



LOWER POTTS GROVE PARKS & RECREATION BOARD

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2007 PARK & RECREATION SATISFACTION SURVEY

The Lower Pottsgrove Township Park and Recreation Board would like to thank you in advance for taking time to complete our survey which will help us improve our service to you and your family. We are compiling information about our parks and recreation activities so we can ensure we are providing park and recreation services that meet the needs of our community. Without your input, we will not be able to improve our service to you and other patrons who use our parks and attend our activities. Please take a few moments to tell us how we're doing. After you have completed this survey, you can mail or drop it off to our Township Building, or you can email it to feedback@lowerpottsgrove.org. Extra copies of the survey will be made available on our website, www.lowerpottsgrove.org.

1. Preparer Information Age: _____ Gender: Male Female How long have you lived in Lower Pottsgrove? _____

2. Where do you live? (Street # not necessary) _____
Street Town

3. Number of People in Family (residing at above location):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 0-5 _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 20-25 _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 55-74 _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6-14 _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 26-54 _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 80+ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 15-19 _____ | | |

4. How many events did you attend in 2007? _____ (please check all that apply):

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|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Zydeco-A-Go-Go | <input type="checkbox"/> The Barbone Street Jazz Band | <input type="checkbox"/> Happy Feet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mad Jazzsters | <input type="checkbox"/> Burning Bridget Cleary | <input type="checkbox"/> Akeelah & the Bee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bill Koss Combo | <input type="checkbox"/> In Full Swing | <input type="checkbox"/> Flushed Away |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Mango Men | <input type="checkbox"/> Pottsgrove Community Band | <input type="checkbox"/> Easter Egg Hunt |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fishing Derby | <input type="checkbox"/> Halloween Festival | <input type="checkbox"/> Santa's Hotline |

5. What event did you enjoy the most? _____

6. What event did you least enjoy? _____

7. Do you find the variety of events offered by the Lower Pottsgrove Township Parks & Recreation Board appropriate?

- Yes No If no, please explain: _____

8. Is the number of events offered throughout the year by the Lower Pottsgrove Township Parks & Recreation Board appropriate?

- Yes No If no, please explain: _____

9. How do you learn about Lower Pottsgrove Township Park & Recreation events and facilities (please check all that apply)?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Flyer in the Mail | <input type="checkbox"/> Flyer from my child's school | <input type="checkbox"/> Flyer from my church/community group |
| <input type="checkbox"/> On Trash/Sewer/Tax Bill | <input type="checkbox"/> Pottstown Mercury | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Connection |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Banner on High Street | <input type="checkbox"/> www.lowerpottsgrove.org | <input type="checkbox"/> Word of Mouth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Marquee at Gerald Richards Park | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | | |

10. What genre of music would you like to see at the concerts (please check all that apply):

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|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Big Band | <input type="checkbox"/> Celtic | <input type="checkbox"/> Country | <input type="checkbox"/> Classical |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jazz | <input type="checkbox"/> Pop | <input type="checkbox"/> Rock & Roll | <input type="checkbox"/> Swing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Zydeco | <input type="checkbox"/> Folk Music | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | |

11. Do you have any suggestions for bands? _____

12. What type of movies would you like to see (please check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Animated | <input type="checkbox"/> Children/Family | <input type="checkbox"/> Classics | <input type="checkbox"/> Comedy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Action/Adventure | <input type="checkbox"/> Horror | <input type="checkbox"/> Science Fiction | <input type="checkbox"/> Fantasy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Romance | <input type="checkbox"/> Thriller | <input type="checkbox"/> Musicals | <input type="checkbox"/> Documentary |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | |

13. Do you have any suggestions for movies? _____

14. Are there any other types of events you would like to see the Township offer? Yes No If yes, please explain:

15. Do you find the days and times for each of the events appropriate?

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| A. Friday Night Movies (9 p.m. at dark) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Suggestion: _____ |
| B. Sunday Evening Concerts (7:30 p.m.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Suggestion: _____ |
| C. Easter Egg Hunt (Saturday 10 a.m.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Suggestion: _____ |
| D. Fish Rodeo (Saturday 7 a.m.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Suggestion: _____ |
| E. Halloween Festival (Sunday 1 p.m.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Suggestion: _____ |
| F. Santa's Hotline | | | |
| • Parent Calls (weekdays 2-4) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Suggestion: _____ |
| • Santa's Calls (weeknights 5-7) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Suggestion: _____ |

16. Are you aware that Lower Pottsgrove Township has approximately 190 acres of recreation facilities and preserved open space, which includes several miles of trails, eight ball fields, two basketball courts, a playground area, two picnic areas, a gazebo, and two lakes?
 Yes No

17. Do you use these facilities (please check all that apply)?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Alfred B. Miles Park
<i>Sunnybrook Road</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Crimson Lane Park
<i>Crimson Lane</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Snell & Norton Park
<i>entrances on Snell Rd & Shire Dr.</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Keim Street Park
<i>Keim Street</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Ringing Rocks Park
<i>North Keim Street</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Sanatoga Park
<i>entrances on South Park Rd & 100 Sanatoga Rd</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Schuylkill River Park
<i>Porter Road</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Gerald Richards Park
<i>Buchert Road</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Sprogels Run Open Space
<i>entrances on Timber Lane & Doe Run Lane</i> |

18. What Facility do you primarily use? _____

19. What types of activities do you use these parks for (please check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Walking/Jogging | <input type="checkbox"/> Fishing | <input type="checkbox"/> Skateboarding | <input type="checkbox"/> Rollerblading |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biking | <input type="checkbox"/> Boating | <input type="checkbox"/> Soccer | <input type="checkbox"/> Baseball/Softball/T-Ball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bird Watching | <input type="checkbox"/> Picnicking | <input type="checkbox"/> Concerts | <input type="checkbox"/> Movies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Township Events | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | | |

20. How often do you use Township facilities?

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|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Daily | <input type="checkbox"/> 4-5 Times a Week | <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 Times a Week |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly | <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 Times a Month | <input type="checkbox"/> 8-12 Times a Year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3-8 Times a Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Once or Twice a Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Less than Once or Twice a Year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Never | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | |

21. How would you like to see Lower Pottsgrove Township Parks & Recreation facilities and programs improve?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> They're just fine, thanks | <input type="checkbox"/> More trails for walking/jogging/biking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis Courts | <input type="checkbox"/> More Basketball Courts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> More Baseball, Softball/T-Ball Fields | <input type="checkbox"/> More Multipurpose Fields (soccer, football, lacrosse) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Roller Hockey Courts | <input type="checkbox"/> Skateboarding Facilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> More Play Structures | <input type="checkbox"/> Picnicking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Concerts | <input type="checkbox"/> Movies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Township Events | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

22. Are there any improvements the Township could make to any one of or all of its facilities to improve their quality (you may attach additional sheets if necessary)? Yes No Suggestion:

23. Please provide us with any comments you would like to add to help us improve Lower Pottsgrove Township's Park & Recreation facilities and activities (you may attach additional sheets if necessary).

Thank you for completing this survey. At your convenience, please return this survey in any of the following methods:

We will be accepting surveys until November 15, 2007

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