 7:26 AM
70	Swings, slides, playhouses, tubes, everything in the area for smaller children - love it as is	12/19/2023 4:50 AM
71	swings, monkey bars, benches	12/18/2023 6:29 PM
72	Benches, shade	12/18/2023 12:32 PM
73	use all equipment plus seating area	12/18/2023 9:53 AM
74	swings, slide, benches	12/17/2023 9:51 PM
75	benches, open field	12/17/2023 9:12 AM
76	Swings! Sand box (but wish it was nicer). Enjoy the trees!	12/16/2023 5:01 PM
77	Slide, swings, sand pit	12/16/2023 4:21 PM
78	swings and climbing wall	12/16/2023 3:59 PM
79	Swings, slide, train, benches, shade, sandbox	12/16/2023 12:06 PM
80	swings	12/16/2023 10:44 AM
81	All of the above - but shade is super helpful	12/16/2023 10:29 AM
82	All available equipment	12/16/2023 9:56 AM
83	sand pit, monkey bars, benches, shade, and swings	12/16/2023 8:45 AM
84	All	12/16/2023 8:31 AM
85	All of those	12/16/2023 8:19 AM
86	Looking for young kids area	12/15/2023 10:52 PM
87	Swings, climbing structures, bridge, ledges on flowerbeds or other structure for toy car roads, slide, picnic area	12/15/2023 8:44 PM
88	swings, slides, rocking bikes	12/15/2023 8:33 PM
89	Swings and 2-5 year old equipment	12/15/2023 2:26 PM
90	All of it except the seating space	12/15/2023 1:05 PM
91	Sand pit	12/15/2023 10:04 AM
92	Small children's hospital lay area	12/14/2023 4:58 PM
93	benches and shade for me	12/14/2023 3:49 PM
94	Slides, swings, climbing structures, monkey bars, sand play area	12/14/2023 3:37 PM
95	We have two adventurous toddlers. We're using everything.	12/14/2023 2:18 PM
96	My kids love the play structure, monkey bars, the train in the kids area, and LOVE the sandbox	12/14/2023 1:40 PM
97	shade, sandbox, swings, bridge	12/14/2023 12:59 PM
98	I enjoy small bench for lunch with kids, shade, and the enclosed gated area for the little ones. They won't escape	12/14/2023 12:53 PM
99	Swings and monkey bars	12/14/2023 10:49 AM

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100	Swings, slide, kids area, benched	12/14/2023 7:56 AM
101	Swings	12/14/2023 5:34 AM
102	Slide, swings	12/13/2023 11:56 PM
103	Swings, slide, monkey bars, benches, shade, playground structure for them to run around on	12/13/2023 11:38 PM
104	House, slide, swings, sandbox, bench	12/13/2023 6:30 PM
105	Swing is my little one top monkey bars and slide for the oldest. Also love the sand area.	12/13/2023 3:00 PM
106	Swings, slides, sand play areas, tunnel, hanging bars, shade, kid picnic table, and the toddler-appropriate size of the Atherton "train" and "train station"	12/13/2023 2:58 PM
107	Swings, slide, sandbox	12/13/2023 2:47 PM
108	Shade	12/13/2023 2:37 PM
109	Swings, slide, monkey bars, paths for scooters	12/13/2023 2:25 PM
110	Sand box is the best feature that many kids, no just mine, have enjoyed. Monkey Bars, slide, benches and Shade(beautiful heritage trees). Holbrook is calm unlike Nealon which can be chaotic and dangerous. Nealon has way too many stimulants that defeats the purpose of going outdoors and enjoying nature.	12/13/2023 12:57 PM
111	Slide, toddler playground, bridge	12/13/2023 12:51 PM
112	Swings, slide, benches, shade, sand, motorcycle rockers	12/13/2023 12:45 PM
113	Likely all at some point	12/13/2023 12:23 PM
114	Swings, slides, sand area, shade and benches are nice in the summer!	12/13/2023 12:02 PM
115	Swings (we need more swings- they are very popular!), sand box, little kids equipment. They don't like the big kids structure as much and the monkey bars are too high for my kids	12/13/2023 11:52 AM
116	Swings, Jungle gym with slides, Monkey bars.	12/13/2023 11:39 AM
117	Shade, benches, sandbox, swings, slide, monkey bars	12/13/2023 11:06 AM
118	none	12/13/2023 10:57 AM
119	Swings, slides, monkey bars	12/13/2023 9:55 AM
120	Swings, two separate aged play structures, sand, slides, monkey bars, shade, benches and low tables	12/13/2023 9:00 AM
121	Swings, slide, shade, benches, etc.	12/13/2023 8:45 AM

Q6 When thinking about the nature of the park, what style or theme of play equipment seems most appropriate?

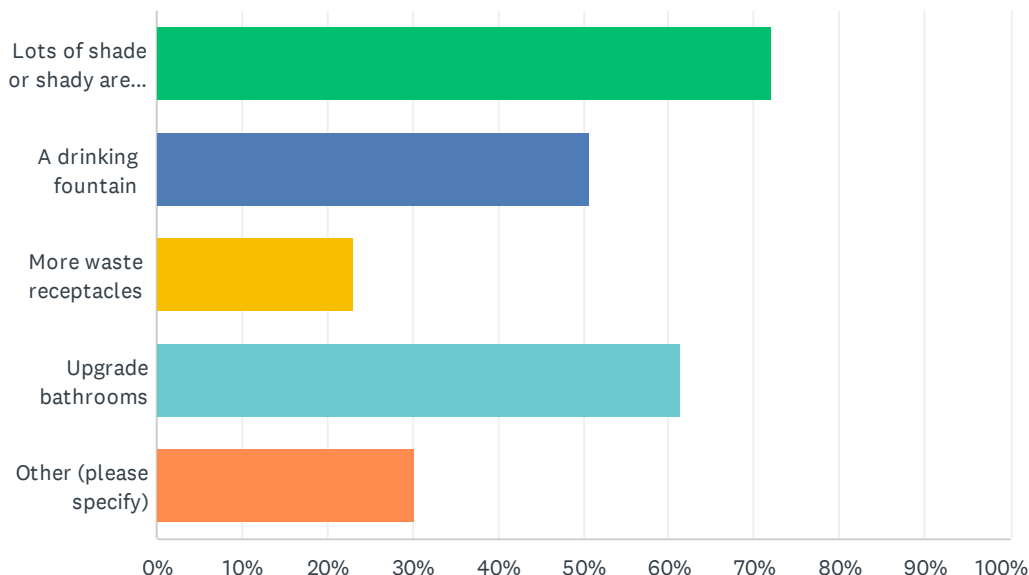
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
None of the above	2.50%	3
Traditional(Decks, Platforms, Stairs)	35.83%	43
Fitness Focused(Obstacles, Climbers)	27.50%	33
Modern(Abstract Shapes)	17.50%	21
Nature Inspired(Boulders, Stones)	50.83%	61
Total Respondents: 120		

Q7 Besides updating the play structure, what amenities would improve your experience at the playground?

Answered: 122 Skipped: 1



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Lots of shade or shady areas to rest	72.13%	88
A drinking fountain	50.82%	62
More waste receptacles	22.95%	28
Upgrade bathrooms	61.48%	75
Other (please specify)	30.33%	37
Total Respondents: 122		

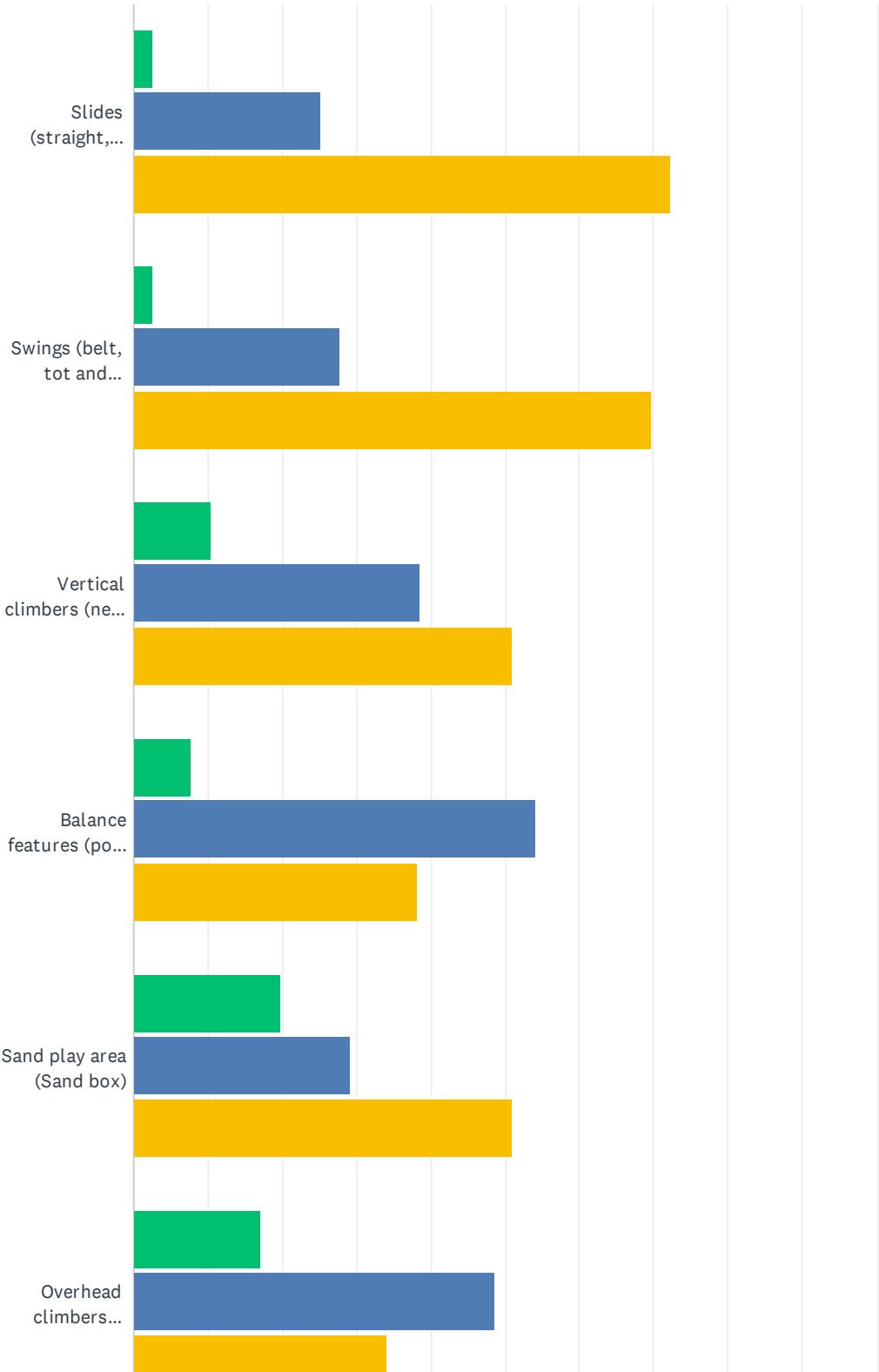
#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Provide opportunities for other than just "kids", There is NOT a shortage of playgrounds nearby, The older kids like to go to bigger areas in Menlo Park, their school or jusy play sports. Facilities in HPP should be a small, simple playground for very young kids & other facilities for adults (Pickle-ball, a fenced dod park, etc. Although open to all visitors the facilities are primarily for Atherton residents & their guests. Do not spend >\$1M of taxpayers \$ on an ilconceived ,	1/31/2024 2:59 PM
2	The bathrooms next to the kids structure are disgusting and are a hazard to people and kids they need to be torn down and replaced. It is an absolute disaster and disgusting situation.	1/27/2024 4:10 PM
3	More swings, a climbing structure, higher slide, longer monkey bars. The small childrens area could be smaller for what it contains. More benches for the adults to watch from.	1/21/2024 1:20 PM
4	Areas for parents to gather and watch their kids	1/14/2024 1:40 PM
5	Water feature that works	1/13/2024 7:39 PM
6	As much shade as possible	1/12/2024 5:22 PM

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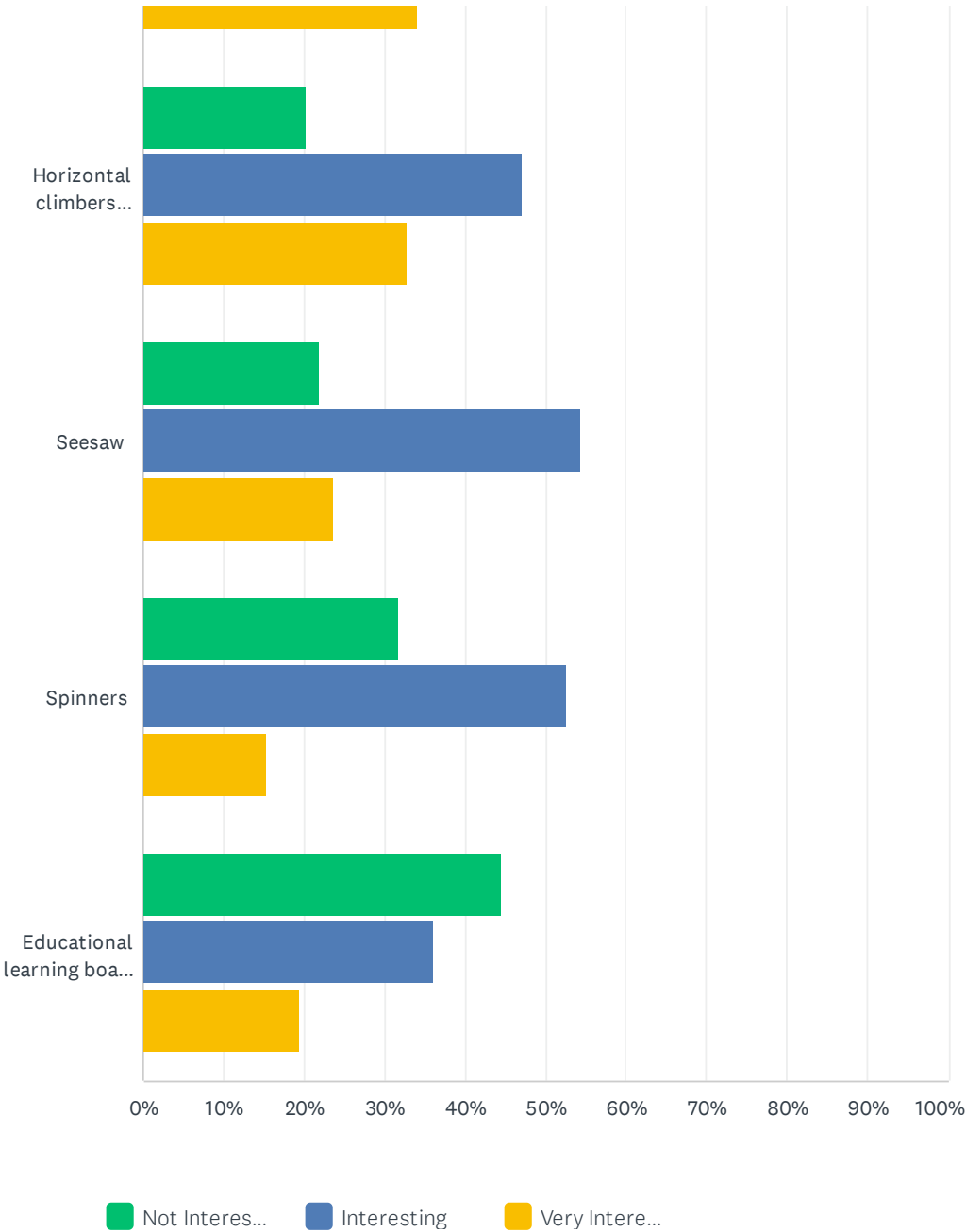
7	Small tables where you could play cards or write or draw	1/12/2024 4:43 PM
8	soft surface for shoeless feet. How about a place to put shoes and backpacks?	1/12/2024 11:16 AM
9	Picnic area with shades	1/11/2024 9:16 PM
10	Equipment for seniors & areas for fitness classes	1/10/2024 12:49 PM
11	Shaded benches	1/8/2024 8:25 PM
12	Refreshments or coffee	1/8/2024 12:31 PM
13	Senior exercise equipment and enclosed dog park	1/8/2024 7:34 AM
14	Cool slides	1/7/2024 12:51 PM
15	Facilities for all Atherton residents, not just children	1/7/2024 9:24 AM
16	Water play during summer. Sandbox.	1/6/2024 11:33 AM
17	Shade over the playground area or water fountain in the playground for kids to play	12/27/2023 2:43 PM
18	More open ended, exciting structures for the kids to play on. We only come rarely because the kids don't love coming here b/c currently it's not very fun. And we used to bring them to the baby area but there was some shade then. Adding back in some trees would be great for the younger kids!	12/27/2023 8:21 AM
19	Artificial rubberized ground that is soft for kids to fall and play	12/26/2023 4:42 PM
20	Interactive Water feature or splash pads	12/23/2023 2:20 PM
21	One slide is not enough in the area for smaller children; maybe two side-by-side. There are no swings in the smaller tots area; would be nice. More seating for adults. The sand pit is also not level with the surrounding pavement; causes falls.	12/19/2023 4:50 AM
22	Turf ground for safety. More spin features for kids.	12/16/2023 5:01 PM
23	Swings lower to the ground so kids can climb into them unassisted	12/16/2023 12:06 PM
24	basketball court	12/16/2023 10:44 AM
25	FUNCTIONAL bathrooms	12/16/2023 10:29 AM
26	Sunny areas as well.	12/16/2023 8:19 AM
27	Look at rwc magical bridge park for inspiration.	12/15/2023 8:44 PM
28	lost and found;	12/15/2023 8:33 PM
29	Shady sand area	12/15/2023 10:04 AM
30	Basketball area	12/14/2023 3:37 PM
31	Gated enclosed area for littles divided	12/14/2023 12:53 PM
32	Dog park	12/13/2023 6:30 PM
33	Picnic tables inside playground	12/13/2023 2:25 PM
34	All of these! The little kids playground gets very hot and lacks shade. The bathrooms are dirty, smelly and hot, and I try to avoid them, but that's difficult with little kids. A water fountain and water bottle faucet would be great.	12/13/2023 11:52 AM
35	Bathrooms! Often, when we go to the park, there are no bathrooms open.	12/13/2023 11:39 AM
36	A little kiosk with refreshments	12/13/2023 11:06 AM
37	Baby change to change diapers.	12/13/2023 8:45 AM

Q8 If you had to evaluate a playground based on how "fun" it is, how would you rate the following playground features? (Answer this questions to the best of your ability from your child's perspective)

Answered: 120 Skipped: 3



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	NOT INTERESTING	INTERESTING	VERY INTERESTING	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Slides (straight, double, spiral slides)	2.52% 3	25.21% 30	72.27% 86	119	2.70
Swings (belt, tot and accessible swings)	2.52% 3	27.73% 33	69.75% 83	119	2.67
Vertical climbers (net climbers, rock walls)	10.53% 12	38.60% 44	50.88% 58	114	2.40
Balance features (pods, log steppers, suspension bridges)	7.63% 9	54.24% 64	38.14% 45	118	2.31
Sand play area (Sand box)	19.83% 23	29.31% 34	50.86% 59	116	2.31
Overhead climbers (monkey bars, swinging rings)	17.09% 20	48.72% 57	34.19% 40	117	2.17
Horizontal climbers (crawling tunnels)	20.17% 24	47.06% 56	32.77% 39	119	2.13
Seesaw	21.93% 25	54.39% 62	23.68% 27	114	2.02
Spinners	31.82% 35	52.73% 58	15.45% 17	110	1.84
Educational learning boards (ABC, 123, scavenger hunt)	44.54% 53	36.13% 43	19.33% 23	119	1.75

Q9 Please identify any features you would NOT like to see in the playground improvements and why?

Answered: 67 Skipped: 56

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Do NOT spend >\$1M on only a Children's only playground when they have many other options & there are very few (probably ~ 500 max) children "eligible". How many used it in the past? Where were they from? What do we (the residents) really want in recreation & socializing in HPP - IT ois NOT a \$1M+ playground for a very few kids	1/31/2024 2:59 PM
2	The current ground using wood chips can harm the kids, would prefer pv ground	1/30/2024 3:42 PM
3	None	1/28/2024 5:09 PM
4	N/a	1/28/2024 1:15 PM
5	Older kids equipment in close proximity to little kids I never see kids playing the games like tick-tack-toe or other things like that.	1/28/2024 12:18 PM
6	Wooden features that splinter	1/28/2024 11:30 AM
7	The bath rooms are seriously in need of being renovated they are gross and disgusting.	1/27/2024 4:10 PM
8	Most any new play structure would be great	1/26/2024 5:37 PM
9	Rocks and/or boulders or similar hard surfaces to fall from and on. Climbing netting to fall through or get stuck in.	1/21/2024 1:20 PM
10	N/A	1/21/2024 10:36 AM
11	Water park.	1/20/2024 3:03 PM
12	none	1/20/2024 12:36 AM
13	Access points where kids can run off without being noticed	1/14/2024 1:40 PM
14	Features that require maintenance that can not/will not be provided	1/13/2024 7:39 PM
15	Sand box, since the sand will get everywhere and it can get dirty quickly.	1/12/2024 5:22 PM
16	Anything you can't do alone. If it requires more than one person, it's not as flexible. Kids feel too lonely if they always need another person for a play structure feature to function optimally.	1/12/2024 4:43 PM
17	Houses or close spaces	1/12/2024 11:34 AM
18	Need to keep areas for younger children and older children separate	1/12/2024 11:16 AM
19	Don't need a huge play structure that would take away area from the exiting field	1/12/2024 10:56 AM
20	None	1/11/2024 10:35 PM
21	N/A	1/11/2024 11:13 AM
22	n/a	1/10/2024 3:53 PM
23	Anything that get too hot in the sun ie metal.	1/10/2024 12:49 PM
24	skate board track - takes too much room	1/9/2024 8:12 PM
25	The limited scope of focus on just young children feels exclusive and disproportionate to the actual number of resident children. Are the numbers of resident and non-resident families who use the park known and being taken into account?	1/9/2024 12:54 PM
26	Sandbox	1/7/2024 12:51 PM
27	Where are the options for fitness, balance, etc, for Seniors? Why are there no questions as to:	1/7/2024 9:24 AM

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- What is the goal for HPP's recreation facilities? a) Kid only b) Seniors c) Well controlled Dog Park d) Other Rec facilities beyond Tennis (Add Pickleball, etc.) f) All inclusive facilities What the budget should be? No mention of \$1.2 Million is made

28	I don't want the picnic tables to be removed for the toddlers. Please don't take the sand box away	1/6/2024 11:47 AM
29	N/A	1/6/2024 11:33 AM
30	Slides that are too tall and vertical that only much bigger kids can use them.	1/5/2024 11:37 AM
31	N/a	1/4/2024 1:58 PM
32	We want to keep the field the same size. We want to keep the playground area the same size or larger.	1/2/2024 11:45 AM
33	Nothing	1/2/2024 10:00 AM
34	Turf- old rubber not great for kids	1/1/2024 4:17 PM
35	Basketball/other hard top sports. No thanks	12/31/2023 4:06 PM
36	Not sure	12/30/2023 5:21 PM
37	No Sharp metal surfaces	12/27/2023 2:43 PM
38	None	12/23/2023 11:14 AM
39	something that feels like someone designed it based on an intellectual attitude, rather than fun for the children	12/22/2023 4:24 PM
40	Very large structures for older kids means younger kids get upset bc they cannot climb. Also, anything too "modern" looking that would date the structure in 5 - 10 yrs.	12/22/2023 11:44 AM
41	None	12/22/2023 9:04 AM
42	Anything risky	12/22/2023 8:42 AM
43	See saws and spinners are dangerous. Rock walls can also be dangerous. I would not put them in the new playground. My own son (now age 31) had 5 stitches in his head from a see saw when his brother jumped off and it hit him. I do like the separation of the playgrounds for the larger and smaller children. I would not have them together. I would also have more separation of the swings from other equipment. The larger children tend to swing quite high. Personally, I think the small tots playground is great as is -- the only exception being that there are no swings for the smaller kids and the sand area and pavement are uneven. My granddaughter has fallen several times from the pavement to the sand. Perhaps a separate sandbox area is the answer rather than a huge sand area in the middle.	12/19/2023 4:50 AM
44	N/A	12/18/2023 12:32 PM
45	NA	12/17/2023 9:51 PM
46	keep them small	12/17/2023 9:12 AM
47	No stationary playhouse, takes up too much space and not used by many kiddos.	12/16/2023 5:01 PM
48	Would like swings closer to the ground. Would like to keep shade. Would like to keep structures that encourage pretend play, eg train, would like to keep sandbox	12/16/2023 12:06 PM
49	Anything that has sharp edges, unsafe platforms without fencing, unsafe structures, materials used that quickly deteriorate like straps on accessible swing, materials that could get hot in the sun.	12/15/2023 8:44 PM
50	Little children do not know how to distinguish between age appropriate equipment and equipment that is too advanced for them. Distinct areas is still a good idea.	12/15/2023 8:33 PM
51	Any materials that get dangerously hot in the sun / in summertime	12/15/2023 1:05 PM
52	Trampoline	12/14/2023 3:49 PM
53	N/A	12/14/2023 2:18 PM
54	We love tunnel tops playground up in San Francisco for its heavy natural feel and construction.	12/14/2023 1:40 PM

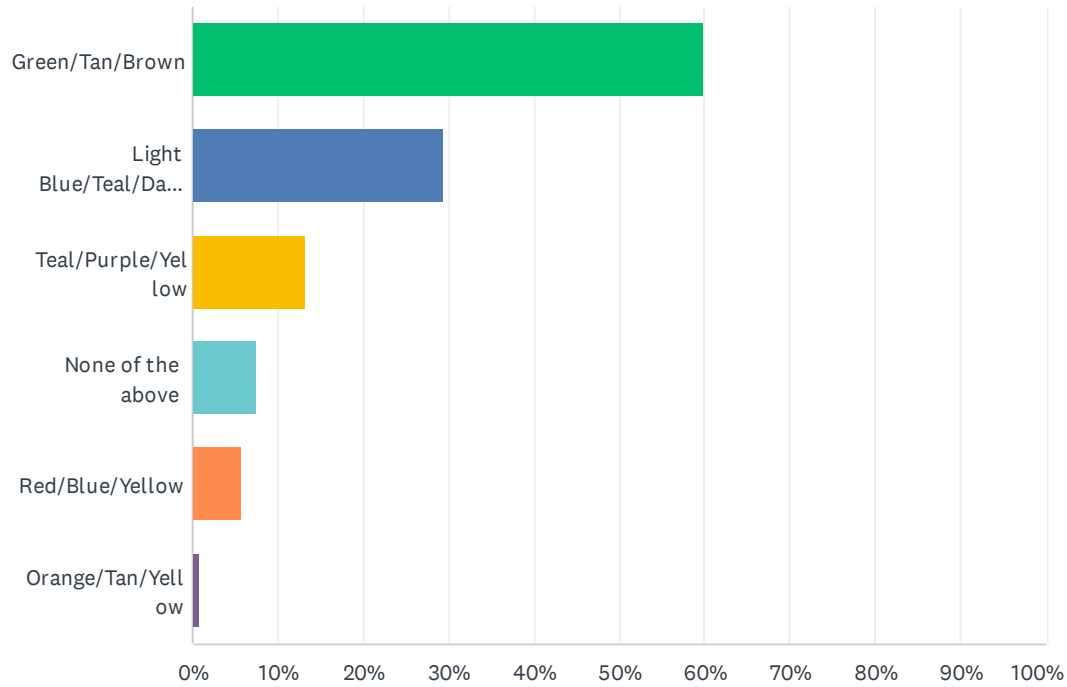
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Please limit plastic elements - look at Nealon Park in Menlo - within a couple years since they opened the artificial turf is falling apart everywhere. Please design as durably as possible - the current park has lasted ages! Magical bridge a great example of what not to do as a lot of their elements degrade quickly.

55	Tired of plastic stuff, especially floor, that looks worn down after a couple years. I love that our structure now is wood.	12/14/2023 12:59 PM
56	If you open the area one big park I won't come because I want something engaged, picnic table, chairs	12/14/2023 12:53 PM
57	More tan bark, prefer padded grounding like at magical playground Redwood City	12/14/2023 7:56 AM
58	N/a	12/13/2023 11:38 PM
59	Structures that make it hard for a parent/observer to get to the other side easily - need to be able to duck under from one side to the other to spot a child, not run all the way around	12/13/2023 2:37 PM
60	NO TAN BARK	12/13/2023 2:25 PM
61	Too much stimulation (busy). A park should be calm and invite children to be creative surrounded by nature.	12/13/2023 12:57 PM
62	Platforms that are too high with fall risk for young children	12/13/2023 12:51 PM
63	No abstract/ geometric shape style -doesn't fit the park or town of atherton	12/13/2023 12:02 PM
64	Sandpits - they tend to be dirty, worried about animal waste being in there.	12/13/2023 11:39 AM
65	n/a	12/13/2023 10:57 AM
66	Wood chips and sand. They get dirty and make the place look very messy	12/13/2023 9:55 AM
67	Wood chips - they hurt getting in shoes and when kids fall on them. Spinning apparatus - many kids can't stop them on their own and get sick.	12/13/2023 9:00 AM

Q10 If you had a choice in playground colors, what combination of three colors would you prefer?

Answered: 122 Skipped: 1



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Green/Tan/Brown	59.84%	73
Light Blue/Teal/Dark Blue	29.51%	36
Teal/Purple/Yellow	13.11%	16
None of the above	7.38%	9
Red/Blue/Yellow	5.74%	7
Orange/Tan/Yellow	0.82%	1
Total Respondents: 122		

Q11 Is there anything else about the playground at Holbrook-Palmer Park that you feel would help us in designing the new playground? (Please use the space below to share your feedback)

Answered: 87 Skipped: 36

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Again - DO NOT design a new playground! Expand the question to be what recreation facilities should be at HPP. The new Town Center has moved some activity away from HPP & it is time to "re-envision" what HPP should provide for all residents	1/31/2024 2:59 PM
2	Design for all ages, Nealon park is a good reference	1/30/2024 3:42 PM
3	Na	1/28/2024 5:09 PM
4	N/a	1/28/2024 1:15 PM
5	Please put swings further away from equipment Play structure in Washington Park in Burlingame is great Need more shade. It's currently way too exposed If splash pad is an option, that would be fun No more wood chips. It's horrible for the little ones. Tire floors or something with some cushion are best.	1/28/2024 12:18 PM
6	The bathrooms are very much of a health hazard and should be reported to the San Mateo county health department.	1/27/2024 4:10 PM
7	I like the idea of using natural materials, like the new Tunnel Tops Park at the Presidio in S.F.	1/26/2024 5:37 PM
8	N/A	1/21/2024 10:36 AM
9	no	1/20/2024 12:36 AM
10	Shady/covered play area for kids would be greatly appreciated.	1/15/2024 7:14 PM
11	Adult exercise area nearby so parents can exercise near their kids	1/14/2024 1:40 PM
12	Relocate under oaks, use natural materials, the old wooden structure was nicer than the current roped-off plastic stuff	1/13/2024 7:39 PM
13	It would be nice to have a design that's similar to Nealon Park, in terms of having play structures for big and small kids, having the variety, and design/colors that blend in with nature (green/brown).	1/12/2024 5:22 PM
14	Nothing plastic! There are many new products on the market.	1/12/2024 4:43 PM
15	Have a security or cameras	1/12/2024 11:34 AM
16	I love the musical equipment at the Bridges park in Redwood City. The also like the rocking boat and the shared swings.	1/12/2024 11:16 AM
17	Have you been to magical bridges playground — very innovative and fun	1/12/2024 10:59 AM
18	This playground was the best for toddlers. The giant sand box was a big plus. I don't think money should be spent in redoing what is already in place....maybe update and bring back the seesaw. There are great playgrounds for the older kids in Menlo Park but having a quiet smaller space just for toddlers without the big kids in the quiet surrounding of Holbrook-Palmer park was a big plus and it should continue	1/12/2024 10:56 AM
19	Revamp the sandy walkways. They get very muddy in wet weather	1/12/2024 8:59 AM
20	More Bike Parking space	1/11/2024 10:35 PM
21	Biking trails, pump track	1/11/2024 9:16 PM
22	It would be great to have a little toddler or baby area	1/11/2024 11:13 AM

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23	Connection with other users of the park	1/10/2024 3:53 PM
24	Maybe workout stations with machines for adults.	1/9/2024 8:12 PM
25	It appears a decision has been made to spend the \$1.2m for a children's only playground, without prior input from residents about possible additional uses. This project could and should be undertaken with much wider community participation in helping to develop the vision and ensure an inclusive and representative approach is used.	1/9/2024 12:54 PM
26	Future stability is a plus. When the playground was out of commission for a year due to rotted wood, our children were disappointed. Metal and more durable materials would be preferable	1/8/2024 12:31 PM
27	Seating for parents and caregivers in shade by wind sails or natural trees is needed. Shade for toddlers as well. For the littlest kids enclosed areas are needed so parents and caregivers can rest easy knowing the kids can't easily wander off. Clean bathrooms are needed and access to a water supply for drinking.	1/8/2024 7:34 AM
28	We really enjoy the play structures at Nealon Park, as an example. That could be helpful inspiration	1/7/2024 12:51 PM
29	After discussing with other parents, I think a gated area for toddler-aged children is really important for safety reasons. Accessibility is also something to consider. Other than that, a few water features might be nice for the hot summers!	1/7/2024 12:04 PM
30	Again, STOP before you spend >\$1.2 Million Atherton taxpayer \$\$\$ on building a new, upscale Playground for Kid's Only. - What are the desires of the Atherton residents & how will we ensure that the facilities are used primarily for Atherton residents? - Atherton has less than 700 "kids", but over 1,700 Seniors over 65 years old, well over 1,500 homes with dogs & many, many residents interested in pickle-ball. - Before spending > \$1.2M on the perceived needs of less than 700 kids (all of which have Playgrounds at their schools that are available 24/7, many other local large playgrounds & some have their own playgrounds at home), determine the real role of HPP.	1/7/2024 9:24 AM
31	Little house would be great	1/6/2024 11:47 AM
32	N/A	1/6/2024 11:33 AM
33	We love the tot area and hope that stays part of the design! It just needs some shade; its way too hot to play there in the summer with zero shade.	1/5/2024 11:37 AM
34	I think HP has a very natural aesthetic and a wood playground Blends in very nicely, along with adding natural elements / design ideas from parks such as the tunnel tops Park near the presidio, and a water feature that the kids can pump/pour water from.	1/4/2024 1:58 PM
35	A water splash pad could be fun or a water feature like a river to play with toy boats and things.	1/2/2024 11:45 AM
36	Shade would be lovely, it's also really nice to have separate little kid and bigger kid playgrounds.	1/2/2024 10:40 AM
37	Nothing	1/2/2024 10:00 AM
38	A small creek or water play perhaps.	1/1/2024 4:56 PM
39	None	12/31/2023 4:06 PM
40	Please don't take away the sand pit! It's such a satisfying sensory experience for the kids.	12/31/2023 1:54 PM
41	Compost receptacles, making sure the structures are shaded where possible	12/31/2023 12:11 PM
42	Please make sure that children of all ages can enjoy the park. There are not enough parks for children under two. Most play areas are too boring for adventurous toddlers.	12/30/2023 8:24 PM
43	Shaded sandbox for summer time	12/30/2023 5:21 PM
44	Sitting areas near the playground	12/28/2023 1:51 PM
45	A lot of babies 0-1 come to the park. It would be nice to see areas for them	12/27/2023 2:43 PM
46	Open ended play for variety of age groups. Magical bridge playgrounds are great b/c they appeal to such a wide age range. Some elementary age fun things would be great. The young kids area needs shade and natural shade (trees) would be amazing. There were great ones but	12/27/2023 8:21 AM

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when they died were replaced with tiny ones that won't make shade for decades. The newer play structure caps out at age 4 as far as interest. This is exciting. Good luck!

47	Better shade and better bathrooms for the children. The sand area is a game changer for a little kids. Please make sure you keep that when you do the renovation.	12/26/2023 4:42 PM
48	A fenced dog park and a splash zone area for the kids. A zip line area. A place tweens/teens.	12/23/2023 2:20 PM
49	No	12/23/2023 11:14 AM
50	make it varied, make the swings a key element for multiple ages, pick the best of what others have done	12/22/2023 4:24 PM
51	Padded running areas are always welcome- cleaner, and prevents injuries.	12/22/2023 11:44 AM
52	I like a fenced in area, where kids can be allowed more independence while contained. The best parks nearby to mimic would be Nealon park and the Magical bridge, but I like the eating areas near Holbrook Palmer better than those.	12/22/2023 9:12 AM
53	Use the Magical Bridge Playground as an example. It's fabulous	12/22/2023 9:04 AM
54	No	12/22/2023 8:42 AM
55	The children seem to love the two little houses in the smaller tots area. I'd keep them. I'd like to see more seating for adults. Some metallic umbrellas in the play area would be nice for shade. It would also be nice to have some wall items that children can push, turn or make music from (chimes) --- again in the smaller tots area. Since my granddaughter is only two, the smaller tots area has been my focus. Thank you.	12/19/2023 4:50 AM
56	the exercise equipment idea is very interesting and would be a great addition, but traditional play structures are needed as well	12/18/2023 9:53 AM
57	We would love something more magical bridge style.	12/17/2023 9:51 PM
58	keep it simple	12/17/2023 9:12 AM
59	Favorite parks/ playgrounds in the area include Magical Bridge and Nelson Park. They have great swings, slides, music features, spinners, and lots of space for kiddos. Please pull inspiration from these! I'm so excited for this project and happy we are redoing the park!	12/16/2023 5:01 PM
60	We like soft ground over tan bark, we like that there is an inclusive swing and would be nice to consider more inclusive play options. We like water play and music	12/16/2023 12:06 PM
61	Have a 2 person/group swing	12/16/2023 10:44 AM
62	PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE - whatever gets done, get it done QUICKLY. The playground was out of commission for a VERY long time for repairs, and that was just wrong. Make sure that before demo happens, all items are on hand and ready to install with crew that can do it. Don't make the kids wait as they have already had to do. Get it done.	12/16/2023 10:29 AM
63	My child loves tall slides. Please make sure both the playground and the benches have overhead shade structures or trees. It can get very hot during the summer.	12/16/2023 8:45 AM
64	Different play structure for different ages. Lyle Park in Menlo Park is an example of great park for all ages.	12/16/2023 8:19 AM
65	Soft surface like rwc parks. Sloped area to climb like magical bridge slide area. Picnic area in shade. Cut some of the bushes down near fence by the RR tracks so kids can see the trains go by. Working and clean water faucet and bathrooms!!!	12/15/2023 8:44 PM
66	Be creative. Check out the parks in Redwood City. They have some very imaginative play areas with swaying boats and musical percussion floors and other equipment that plays specific musical notes. Hopscotch is not to be overlooked.	12/15/2023 8:33 PM
67	I love the themed Yosemite park at Nealon Park in Menlo Park. It focuses on learning and curiosity, as well as active play	12/15/2023 2:26 PM
68	Thank you for considering!	12/15/2023 1:05 PM
69	Please keep the sand, and put effective shade over, a water feature for our town would be huge! Like a play water pad. Better than anything, sand and a water pad	12/15/2023 10:04 AM

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70	Grass is really nice. Please keep the "fields"	12/14/2023 3:49 PM
71	Again, I don't want to come across as some crazy hippy but I have three young children and we live steps away from the park. We will use this all the time. Please don't fall for the magical bridge fad with heavy plastic influence and poor long term planning. Natural stone and wood are much more resistant to wear.	12/14/2023 1:40 PM
72	Please, I beg, make it a nature playground. Not nature "inspired" with plastic "wood" and "rocks" but actual nature. Something like the new tunnel top park in the Presidio. Or Holland Park playground in London. Natural materials, plants.	12/14/2023 12:59 PM
73	Sensory, special needs	12/14/2023 12:53 PM
74	Really like Nealon Park, magical playground Redwood City and the Palo Alto park by the Palo Alto junior museum	12/14/2023 7:56 AM
75	I think the gate on the south east corner of the park should be unlocked. Just my opinion.	12/13/2023 11:56 PM
76	Add a nearby dog park Make sure gated so kids can't escape Picnic tables within the area so kids can use for birthday parties similar to Nealon park	12/13/2023 6:30 PM
77	We miss having use of the full playground - so making progress quickly would be great!	12/13/2023 2:58 PM
78	If we are redesigning the playground including bathrooms, we should consider toddler potties. Also kids are scared of automatic toilets, so they should have manual flushing. And, many local playgrounds incorporate quiet pods for kids with sensory issues. Magical Bridge Foundation has designed many inclusive playgrounds in the area.	12/13/2023 2:25 PM
79	Would really love to see that the sand box area remains a space where children can play with sandbox. It's a nice calm area and the sensory of sands helps children has calm, restorative, creative play.	12/13/2023 12:57 PM
80	We love that there's a toddler option and a "bigger kid" option for play	12/13/2023 12:51 PM
81	Full fenced with two separate areas inside - so that the toddler area is within the same fence as the older area - like Nealon playground, that one is amazing!! We also love the Magical Bridge playgrounds.	12/13/2023 12:45 PM
82	This play ground has been a nice place to hang out after school, an upgrade makes it great. Thanks in advance!	12/13/2023 12:23 PM
83	No crazy colors-nature themed looks best with the trees in the park.	12/13/2023 12:02 PM
84	Thank you for the upgrade! We come here all the time and I hope to continue bringing my kids for a long time. Shaded picnic tables, cleaner bathrooms, more swings, and more appealing big-kid structures will make a big difference.	12/13/2023 11:52 AM
85	An updated and upgraded playground at HBB would be great - thank you so much for making it happen!	12/13/2023 11:39 AM
86	Including a zip line would be super fun for the kids. Thank you for doing this renovation! It's much needed and will be a great use of the space for the community to gather!	12/13/2023 9:55 AM
87	Updated clean bathrooms - the ones next to the playground are disgusting, smelly, and locked half the time.	12/13/2023 9:00 AM