

Canby Area Park and Recreation Survey

Q25 Is there anything else you would like to tell us about your park and recreation needs?

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#	Responses	Date
1	Please see about putting YURTS in the Fairgrounds, They would help put people up.....only one motel in Canby and Molalla!!!!!!!!!!!!...The Yurts are made just south of Eugene	8/5/2016 2:56 PM
2	Allow the program to accept advertising dollars on website or flyers, etc... This a great way to fund the program and keep costs down. Have more spaces for instructors to hold classes that system keep prevent age if. Recreation facility should have space for vendors and restraints as well. The rental of small shops or restruante areas will help pay for facility. Blend what we know of private business with public to make a cost effective program beneficial for Canby businesses and community wellness/lifestyle	6/29/2016 8:06 PM
3	As the Coordinator of Canby Community Education, I know there have been times in the past that our programs worked together~particularly during the summer months. I would very much be interested in partnering again with the City and its vision with the Parks and Rec. I never understood why each organization in our community works independently from one another instead of together to bring a comprehensive program for the Canby community. Please feel free to contact me!	5/18/2016 3:39 PM
4	This community is lacking in quality recreational facilities. Population is increasing and options for recreational activities for young people especially preschoolers is almost non-existent	5/15/2016 8:33 PM
5	community work parties to clean out IVY or invasives in parks like Eco Park - if done 2x /year would get ahead of problem...	5/15/2016 11:34 AM
6	Eco Park seriously needs attention now. Ivy is taking over and will kill more trees.	5/14/2016 11:30 PM
7	I enjoy parks when I'm running errands just because they are open green spaces & are relaxing to look at.	5/14/2016 4:57 PM
8	drugs after school. Closing the park at 10 pm with gate.	5/6/2016 5:42 AM
9	Canby needs a park area (Legacy Park) for disabled children. A combination swing (wheelchair platform) plus a swing with high back support, a Wheel thru Arcade (a hand over hand pull thru structure) and a large play structure completely wheelchair accessible can be purchased for under 40K. We have absolutely nothing for the disabled.	5/5/2016 4:45 PM
10	Trail along river would be lovely.	5/5/2016 1:38 PM
11	Just that I am tired of dogs and dog owners trumping other people. Few leash their dogs on the walking trail near the river. I have had several recent close calls with people letting their dogs run free. Most do not pick up their dogs litter and those that do often just leave the bag of crap along side the trail!	5/4/2016 3:38 PM
12	I am very frustrated at the lack of dog friendly parks. How are you supposed to throw a ball for a dog that is required to be on a leash?! We have one off leash area, really???	5/4/2016 6:22 AM
13	I love the logging road trail and specifically the Eco Park section with the disc golf and trail down to loop at the river. Great place to walk and run. I get a sense of community when I'm out there.	5/3/2016 10:59 AM
14	Those that want it should pay for it.	5/2/2016 7:57 AM
15	I think we have a great community but I feel like I never know what is going on. We went to the Wilsonville library and picked up a program that covered all their kids camp, library activities, movies in the park, and family activities months ahead of time. I feel like I never even know what is going on in Canby unless I hear it from someone else, or I find out after. So many activities we do in Wilsonville that I just found out yesterday that Canby offers too! Please please please find a way to get the information out about what is going on so its easier to partake!	4/27/2016 8:02 PM
16	It is certainly used by those who do not pay taxes but on the other hand gives them a good place to go.	4/27/2016 12:03 PM
17	Would love a rec center!!!!	4/21/2016 10:05 PM
18	An outdoor water park like O.C. has, would be cool. Also think they should turn the drinking fountains on in the Spring, when it gets hot.	4/21/2016 6:34 PM

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19	Provide a dock or overlook at the end of the logging road trail. Explore continuing the logging road trail to connect to Molalla. This effort failed a number of years ago, but is worth looking at it again - this could be a big draw to Canby and Mollala areas from other communities for hiking, biking, fishing and wildlife viewiing. Always keep in mind the aesthetic and economic benefits of connectivity - it benefits our community and others we connect to. Also check with ODOT and State Parks for some types of funding.	4/20/2016 3:35 PM
20	I would like to see the Art Park developed. When I was in middle school, I worked with the Canby Livability Coalition because they supported my non-profit for youth called Helping Hands. We raised money and supported small businesses in order to get donations to make that park happen. Now that I have returned from college, it still sits as it did before as an open patch of grass. That 'Art Park' is situated in a spot that would add fantastic aesthetic value to the area. Runners/bikers/walkers go by that area when going on a 'Dahlia route' as my family calls it. It's also on the way to Molalla River State Park and the ferry. It is a shame that it still remains a blank canvas. I would be willing to help make it happen in any way I can, whether that be finding donations/support from local businesses and/or physical labor.	4/19/2016 11:39 AM
21	Regency Park is consistently overcrowded throughout the day. We need another neighborhood park on the east side of highway 99 in Canby. New construction of family sized houses in Dinsmore Estates will only continue to add to the overcrowding issues at Regency Park.	4/17/2016 9:47 PM
22	North Eco has a lot of pot smokers and beer drinkers. They leave trash all over the place. If the locals don't clean it up it gets really bad quickly. Let's take care of what we have before we add more to it. Canby really has some nice parks and recreation going for it	4/17/2016 9:22 PM
23	Want to make it accessible for everyone. Get more teens involved doing something. I think if we had better facilities for example baseball it would bring in more players hence more kids involved with something. Kids and young adults need things to do. Right now we have wiffle ball with neighbor kids on our loop as park fields are usually taken so no place to do it.	4/17/2016 9:38 AM
24	Outdoor pool.	4/17/2016 9:24 AM
25	Canby needs a place for kids to cool off outside. It doesn't need to be a pool. Spray structures/splash pads, etc. Wilsonville is a great example.	4/17/2016 8:38 AM
26	I live in Auburn Farms. This neighborhood has a ton of kids. The land across the street has been donated by the farmer for a park. We have the land please work with us and get a functioning area for these kids.	4/17/2016 8:26 AM
27	Prioritize...then maintain and ensure safe environment	4/17/2016 7:39 AM
28	A outdoor water feature would be of great benefit so that children would play outside when it's hot ...on a very hot day no one is at the parks.	4/16/2016 9:48 PM
29	outdoor water park for kids	4/16/2016 11:08 AM
30	Lincoln City has a fantastic Rec center that we use often when at the coast. We would use a center like this often if Canby had one.	4/16/2016 10:49 AM
31	More mobility for disable	4/16/2016 10:45 AM
32	Expand the logging trail or develop a trail to walk along the river.	4/16/2016 8:40 AM
33	A rec center is a must!!!!	4/16/2016 8:37 AM
34	more consideration for the over 70 age group	4/16/2016 8:35 AM
35	I think we do a very well job already with our parks. I think I would just add a splash pad to one of the parks.	4/16/2016 6:55 AM
36	If I could pick one thing Canby needs, it is a place for teens and kids to go to, like the community recreation center.	4/16/2016 1:13 AM
37	We need a Pavillion in Locust park and expanded	4/15/2016 11:00 PM
38	You do a great job with limited resources. I'd love to see a neighborhood indoor exercise center, or more unpaved running / walking trails. The Locust St area also needs more parks because of density.	4/15/2016 8:15 PM
39	We need a community rec center, such as Conestoga Rec Center in Beaverton.	4/15/2016 8:08 PM
40	Highly recommend a water feature to play in.	4/15/2016 7:35 PM
41	We need a dog park.	4/15/2016 7:04 PM
42	Get lighted tennis courts and for the safety fix cracks on maple street park	4/15/2016 6:53 PM
43	We love the parks we currently have! If there are opportunities to sustainably expand the options available in Canby we would look forward to utilizing these as well!	4/15/2016 6:51 PM

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44	Get serious about publicity about parks to encourage private fund raising. No more of this "can't talk/publicize about it until Council approves projects because some citizen might shout against it at Council meeting." That's nonsense. Get transparent about exciting opportunities.	4/14/2016 2:18 PM
45	Add mini and neighborhood parks vs larger regional parks,.	4/14/2016 11:49 AM
46	I think that we should put "exercise stations" along the logging trail walking path as people are jogging they can have a variety of work out options. I think an area in a park dedicated to the history of Canby would be neat. A park with a covered play area would be amazing! We need a place to play when it's raining. A small gated-in play space for toddlers would help out families so they don't have to worry about little ones running off while they are playing. This would be great for families with more than one child to watch our group play dates. A lot of people would like a splash pad, but I think a nice looking space with play water falls would be nice.	4/13/2016 5:45 PM
47	city moves too slow on dog park	4/13/2016 12:34 PM
48	I desire more hiking and/or biking trails in or around the outskirts of Canby. Preferably loops, like a few miles or so long. Echo park is great, but it's quite small. Dirt/gravel/bark/paved, I don't have a huge preference. I just need more options to get in nature without having to drive 20+ minutes.	4/12/2016 9:23 PM
49	Greenways connecting all parks with a couple of safe passages over 99E would allow for better access of existing parks for walking/biking.	4/11/2016 6:45 PM
50	Auburn Farms has a huge number of children in the neighborhood and no park available except to cross Territorial. There is a bit of land across from 20th and Lucust that is owned by the homeowners that would make a great playground. The children play in the street which is dangerous. Regardless the traffic on Locust needs to slow down. My grandchildren live in this neighborhood. The kids need a safe place to play.	4/11/2016 2:59 PM
51	A community center would be a tremendous asset to city revenue as well as Canby residents' quality of life.	4/11/2016 10:51 AM
52	Having them available on a reservation system (especially ones that have multiple availability would be great (i.e. Legacy Park, Maple Street...at least the shelters).	4/11/2016 9:55 AM
53	All parks need restrooms that are open at all times. This might be permanent buildings or porta-potties. There are no facilities at many of the mini-parks, and the facilities at some of the parks are not open at all hours.	4/9/2016 6:01 PM
54	I would volunteer at one-time events only due to time constraints. I believe that Canby is a great community but it needs more investment to make it attractive to visitors, developers and people looking to move here. That includes having more parks and green spaces and keeping them well maintained. It would be great to see more parks being developed! This might be unrelated, but we need to beautify HWY 99 so that when you enter Canby, you get a good impression and you want to stop and investors want to invest. We need more greenery on HWY99. We are the Garden Spot, but it doesn't look that way from passerby. Also, an indoor rec center would be great because in the long rainy season, it would be great to have something active indoors to do.	4/9/2016 8:51 AM
55	I would like to have more amenities along the logging trail. (Bathrooms, drinking fountains, garbage cans.) Also, all parks should have dog waste bag dispensers.	4/8/2016 7:59 PM
56	We need an outdoor pool that is free like Oregon City and a splash pad!!	4/7/2016 11:00 PM
57	We need many more parks. I feel like the neighborhoods being built go on forever w/o any breaks for parks or open spaces. A fenced dog park would be wonderful as would extending the logging trail to at least double in length.	4/7/2016 10:35 PM
58	My only reservation about parks in general is the inability to bring my dogs to them for responsible pet walking with proper clean up due to others loose dogs and lack of cleaning up after them.	4/7/2016 10:25 PM
59	We really need an enclosed dog park in Canby, much like the one in Wilsonville. Adequate fencing is the only initial capital outlay required. These facilities require little ongoing maintenance.	4/7/2016 10:12 PM
60	Dog parks	4/7/2016 10:09 PM
61	Really would like a dog park I would be interested in helping volunteer for existing or new parks in a committee or clerical way but not manual labor or financial contributions	4/7/2016 10:05 PM
62	We need a park that is completely fenced in for the safety of our younger children. It would also be nice if some day we could have a splash pad.	4/7/2016 9:11 PM
63	I don't have time to volunteer regularly, (generally speaking) but I would be willing to either participate in a specific volunteer event, or potentially donate money	4/7/2016 8:57 PM
64	The city property on territorial along the river should be converted into a city park with parking with access with a pair on the water for fishing or floating, picnic tables, etc. Property located at the east end of territorial. Be amazing! Maybe even camping spots .	4/7/2016 7:25 PM
65	Water park. Please And this is Canby please plant plants at the parks ... Seriously is sad	4/7/2016 6:39 PM

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66	wheelchair accessibility including structures and paths to structures	4/7/2016 6:24 PM
67	We need a multi use sports facility for our school aged kids & a park with a water feature for families with small children!	4/7/2016 6:20 PM
68	It would be nice to make a more publicly accessible way for people to see, walk along, enjoy the Willamette River. It would also be nice to have a longer biking/walking trail that connects us to other communities.	4/7/2016 5:44 PM
69	We need trash cans and dog bags available on trails along with a safe/fenced place to run our dogs.	4/7/2016 5:30 PM