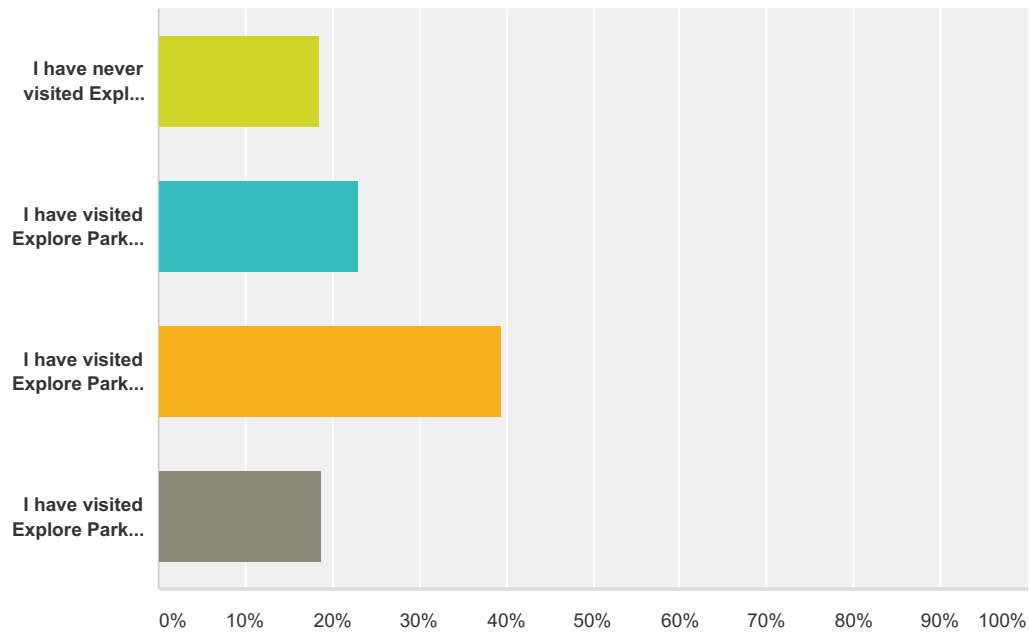


### Q1 How often have you visited Explore Park?

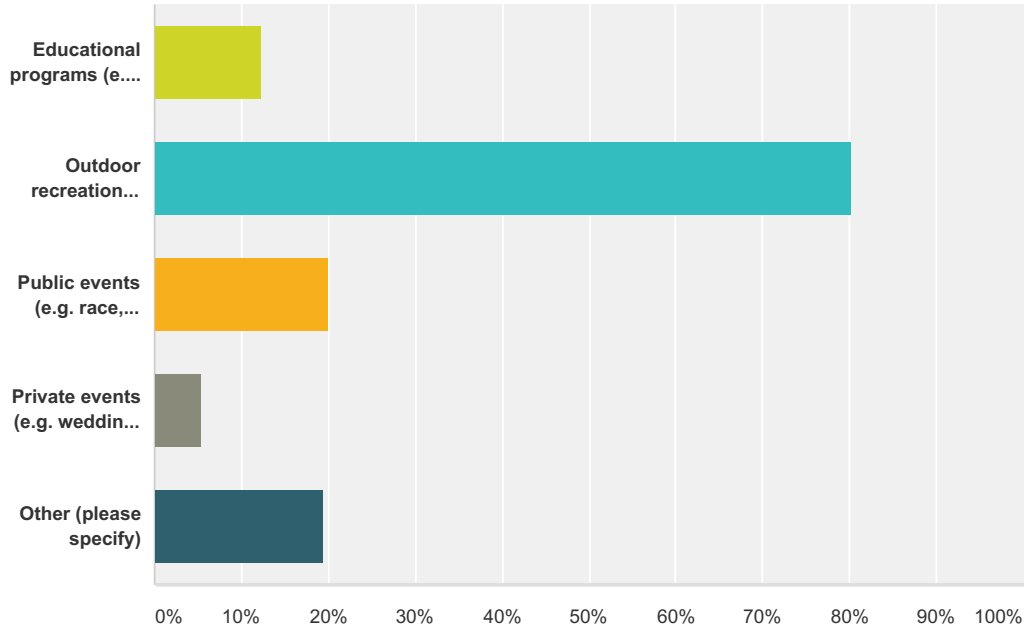
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Answer Choices	Responses
I have never visited Explore Park	18.62% 210
I have visited Explore Park in the past, but not within the past three years	23.05% 260
I have visited Explore Park occasionally within the past three years	39.45% 445
I have visited Explore Park frequently within the past three years	18.88% 213
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,128</b>

**Q2 If you have visited Explore Park within the last three years, what was the purpose of your visit? (please check all that apply) If you have not visited within the past three years, leave this question blank.**

Answered: 750 Skipped: 386



Answer Choices	Responses
Educational programs (e.g. heritage, camps, nature programs)	12.40% 93
Outdoor recreation (e.g. hiking, biking, walking, boating, fishing)	80.27% 602
Public events (e.g. race, equestrian event, etc.)	20.13% 151
Private events (e.g. wedding, rental, etc.)	5.33% 40
Other (please specify)	19.47% 146
<b>Total Respondents: 750</b>	

#	Other (please specify)	Date
1	service (removal of invasive species)	10/30/2015 8:45 AM
2	Restaurant	10/28/2015 10:52 PM
3	Meetings	10/28/2015 5:08 PM
4	Employee at Explore Park	10/28/2015 4:35 PM
5	orientations	10/28/2015 2:38 PM
6	volunteer trail maintenance (Park Partner progra	10/28/2015 1:01 PM
7	Craft .. Artisan events and just to relax	10/28/2015 11:03 AM
8	Trail runs	10/28/2015 10:37 AM

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9	meetings and workshops	10/28/2015 8:41 AM
10	Invasive plant removal	10/28/2015 6:13 AM
11	Just stopping on my drive to wander through the VC.	10/27/2015 12:09 PM
12	have never visited	10/27/2015 10:17 AM
13	Photography	10/27/2015 12:03 AM
14	volunteering	10/26/2015 9:56 AM
15	Community meetings, Leadership Roanoke Valley program	10/26/2015 8:36 AM
16	Worked in the visitor's center part-time and helped with weddings; my husband did a sandsculpture for the re-opening	10/25/2015 7:08 PM
17	None	10/25/2015 5:22 PM
18	festivals	10/25/2015 11:22 AM
19	Taking pictures	10/24/2015 10:17 PM
20	New to the area and have gone to the visitor's center at least 3 times in the past 2 years and taken visiting family there as well.	10/24/2015 11:42 AM
21	Had never been and was curious	10/22/2015 4:39 PM
22	Disc golf course	10/22/2015 2:15 PM
23	attended as chaperone of school field trip	10/22/2015 11:18 AM
24	meeting for VIC	10/22/2015 12:21 AM
25	open house	10/21/2015 8:21 PM
26	clean up along river	10/21/2015 3:04 PM
27	volunteer	10/21/2015 2:57 PM
28	trail work	10/21/2015 2:52 PM
29	gift shp artisan show	10/21/2015 2:48 PM
30	spiritual time with the river to enjoy the beauty of the foliage	10/21/2015 2:40 PM
31	Homeschool field trip	10/20/2015 10:01 PM
32	ACTHA Ride	10/20/2015 8:19 PM
33	work related trip	10/20/2015 4:35 PM
34	I am new to the area and as an educator find the possibilities for it endless	10/20/2015 10:43 AM
35	river cleanup	10/20/2015 10:14 AM
36	Photography	10/20/2015 12:35 AM
37	river clean up through my church	10/19/2015 10:54 PM
38	Dog training	10/19/2015 12:35 PM
39	scoping out the land for future disc golf opportunities.	10/19/2015 10:57 AM
40	out for a drive	10/19/2015 8:59 AM
41	Photography	10/18/2015 9:10 PM
42	bird watching	10/18/2015 7:56 PM
43	I am a woodworker and the gift shop has sold several pieces of my work.	10/18/2015 5:10 PM
44	revisit where I was married! memories!	10/18/2015 2:42 PM
45	I have never visited the Expore Park, because it is nothing there for me	10/18/2015 1:34 PM
46	Visited to see what it had to offer.	10/18/2015 12:56 PM
47	Driving through the area	10/18/2015 11:35 AM
48	Stargazing at the first overlook	10/17/2015 10:18 AM

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49	volunteer	10/16/2015 10:51 AM
50	Pick up trash from fisherman along river	10/16/2015 10:50 AM
51	Jogging, nature walks	10/15/2015 9:00 PM
52	It was the materials pickup location for a Parkway-related volunteer project.	10/15/2015 1:11 PM
53	Family & children	10/14/2015 12:06 PM
54	picnic	10/13/2015 6:29 PM
55	Mountain Junkies races	10/12/2015 2:19 PM
56	artisan event	10/12/2015 11:32 AM
57	craft deop	10/12/2015 11:28 AM
58	placing things for gift shop, working weddings, artisan events	10/12/2015 11:25 AM
59	artisan day - gift shop	10/12/2015 9:36 AM
60	Artisan Saturday participant	10/12/2015 9:32 AM
61	Become a vendor	10/12/2015 9:25 AM
62	County open house	10/11/2015 7:35 PM
63	Haven't	10/10/2015 10:55 AM
64	faculty retreat Hollins University	10/9/2015 2:54 PM
65	Sky Gazing	10/9/2015 11:39 AM
66	i haven't been.	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
67	gdfhdhhdhfdhdfdsdfsaf????????	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
68	i havent been there	10/9/2015 10:13 AM
69	NO	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
70	I haven't been	10/9/2015 9:12 AM
71	i have never been there	10/9/2015 9:12 AM
72	plein air painting but in the past used to mtn bike there	10/8/2015 12:10 PM
73	Trail running, nature walks,	10/7/2015 8:13 PM
74	just to drive by	10/7/2015 8:05 PM
75	Driving around on the Parkway	10/6/2015 11:19 PM
76	I'm a photographer....And the Explore Park is an absolute beautiful place to have a shoot :)tif	10/6/2015 9:29 PM
77	Wedding	10/6/2015 4:47 PM
78	Shooting a video.	10/6/2015 4:11 PM
79	Didn't	10/6/2015 4:07 PM
80	Driving location	10/6/2015 2:16 PM
81	picnic	10/6/2015 10:26 AM
82	i have not been	10/6/2015 10:22 AM
83	Walk dogs on trails, use of river	10/6/2015 2:55 AM
84	Equine event	10/5/2015 10:39 PM
85	Off-site retreat or visioning session for work.	10/5/2015 3:49 PM
86	Did not list any	10/5/2015 2:59 PM
87	see what it was or wasn't	10/5/2015 1:52 PM
88	Would love to have an outside venue for music like Floyd fest	10/5/2015 9:01 AM
89	i have never been	10/5/2015 8:44 AM

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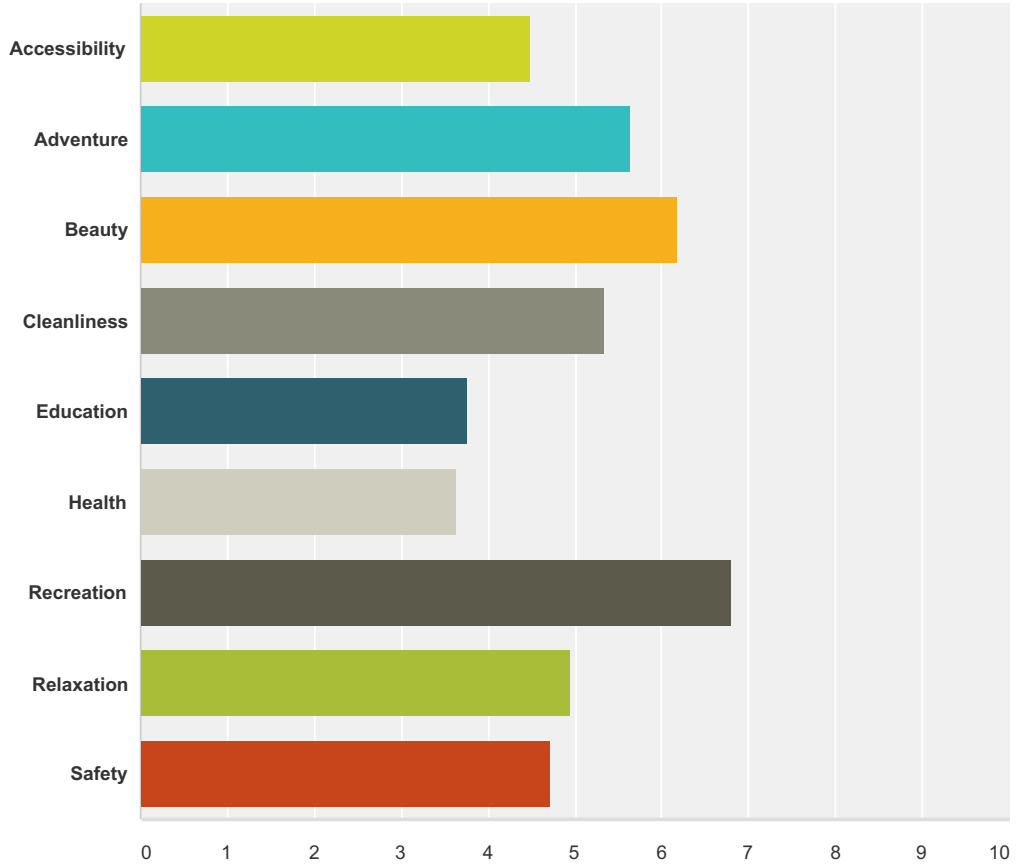
90	Sharing the wonderful history of the area at the Visitor Center with visiting family members.	10/4/2015 8:02 PM
91	Pictures	10/4/2015 5:52 PM
92	Introducing children in the family to the Historical Area.	10/4/2015 3:09 PM
93	To fight a forest fire	10/4/2015 7:39 AM
94	Demonstrate pottery throwing at a craft event	10/4/2015 7:39 AM
95	Invasive removal - Virginia Master Naturalist program	10/4/2015 6:13 AM
96	I have not visited	10/3/2015 8:30 PM
97	Pictures	10/3/2015 4:05 PM
98	Stopped in the vicinity of the Visitor Center to look at and gauge the quality of the sky visible on a clear night.	10/3/2015 12:14 PM
99	fire and ems standby for movie filming	10/3/2015 11:47 AM
100	As a kid I did plenty of educational programs and events there.	10/3/2015 8:27 AM
101	professional dinner meeting	10/2/2015 9:08 PM
102	a walk in the woods and the quite place for a walk	10/2/2015 8:45 PM
103	Photo shoot	10/2/2015 4:05 PM
104	Rode through to check it out	10/2/2015 3:46 PM
105	Taking pictures	10/2/2015 11:49 AM
106	Love the visitor center, exhibition and the film.	10/2/2015 11:40 AM
107	Kayaking the Roanoke River Gorge and hiking the river trail	10/2/2015 10:18 AM
108	cleanup and trail maintenance	10/2/2015 10:13 AM
109	considering for a wedding	10/2/2015 10:11 AM
110	Ghost hunting	10/1/2015 11:45 PM
111	Just rode in the park to see if anything had developed.	10/1/2015 10:32 PM
112	NPS Visitor Center	10/1/2015 10:31 PM
113	Park Partners clean-up, Master Naturalist invasives plant removal	10/1/2015 10:10 PM
114	KAYAK the gorge!	10/1/2015 9:59 PM
115	Photo session	10/1/2015 9:07 PM
116	Friends of the Blue Ridge Parkway events, a public event and a county volunteer event	10/1/2015 8:16 PM
117	Invasive species removal	10/1/2015 7:53 PM
118	meetings	10/1/2015 4:39 PM
119	VAHS Mountain Bike Race	10/1/2015 3:23 PM
120	To check out progress there.	10/1/2015 3:08 PM
121	I was there for a meeting and another time with a group of volunteers removing invasive plants.	10/1/2015 2:46 PM
122	Horseback riding	10/1/2015 2:29 PM
123	Disc Golf	10/1/2015 1:57 PM
124	Volunteer work	10/1/2015 1:06 PM
125	Hosted a 3-day equestrian event at Explore Park	10/1/2015 12:04 PM
126	To assess the land for Disc Golf location opportunities	10/1/2015 11:45 AM
127	MTB program working with Roanoke county	10/1/2015 11:07 AM
128	Horseback Riding - participated in the ACTHA rides	10/1/2015 11:01 AM
129	looking to see if it had reopened	10/1/2015 10:11 AM
130	walking through the (retired) living history villages	10/1/2015 9:36 AM

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131	bringing visitors to see Explore Park and Vis. Center	10/1/2015 9:34 AM
132	just taken a drive on the parkway and check it out	10/1/2015 6:55 AM
133	Just to see what it is. We are new to area.	9/30/2015 7:19 PM
134	meal at the restaurant	9/30/2015 4:16 PM
135	Drive through to paddle the Roanoke river gorge	9/30/2015 1:49 PM
136	White water kayaking and canoeing	9/30/2015 12:57 PM
137	Development proposal reconnaissance	9/30/2015 12:56 PM
138	Picnics	9/30/2015 11:15 AM
139	meeting at the Visitors Center	9/30/2015 11:05 AM
140	Kayaking the gorge! People visit from all around to kayak our 'gorge'.	9/30/2015 9:56 AM
141	visitor center	9/30/2015 8:23 AM
142	To donate an artifact	9/29/2015 4:37 PM
143	once for a craft event	9/29/2015 2:44 PM
144	VRFA	9/29/2015 1:06 PM
145	Just looking around	9/29/2015 10:34 AM
146	I was married in the church in 2006 and visit periodically and walk through the historic area (to see the old buildings).	9/29/2015 8:31 AM

**Q3 What do you value the most in a park visit? Please rank your top desired experiences and attributes in order of importance below. (Please rank the list below in order from 1-9, with 1 being most important to you, and 9 being least important to you)**

Answered: 1,102 Skipped: 34



	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total	Score
Accessibility	8.27% 81	8.98% 88	8.78% 86	10.31% 101	12.65% 124	10.20% 100	11.43% 112	11.94% 117	17.45% 171	980	4.49
Adventure	14.17% 140	17.41% 172	13.87% 137	10.93% 108	11.03% 109	7.39% 73	9.11% 90	6.48% 64	9.62% 95	988	5.64
Beauty	16.43% 161	15.71% 154	20.51% 201	13.37% 131	10.41% 102	8.78% 86	6.63% 65	5.92% 58	2.24% 22	980	6.18
Cleanliness	4.94% 48	11.93% 116	15.12% 147	18.00% 175	15.43% 150	13.68% 133	10.39% 101	6.48% 63	4.01% 39	972	5.34
Education	5.57% 56	5.17% 52	6.16% 62	6.46% 65	11.03% 111	11.33% 114	15.11% 152	16.80% 169	22.37% 225	1,006	3.75
Health	2.02% 20	4.76% 47	6.78% 67	7.79% 77	8.70% 86	14.68% 145	16.60% 164	21.66% 214	17.00% 168	988	3.63

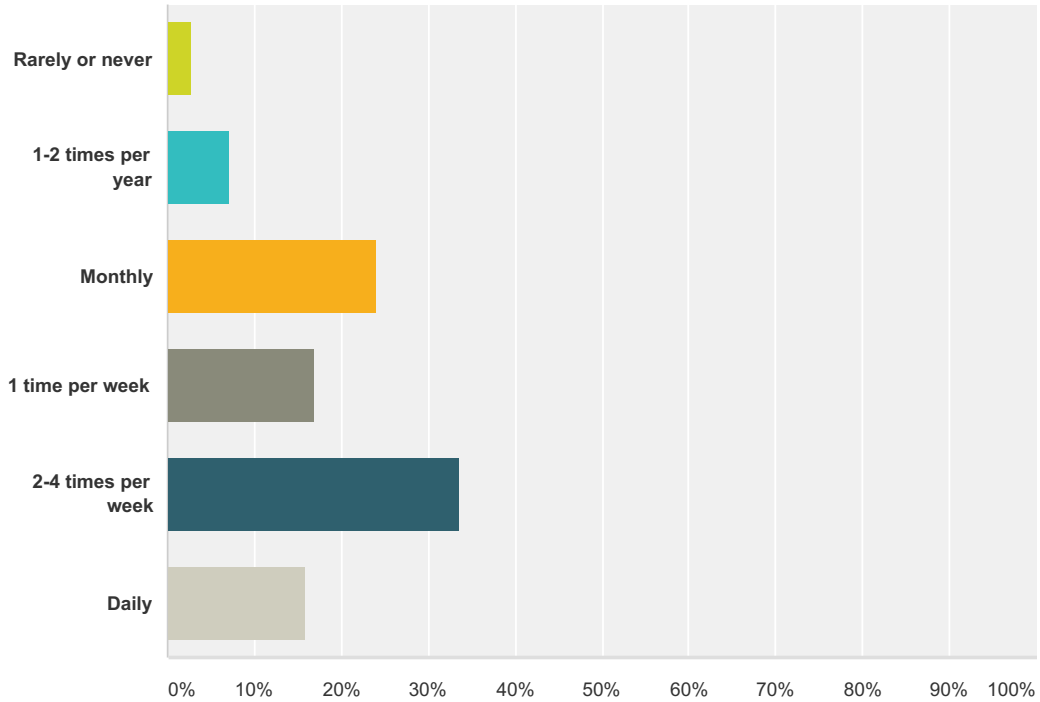
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Recreation	<b>33.00%</b> 332	<b>19.88%</b> 200	<b>11.33%</b> 114	<b>10.54%</b> 106	<b>6.46%</b> 65	<b>5.27%</b> 53	<b>5.27%</b> 53	<b>3.78%</b> 38	<b>4.47%</b> 45	1,006	6.80
Relaxation	<b>5.46%</b> 56	<b>10.53%</b> 108	<b>11.99%</b> 123	<b>13.55%</b> 139	<b>15.69%</b> 161	<b>14.33%</b> 147	<b>11.21%</b> 115	<b>10.23%</b> 105	<b>7.02%</b> 72	1,026	4.95
Safety	<b>14.56%</b> 154	<b>7.84%</b> 83	<b>7.84%</b> 83	<b>8.60%</b> 91	<b>9.64%</b> 102	<b>11.63%</b> 123	<b>12.10%</b> 128	<b>13.14%</b> 139	<b>14.65%</b> 155	1,058	4.72



### Q4 How often do you participate in outdoor recreation activities? (e.g. hiking, biking, walking, boating, fishing)

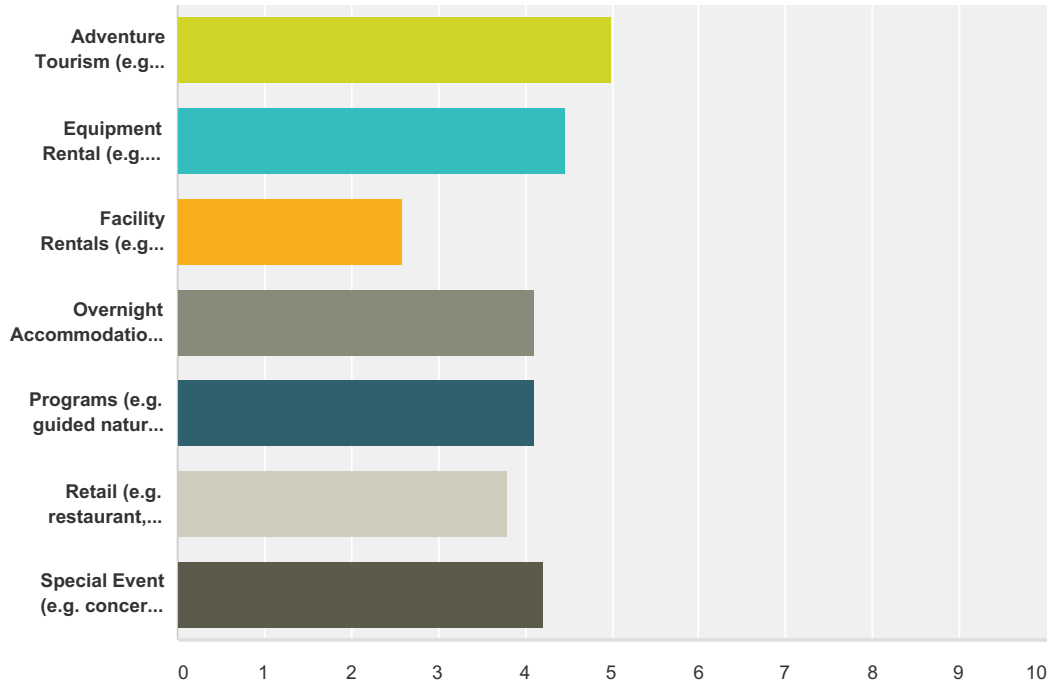
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Answer Choices	Responses
Rarely or never	2.75% 31
1-2 times per year	7.09% 80
Monthly	23.94% 270
1 time per week	16.84% 190
2-4 times per week	33.51% 378
Daily	15.87% 179
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,128</b>

**Q5 PARK ACTIVITIES: We want to know which types of activities you or your family would consider participating in at Explore Park. Please examine the groupings of activities below and rank your interest in each grouping on a scale of 1 to 7, with 1 being most likely to participate and 7 being least likely to participate.**

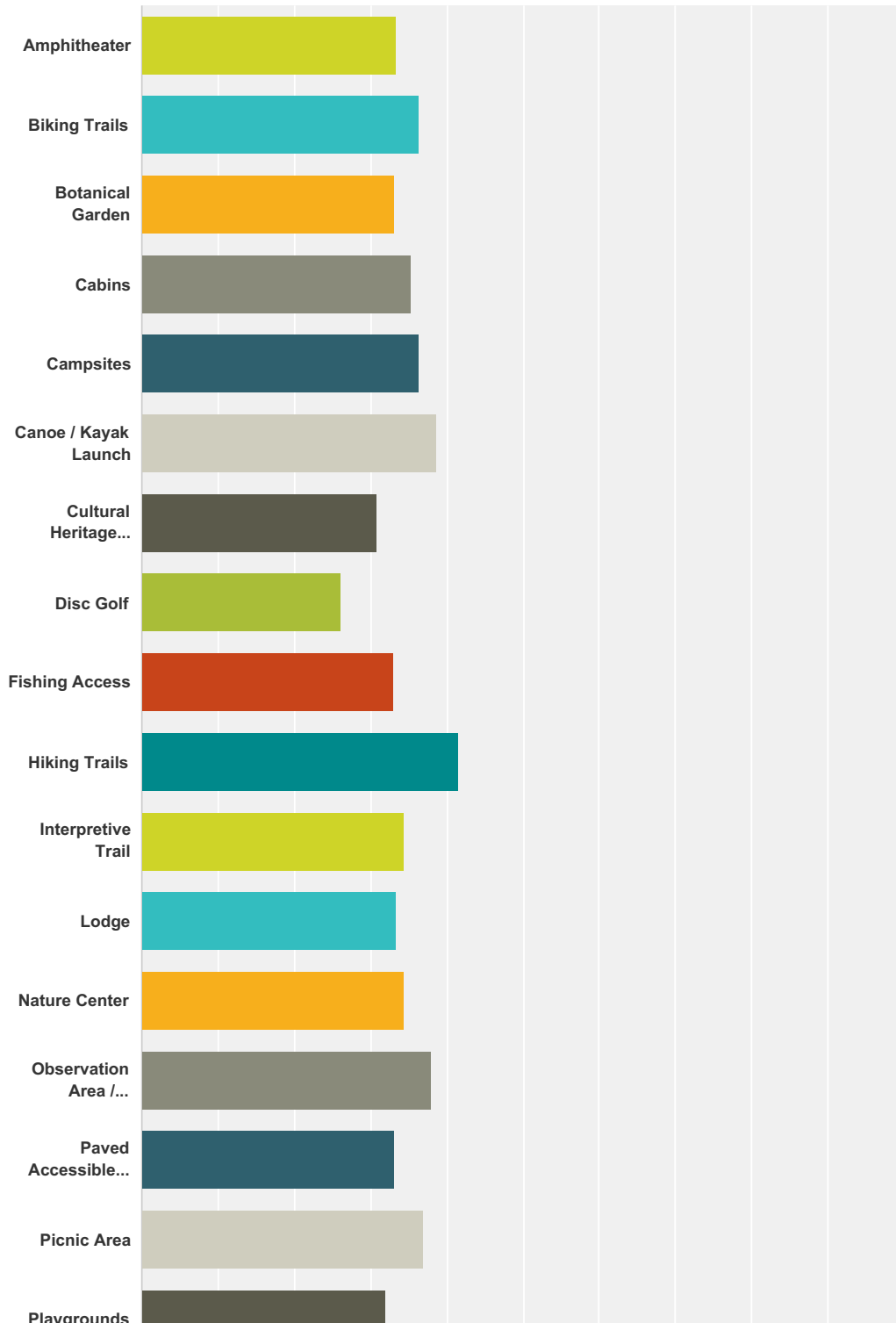
Answered: 1,108 Skipped: 28



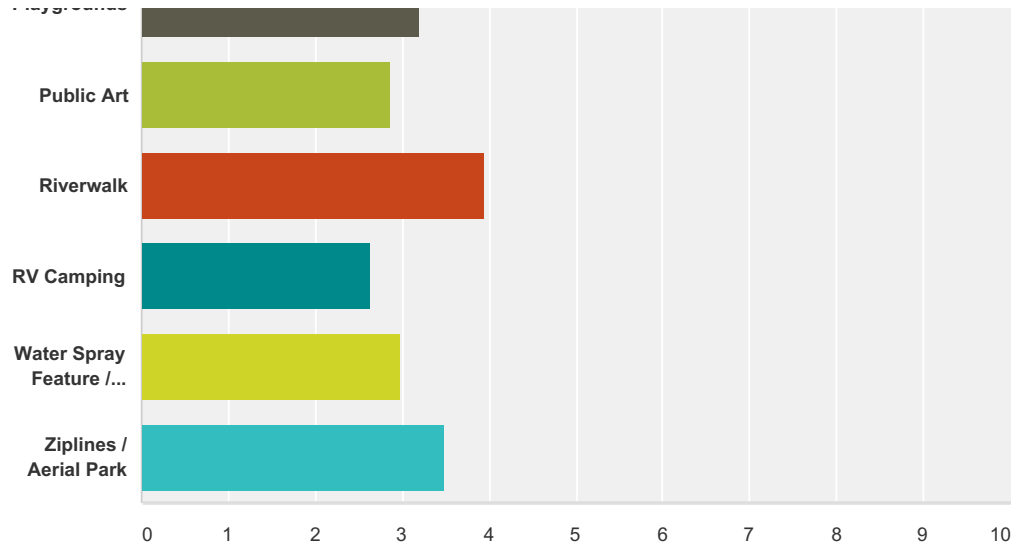
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total	Score
Adventure Tourism (e.g. zip lines, aerial park, whitewater course, race, competitive sports)	40.92% 399	13.03% 127	9.64% 94	9.03% 88	7.49% 73	8.00% 78	11.90% 116	975	4.99
Equipment Rental (e.g. kayak, canoe, bike, fishing gear, paddleboard)	13.42% 131	26.23% 256	14.24% 139	12.50% 122	13.63% 133	13.11% 128	6.86% 67	976	4.47
Facility Rentals (e.g. weddings, family reunions, company retreat)	3.28% 32	4.61% 45	7.68% 75	11.36% 111	15.56% 152	20.57% 201	36.95% 361	977	2.59
Overnight Accommodation (e.g. tent camping, cabin camping, lodge, RV camping)	15.05% 151	13.76% 138	18.15% 182	14.36% 144	11.76% 118	13.76% 138	13.16% 132	1,003	4.12
Programs (e.g. guided nature hike, group paddleboard class, summer camp)	10.79% 109	12.48% 126	20.10% 203	18.91% 191	17.62% 178	12.08% 122	8.02% 81	1,010	4.12
Retail (e.g. restaurant, brewery, gas station, winery, distillery, gift shop)	8.77% 90	13.74% 141	16.18% 166	17.15% 176	13.65% 140	15.20% 156	15.30% 157	1,026	3.80
Special Event (e.g. concert series, craft show, family event)	13.13% 140	16.89% 180	15.95% 170	14.82% 158	18.29% 195	12.95% 138	7.97% 85	1,066	4.21

**Q6 PARK AMENITIES: We want to know which types of amenities you or your family would use if available at Explore Park. (Please rate your interest in the amenities below from very uninterested to very interested)**

Answered: 1,121 Skipped: 15



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	very uninterested	somewhat uninterested	neutral	somewhat interested	very interested	Total	Weighted Average
Amphitheater	13.12% 142	11.55% 125	24.86% 269	29.76% 322	20.70% 224	1,082	3.33
Biking Trails	12.30% 135	9.56% 105	18.58% 204	22.40% 246	37.16% 408	1,098	3.63
Botanical Garden	11.18% 122	15.58% 170	25.02% 273	27.13% 296	21.08% 230	1,091	3.31
Cabins	9.71% 106	11.72% 128	21.79% 238	30.68% 335	26.10% 285	1,092	3.52
Campsites	11.53% 126	9.70% 106	16.65% 182	27.17% 297	34.95% 382	1,093	3.64
Canoe / Kayak Launch	9.58% 105	6.66% 73	14.05% 154	27.92% 306	41.79% 458	1,096	3.86
Cultural Heritage Display	12.88% 140	18.86% 205	29.99% 326	21.90% 238	16.38% 178	1,087	3.10
Disc Golf	27.03% 293	20.94% 227	27.49% 298	13.01% 141	11.53% 125	1,084	2.61
Fishing Access	14.34% 156	12.78% 139	25.55% 278	23.44% 255	23.90% 260	1,088	3.30
Hiking Trails	9.19% 101	3.37% 37	8.64% 95	21.29% 234	57.51% 632	1,099	4.15
Interpretive Trail	9.20% 99	11.43% 123	28.72% 309	26.67% 287	23.98% 258	1,076	3.45
Lodge	10.65% 116	12.12% 132	28.83% 314	28.93% 315	19.47% 212	1,089	3.34
Nature Center	8.00% 87	13.33% 145	25.83% 281	31.62% 344	21.23% 231	1,088	3.45
Observation Area / Overlooks	7.73% 84	8.19% 89	16.47% 179	32.01% 348	35.60% 387	1,087	3.80
Paved Accessible Trail	11.32% 122	14.29% 154	27.55% 297	25.88% 279	20.96% 226	1,078	3.31

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Picnic Area	<b>6.73%</b> 73	<b>8.94%</b> 97	<b>20.74%</b> 225	<b>34.56%</b> 375	<b>29.03%</b> 315	1,085	3.70
Playgrounds	<b>13.27%</b> 144	<b>14.10%</b> 153	<b>30.23%</b> 328	<b>24.42%</b> 265	<b>17.97%</b> 195	1,085	3.20
Public Art	<b>17.84%</b> 192	<b>19.61%</b> 211	<b>30.86%</b> 332	<b>20.72%</b> 223	<b>10.97%</b> 118	1,076	2.87
Riverwalk	<b>7.69%</b> 83	<b>5.56%</b> 60	<b>12.78%</b> 138	<b>31.94%</b> 345	<b>42.04%</b> 454	1,080	3.95
RV Camping	<b>30.25%</b> 327	<b>15.91%</b> 172	<b>27.66%</b> 299	<b>13.04%</b> 141	<b>13.14%</b> 142	1,081	2.63
Water Spray Feature / Splash Park	<b>25.69%</b> 279	<b>14.00%</b> 152	<b>18.97%</b> 206	<b>18.78%</b> 204	<b>22.56%</b> 245	1,086	2.99
Ziplines / Aerial Park	<b>18.18%</b> 198	<b>9.92%</b> 108	<b>13.22%</b> 144	<b>22.59%</b> 246	<b>36.09%</b> 393	1,089	3.48

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### Q7 In your opinion, what type of attraction would you most like to see at Explore Park?

Answered: 975 Skipped: 161

#	Responses	Date
1	I like the trails that are fairly rugged and not crowded.	10/31/2015 9:19 AM
2	Mountain biking trails and Disc Golf course/courses with lodging.	10/30/2015 10:23 PM
3	Adventure and camping	10/30/2015 2:30 PM
4	I attended one of the meetings and was intrigued by some type of swinging bridge over the river and tracks that might be an attraction as well a means to access the property on the other side.	10/30/2015 1:37 PM
5	Most of the above seem very interesting but I'm most interested in things to do with children.	10/30/2015 11:50 AM
6	Astronomy	10/30/2015 10:49 AM
7	Outdoor activities	10/30/2015 8:45 AM
8	Area for amateur astronomers with clear views of the night sky and no artificial lighting.	10/30/2015 6:35 AM
9	I hike. That is my primary interest. The Explore Park offers some wonderful trails for that activity not too far from me. I don't want to see that go away.	10/29/2015 8:13 PM
10	First off - I do enjoy the park and the parks trails as they are. It would be nice if some of the trash was cleaned up from the river bank. A dog park would be neat, or an area for well behaved dogs to roam free, be it trails or a large field area near the river. Brewpub/restaurant could be neat as well.	10/29/2015 5:26 PM
11	We need a place for families to spend time together for weekends "Away" from the daily rush. A modern RV park and campground would be great close place to go that is far away, yet right in our back yard.	10/29/2015 3:48 PM
12	More camps for kids and teens	10/29/2015 2:09 PM
13	Biking and hiking trails, picnic facilities, river accessibility for kayaking/fishing, playground for children	10/29/2015 10:20 AM
14	Astronomy viewing area - good horizon and low light	10/29/2015 9:43 AM
15	Mixed use with camping and lodges along with restaurants.	10/29/2015 9:34 AM
16	I would love to see an amphitheater and somewhere to have festivals...music, wine, beer, etc.	10/29/2015 8:30 AM
17	Whitewater play features and more mountain biking trails.	10/29/2015 4:22 AM
18	I would love to see Mill Mountain Zoo moved here and greatly enlarged in the beautiful open spaces where they can roam free. The current zoo is way too crowded.	10/28/2015 11:05 PM
19	Paved or crushed gravel biking trails and hiking trails	10/28/2015 10:52 PM
20	Open sky view area shielded from Roanoke light skyglow, without other unshielded artificial lighting, appropriate for astronomical observation, but reasonably accessible by auto.	10/28/2015 10:21 PM
21	Camping/RV and water park with hiking trails and bicycle paths. Maybe like James Island Park near Charleston.	10/28/2015 8:41 PM
22	Canoe/kayak	10/28/2015 7:43 PM
23	18 hole disc golf please	10/28/2015 6:52 PM
24	Disc Golf	10/28/2015 6:17 PM
25	Leave it as as, with hiking and biking trails.	10/28/2015 5:52 PM
26	Treehouse(s) (lodging or retail use)	10/28/2015 5:08 PM
27	I would love to see the historic area at Explore Park become a part of the master plan for the park. There is not another attraction like them in this area. Also, although I worry about what it could mean for the amount of litter and other issues in the park, a campground is sorely needed on this side of the valley and along this portion of the Blue Ridge Parkway and Explore Park seems like a good option for that. I like the peace and tranquility of Explore Park, but I understand that things need to be done to it for the County to generate enough revenue to maintain the park the way the park deserves.	10/28/2015 4:35 PM

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28	Disc golf, it would bring a lot of people to the park, and it would be a great addition.	10/28/2015 3:39 PM
29	I think the park is already an attraction and would be less of one for the majority of the local residents should things like zip lines, water parks, etc. be added. In short, my favorite attraction is the trees, river, soil, plants, and the like---the park.	10/28/2015 3:01 PM
30	Nature.	10/28/2015 1:30 PM
31	18 hole Disc Golf course	10/28/2015 12:50 PM
32	ziplines/aerial park	10/28/2015 12:49 PM
33	The above questions answer this for me EXCEPT, I would like to see a connection to the Greenways.	10/28/2015 12:25 PM
34	18 hole or more, Champion Level Disc Golf Course	10/28/2015 12:23 PM
35	campsites, cabins, canoe/kayak rental, hiking trails	10/28/2015 11:51 AM
36	zipline	10/28/2015 11:47 AM
37	Zipline!	10/28/2015 11:47 AM
38	Hiking trails	10/28/2015 11:28 AM
39	Historical / Cultural interpretive displays combined with outdoor activities such as hiking, canoeing, trail running and children's historical interactive displays.	10/28/2015 11:19 AM
40	Connection with Roanoke River Greenway, and overnight campground.	10/28/2015 11:18 AM
41	The old historical interpretive exhibits that were done so well earlier.	10/28/2015 11:03 AM
42	All above	10/28/2015 11:03 AM
43	Outdoor tourism is taking off across the country. People like doing active things outdoors. Trail running, climbing, hiking, biking, disc golf. Outdoor competitive sports. This is what is bringing people to places like Asheville, etc... Roanoke is attempting to rebrand itself as an outdoor town. Doing something a long these lines will greatly help with moving Roanoke in that direction. To put it lightly, building nature centers, education centers, and big RV campgrounds are all fairly boring. There is nothing unique about them.	10/28/2015 10:37 AM
44	Low key batural that does not attract litterbugs, derelicts, druggies	10/28/2015 10:29 AM
45	Hiking and Biking areas	10/28/2015 10:27 AM
46	Riverwalk	10/28/2015 10:25 AM
47	Family friendly camping and educational activities	10/28/2015 9:51 AM
48	Quiet natural area for birding and botanizing and hiking	10/28/2015 9:49 AM
49	mountain biking/hiking trails, amphitheater, camping/cabins	10/28/2015 9:41 AM
50	zipline/aerial park and campsites	10/28/2015 9:24 AM
51	Outdoor activities like zip lines, water park area. Kayak rental entry, river walk area and restaurants/shops along the river walk area	10/28/2015 9:02 AM
52	trails - multi-use including equestrian	10/28/2015 8:41 AM
53	horse trails	10/28/2015 8:24 AM
54	horseback riding trails and trailer parking	10/28/2015 8:19 AM
55	horseback riding trails, accomodations	10/28/2015 8:16 AM
56	I think making this into an adventure park with horse trails, hiking trails, white water rafting, ropes courses	10/28/2015 8:12 AM
57	horseback riding trails, horse trailer parking, connection to parkway trails, horse facilities	10/28/2015 8:09 AM
58	horse trails	10/28/2015 8:06 AM
59	good hiking and equestrian trails. Easy access for horses.	10/28/2015 8:03 AM
60	Well maintained hiking trails	10/28/2015 6:13 AM
61	A couple Disk golf courses	10/28/2015 2:20 AM

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62	Increasing the hiking trails and having a "blueway" with rent-able equipment (inner tubes, canoes, kayaks, etc.) would both be excellent! I loved the ideas I saw about "tree house" cabins, but if you do that, it would be awesome to have at least one "tree house" cabin just for visitors to enjoy. Probably the biggest thing that I'd love to see happen at Explore Park is to develop and offer more citizen science and nature education opportunities. I love the programs and adventures offered by the Great Smoky Mountains Institute at Tremont in Tennessee and I definitely think that is something we could do well here in Explore Park! We definitely don't have anything that extensive around here and the Blue Ridge Mountains seem perfect for it, and I've always thought Explore Park would be an excellent location to do this. This might include the following ideas: -Nature Center - Complete with native animals on display (reptiles, amphibians, foxes, bobcat, etc.). A raptor education program, with hawks and owls. -Guided nature walks. Opportunities for school groups to visit and take classes ranging from stream ecology, geology, wildlife, forest ecology, cultural history, etc. Maybe even tent platforms or some way for groups to stay overnight. -Discovery center - hands-on exhibits for all ages. -Internship program for local high school and college students -Bird banding station -Signed nature trail -Guided bird walks -Regular bioblitzes using iNaturalist -Citizen science program - ebird, iNaturalist, Monarch Watch, Project BudBurst, Globe at Night, various naturalist classes offered, etc.	10/27/2015 9:52 PM
63	Any attraction that involves exercise from hiking, biking and water activities.	10/27/2015 9:27 PM
64	Disc golf would be great!	10/27/2015 8:37 PM
65	A disc golf course	10/27/2015 6:24 PM
66	Disc golf	10/27/2015 6:10 PM
67	RV camping and disc golf	10/27/2015 5:58 PM
68	DISC GOLF!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!	10/27/2015 12:59 PM
69	Atv trails	10/27/2015 12:26 PM
70	I loved the old Explore Park with the interpretation and the old buildings. Would love to see some of that back.	10/27/2015 12:09 PM
71	Historical buildings opened and interpreted along with meals being served once again in the historic tavern.	10/27/2015 11:43 AM
72	Atv trails . Will bring in money for Roanoke like Wva , and southwest va. Will bring in people and they will rent hotels (money ), buy food (money ), buy gas(money ) and probably tour other parts of Roanoke	10/27/2015 10:24 AM
73	balance of high adventure and retail/restaurant	10/27/2015 10:17 AM
74	Off road vehicle trails. A place where people can ride dirtbike, ATVs and other off road vehicles.	10/27/2015 7:37 AM
75	Biking is good now, but more trails would be cool. More outdoor adventure like zip lines. Maybe a PAINTBALL course, using biodegradable paint?????.	10/27/2015 12:13 AM
76	concerts	10/27/2015 12:03 AM
77	ATV and Dirt bike trails. I personally use the park to trail run and would be sad if I couldn't do this anymore. But we have plenty of other trails to run. We need something different than every other county around us.	10/26/2015 11:43 PM
78	RV resort setting. offer some of the outdoor activities like river walk, fishing, hiking, putt golf, tennis courts, swimming pool. like dining, brewery, distillery would be good attractions too.	10/26/2015 8:45 PM
79	We have always felt that Explore Park should house our current zoo animals.	10/26/2015 4:48 PM
80	Return to the historical exhibits that I use to bring my students to.	10/26/2015 3:22 PM
81	Camping	10/26/2015 1:52 PM
82	Horse trails. Lots of them!	10/26/2015 1:02 PM
83	Brewery, Winery, Campsites, Concert Venue	10/26/2015 9:56 AM
84	a full service RV resort	10/26/2015 9:08 AM
85	Extension of the Roanoke River Greenway	10/26/2015 8:36 AM
86	Adventure attractions - zip lines, kayak trips	10/26/2015 6:56 AM
87	Interpretive programming in the recreated areas Intero	10/25/2015 9:06 PM
88	Zip-lline canopy.	10/25/2015 7:28 PM
89	Camping; restaurant or some type of food options; recreational/educational opps (how to fly fish, etc)	10/25/2015 7:08 PM
90	A water park/adventure park kind of place would be good.	10/25/2015 6:39 PM
91	The historical interpretive exhibits that were there before	10/25/2015 5:40 PM



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92	Ziplines	10/25/2015 5:22 PM
93	Higher tier RV park	10/25/2015 4:10 PM
94	Destination dining/brewery- something with a gorgeous porch- and mountain views rocking chairs for waiting-lodge style- big stone fire place-decorated seasonally- mason jars think cozy elegant-general store attached- something like a fancier Cracker Barrel or the Swinging Bridge restaurant in Paint Bank. Roanoke desperately needs a "destination restaurant" the "it" place you take out of towners or celebrate special occasions at- we have no signature Roanoke location	10/25/2015 3:22 PM
95	RV camping	10/25/2015 1:40 PM
96	A modern day RV resort / park, full hookups, and offer basic outdoor activities such as fishing, hiking, putt golf, biking. and tie in a package with access to Green Ridge Splash Valley.	10/25/2015 1:20 PM
97	Heritage center, music, microbrews, mountain crafts.	10/25/2015 11:22 AM
98	Full hook up rv campsites	10/25/2015 10:48 AM
99	A lodge with a small bistro, hiking trails, fishing, kayaking, .....day adventures	10/25/2015 8:48 AM
100	A real flow trail for mountain bikes and a pump track.	10/25/2015 7:08 AM
101	use the trails for more competitive sports - running, biking. use the river for paddleboard, boating, fishing	10/25/2015 2:06 AM
102	Zipline	10/25/2015 12:08 AM
103	Biking and running events	10/24/2015 10:35 PM
104	ziplines / Aerial Park	10/24/2015 10:17 PM
105	Outdoor adventure center (National Whitewater Center - NC, ACE Adventure - WV) with camping (RV & tent) and small amphitheater.	10/24/2015 5:49 PM
106	River -water access and biking	10/24/2015 4:41 PM
107	Camping & fishing	10/24/2015 2:34 PM
108	I believe the ziplines and/or ropes course would add to the Explore Park greatly. If you build a nice adventure park that does not require a lot of damage to the existing area, then it would attract people traveling down the Parkway as well as all of the local people. Then you could get the restaurant back in business. You could host businesses that want to have a team building weekend. If you add a few cabins to the area, then they could rent those as well.	10/24/2015 11:42 AM
109	Outdoor activities, hiking, kayaking, bike trails (not just mt. bikes),	10/23/2015 9:00 PM
110	Natural areas to protect rare species of plants and animals with interpretation on perimeter.	10/23/2015 3:39 PM
111	Disc Golf course	10/23/2015 10:30 AM
112	Outdoor recreation	10/23/2015 8:51 AM
113	Disc golf, great camping and nature stuff!	10/23/2015 2:06 AM
114	A picnic area.	10/23/2015 12:42 AM
115	disc golf	10/22/2015 7:46 PM
116	More cultural heritage festivals	10/22/2015 6:53 PM
117	Disc golf	10/22/2015 6:47 PM
118	The most likely attraction to bring me there is disc golf	10/22/2015 5:48 PM
119	Brew pub, unique over night stay opportunities such as tree houses and biking and hiking trail.	10/22/2015 4:39 PM
120	An excellent disc golf course, separate from the mixed-use area(s) of the park, with different tees and/or basket positions to allow for fun and challenging layouts suitable for disc golfers of all skill levels.	10/22/2015 4:22 PM
121	More trails for hiking/running/mountain biking. A bike park would be a nice addition to Roanoke.	10/22/2015 4:12 PM
122	Hiking/ running trails	10/22/2015 2:40 PM
123	Disc golf course	10/22/2015 2:15 PM
124	Camping	10/22/2015 1:02 PM
125	Disc Golf	10/22/2015 12:07 PM

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126	Car camping is my number one wish. I also don't want to lose any mountain biking trails and would like to have a pump track.	10/22/2015 11:25 AM
127	lodging & camping	10/22/2015 11:18 AM
128	Disc golf	10/22/2015 9:43 AM
129	High and low ropes course and ziplines	10/21/2015 9:12 PM
130	Ziplines	10/21/2015 8:47 PM
131	Family oriented facility- camping, hiking, local crafts, affordable.	10/21/2015 8:21 PM
132	I used to come for field trips. We would visit the houses and black smith, and learn history. I'd like to see that again.	10/21/2015 8:21 PM
133	Outdoor adventure activities	10/21/2015 8:00 PM
134	Access points to fish and kayak.	10/21/2015 6:19 PM
135	Greenway, more trails for running and hiking.	10/21/2015 5:07 PM
136	our family LOVES camping and other outside activities and would be happy to invite family in baltimore to join us	10/21/2015 5:05 PM
137	Outdoor adventure activities. I think these would work well in the park. You have seen bike and running races held there with success. I would like to see that trend continue. It would be nice to try and get a Muddy Buddy, Spartan Race, or that style of race at explorer park. Outdoor music festivals could also do well. Having a store/restaurant that sells local beer and wines will add to the vibe that is needed to make the park successful.	10/21/2015 4:55 PM
138	horse trails	10/21/2015 3:52 PM
139	I like the outdoors. Do not need a lot of buildings etc. May not be the case for out of town people. I think there should be a gas station etc for getting people off parkway. Maybe a better road with directions to get to Roa area??	10/21/2015 3:37 PM
140	Hiking trails obstacle/high ropes course, accessible camping sites and trails.	10/21/2015 3:04 PM
141	Greenway trails with overlooks, living history and historic buildings,	10/21/2015 3:04 PM
142	ziplines	10/21/2015 3:00 PM
143	state park type cabins	10/21/2015 2:57 PM
144	extensive, well built and maintained hiking trail network	10/21/2015 2:52 PM
145	more special events, horse trails	10/21/2015 2:48 PM
146	I most value the natural resources such as the river, hiking and walking. Quite concerned that certain adventure amenities will take away from the park	10/21/2015 2:40 PM
147	Some type of lodging with restaurant.	10/21/2015 2:38 PM
148	Hiking trails	10/21/2015 2:38 PM
149	Disc golf, as a competitive disc golfer and with the exponential growth of the sport I feel this would be a great addition to the Roanoke area	10/21/2015 2:34 PM
150	sky way tram going from downtown Roanoke to mill mountain and on to explore park	10/21/2015 1:24 PM
151	kayak course	10/21/2015 1:18 PM
152	Water activities	10/21/2015 11:41 AM
153	Disc Golf Course, the land seems beautiful for a full 18 holes of disc golf. I would make a special trip from RVA just to play the course.	10/21/2015 1:29 AM
154	Disc Golf	10/21/2015 12:31 AM
155	Disc Golf!	10/20/2015 10:59 PM
156	Hiking trails. Stand up paddle boarding	10/20/2015 10:35 PM
157	whitewater park	10/20/2015 10:33 PM
158	Disc golf	10/20/2015 10:22 PM
159	Really enjoyed the historical areas it had years ago. Would love to see those open and VA history available thru historical interpretation	10/20/2015 10:01 PM

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160	Disc golf! I travel for disc golf vacations and tournaments. Other non-intrusive activities to natural beauty like hiking/biking trails and fishing are good too. No zip lining please - Ugh.	10/20/2015 10:00 PM
161	Disc golf is a great way to get exercise, be competitive in a sport, make new friends and enjoy the beauty the park has to offer	10/20/2015 9:46 PM
162	Disc golf course	10/20/2015 9:40 PM
163	dining facility or brewery; lodge	10/20/2015 9:37 PM
164	Disc golf and boat access	10/20/2015 9:26 PM
165	Disc golf and singletrack mountain biking trails	10/20/2015 9:01 PM
166	Horseback riding trails. Please don't exclude the horses. Everything above is only for hiking and biking. Horses and their riders are just as important and do not do any more damage than mountain bikes.	10/20/2015 8:19 PM
167	Camping	10/20/2015 7:55 PM
168	Nature Center, although the Welcome Center is outstanding.	10/20/2015 4:35 PM
169	Cultural Heritage type displays and tent camping	10/20/2015 4:21 PM
170	Geocaching, hiking, trail riding, high adventure.	10/20/2015 4:17 PM
171	Historical buildings and interpreters, nature trails, summer camps/day camps	10/20/2015 3:25 PM
172	Colonial Heritage - reenactors	10/20/2015 3:00 PM
173	REtain the site's natural beauty by keeping manmade features to a minimum.	10/20/2015 1:57 PM
174	Amphitheater	10/20/2015 11:33 AM
175	Explore Park is an opportunity given its geography to emphasize the beauty of the region, its heritage and concomitantly bring the community together for events as mentioned in meetings.	10/20/2015 10:43 AM
176	Disc golf	10/20/2015 10:37 AM
177	Nature trails, river activities, history, keep the park non-commercial, guided tours	10/20/2015 10:14 AM
178	A quality RV facility: full hook ups, level sites, space between sites, cable hook up, good gravel sites and roads, wooded for shade, accepts big rigs, swimming pool, etc. Make it an attractive destination!	10/20/2015 10:00 AM
179	Horse amenities/events, more foot races/events, mountain biking areas/events, canoe and kayaking	10/20/2015 8:10 AM
180	Well maintained mountain bike trails and fishing access. I live right up the road so I would be there 24/7.	10/20/2015 7:46 AM
181	History	10/20/2015 12:35 AM
182	Would like to see easy bicycle trails/fire roads.	10/19/2015 11:48 PM
183	Equestrian facilities; particularly trail riding access, arena, and some stabling for overnight camping abilities.	10/19/2015 11:22 PM
184	Better hiking trails and picnic areas. Camping areas and rental cabins.	10/19/2015 11:17 PM
185	I would like to have a place that I can go with or without children that I can spend the day. Being able to eat would be important to that.	10/19/2015 11:02 PM
186	Activities that take advantage of the natural beauty and history of the area, not tacky commercial attractions.	10/19/2015 10:54 PM
187	After the PFE meeting on 10/19, I'd say a bridge from Roanoke to Bedford side and a zip line to return.	10/19/2015 10:03 PM
188	Lodge and camping facilities, family activities	10/19/2015 9:46 PM
189	ZOO - the Mill Mountain Zoo should be relocated there. Could be another Carolina Zoo!	10/19/2015 9:06 PM
190	Adventure....Ziplines, kayaking similar water activities, biking, paintball, arts and crafts, some history,	10/19/2015 9:02 PM
191	some trails long the river similar to the greenway	10/19/2015 8:53 PM
192	Outdoor activites including but not limited to, ropes course, mountain biking, fishing, white water kayaking, paintball, restaurant, and lodging.	10/19/2015 8:44 PM
193	Attractions that would allow visitors to spend the day and stay busy. Possibly amusement park type rides and an amphitheater for plays and concerts.	10/19/2015 6:43 PM
194	Better river access, push for whitewater boaters to use park as takeout without having to lug boat up hill to parking area	10/19/2015 6:41 PM

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195	Zip line	10/19/2015 5:21 PM
196	recreation theme park	10/19/2015 5:21 PM
197	Zip lining	10/19/2015 4:15 PM
198	Mountain Biking related	10/19/2015 4:07 PM
199	As a kid I enjoyed the cultural field trips to Explore Park. As an adult, I would like to be able to take my family to a place where they can run around, let off some energy, and Mom (and Dad) can participate in outdoor activities that we can't find anywhere else in the area. Specifically, I would enjoy some kind of educational facility for kids where I could drop off our daughter while my husband and I do an adult activity, like SUP or mountain biking. I would love for Explore park to have the feeling of a snow-park (even without the snow). Activities for all ages, a lodge with dinner and good beer for the family after a day of play.	10/19/2015 2:11 PM
200	Cabins/lodge/hiking trails /canoes/fishing	10/19/2015 1:39 PM
201	Cabins/lodge/hiking trails /canoes/fishing	10/19/2015 1:38 PM
202	We should complement the entire comingled network with a center for camping; RV, tent, horseback camping et al. In addition, I believe a series of remote cabins throughout the park would be a helpful and attractive draw to the park.	10/19/2015 12:40 PM
203	camping	10/19/2015 12:40 PM
204	primitive camping	10/19/2015 12:38 PM
205	Guided adventures or something to get people to the area	10/19/2015 12:35 PM
206	camping and outdoor recreation	10/19/2015 12:32 PM
207	Public access facilities for outdoor recreation and connection to the Roanoke downtown via river greenway.	10/19/2015 11:59 AM
208	The amphitheater would be great for outdoor concerts and events. Also, a brewery or winery tasting would be attractive. Both would attract a college/young adult crowd to the park.	10/19/2015 11:49 AM
209	Zip lines	10/19/2015 11:49 AM
210	I would like to see a Disc Golf course.	10/19/2015 11:07 AM
211	Restaurant, and Cabin Rentals	10/19/2015 11:00 AM
212	Disc golf. Roanoke is behind both in VA and nationally when it comes to this sport which is exploding in popularity.	10/19/2015 10:57 AM
213	Something similar to the National White water center in Charlotte or the Boathouse Foundation in Oklahoma City. We have the advantage of a natural river and so much more at explore park.	10/19/2015 9:16 AM
214	Outdoor recreation / crafts music that pertain to the region	10/19/2015 8:59 AM
215	River oriented recreation, boating access, multiple types of fishing opportunities. Hiking and mountain bike trails with a mix of high intensity outdoor recreation amenities.	10/19/2015 8:20 AM
216	campground...good for local business	10/19/2015 8:11 AM
217	An amusement park!!	10/19/2015 6:49 AM
218	Outdoor activities. Mill Mtn to explore park	10/18/2015 10:47 PM
219	A place to hike and then sit and have a beer afterwards.	10/18/2015 9:35 PM
220	River trail all the way to Roanoke River Greenway...	10/18/2015 9:26 PM
221	I would like to see a facility that would be similar to the USNWC located in Charlotte, NC. I believe this would bring youth 21 to 35 to the area and create quite a buzz in Roanoke, VA. I have been to the USNWC many times and it is a fantastic experience. One can mountain bike, hike, rock climb, etc. with many activities being free. There are also weekly events and music concerts that attract many different types of people. Craft beer as well as food truck style food is also a very popular amenity that is located there.	10/18/2015 9:20 PM
222	Fishing	10/18/2015 9:10 PM
223	Ziplines, canopy tours, expanded mountain biking and hiking trails.	10/18/2015 9:09 PM
224	Riverwalk/personal boat access to river	10/18/2015 8:53 PM
225	Splash park, anything outdoors for kids	10/18/2015 8:27 PM
226	Adventure center	10/18/2015 8:19 PM

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227	Zip lines, hiking, water/splash park, ropes course	10/18/2015 8:10 PM
228	guided nature walks based on wildflowers and birds	10/18/2015 7:56 PM
229	Connection to Roanoke greenway and road bike trails - about 20 mile loop	10/18/2015 7:15 PM
230	Historical or nature/ campsite area	10/18/2015 7:12 PM
231	Hiking	10/18/2015 6:25 PM
232	I like alot of what was mentioned however paintball would be a good addition to the list.	10/18/2015 6:22 PM
233	I think a zip line and amphitheater would get a lot of bang for the buck.	10/18/2015 5:10 PM
234	Camping,amphitheater,lodge,restaurant,botanical gardens.	10/18/2015 4:03 PM
235	whitewater park and canopy rope trail	10/18/2015 3:50 PM
236	Camping	10/18/2015 3:22 PM
237	Busch Gardens or Dollywood	10/18/2015 2:59 PM
238	Market Fair, historical interpretation, wine festivals, celtic games, Fall and spring festivals	10/18/2015 2:42 PM
239	Zip line and hiking lodge beergarden	10/18/2015 1:47 PM
240	I'm not a huge outdoor activist, so having only outdoor activities that only relate to exercising is not a place I would drop a lot of money on and go back for. Saying this, I would like to see possibly some fun attractions like a indoor Black Light mini golf and an outdoor extremely themed mini golf...Themed is the key to fun indoor and outdoor mini golf...Also, A Great Mirror Maze along with a 3D movie ride. As for outdoor Rides a Huge Ferris wheel and Carousel ride. An Alpine Coaster would be awesome. Go Carts and a small famiy roller coaster, Skylift or gondola ride. Dinner and a show. Eat dinner and see a show is awesome. I live in Roanoke. VA and every yr I go to Pigeon Forge for fun and spend \$600 at a drop of a hat. I'm in my 40's and there is nothing in Roanoke like Pigeon Forge attractions. Explore park has nothing I would do at this time. Make explore Park so attractive that people from all over the USA will visit like Gatlinburg and Pigeon Forge.	10/18/2015 1:34 PM
241	A Inn called the Great Chestnut Inn to include local wineries along with hiking and biking trails there should be Segway tours for people unable to hike or bike. I think you should include VT,s program to plant Chestnut trees and use that as part of the tours to tell the story of the chestnut tree and what it meant to the area. Possibly use part of the property as a vineyard using students from VT and local Community Colleges to man the vineyard.	10/18/2015 1:34 PM
242	Restaurant (quality) and camping, hiking kayaking. Educational conservation hikes	10/18/2015 1:25 PM
243	Ziplines/aerial park with lodge hiking trails and gardens	10/18/2015 12:56 PM
244	Something unique	10/18/2015 12:29 PM
245	Zip lines like Navitat in Ashville, NC. Whitewater rafting course. Amphitheater to attract major touring acts....., like Raleigh, NC. Not another downtown Roanoke amphitheater!	10/18/2015 11:38 AM
246	Celebrate the beauty of nature, local history, dark skies	10/18/2015 11:35 AM
247	Overnight camping, Ziplines, Hiking trails, picnic areas around the cabins that are already in the park.	10/18/2015 11:35 AM
248	camping, cabins, trails & river access	10/18/2015 11:28 AM
249	Amphitheater	10/18/2015 11:25 AM
250	Outdoor activities	10/18/2015 10:57 AM
251	na	10/18/2015 10:44 AM
252	Expansion of hiking trails	10/18/2015 10:25 AM

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253	The single thing that will make Explore Park a sustainable, viable, and profitable tourist destination for the future will be for Explore Park to partner with a 4-Star Luxury Resort Operator (Either Four Seasons, Ritz Carlton (Marriot Luxury Franchise) or Starwood Hotels - and develop on one part of the park's land a 200-room Luxury Resort (marketed heavily to DC-NOVA / Richmond / Tidewater / Charlotte / Atlanta / Philadelphia / NYC markets. Include a 4-star spa; and a 4-Star Virginia inspired Farm to Table Destination Restaurant. You have to be looking at examples such as Blackberry Farm in Tennessee; Washington Inn in Virginia; Canyon Ranch Resort in the Berkshires of Massachusetts. Explore Park will also attract local and regional day-trippers for hiking, zip lines, etc. But the \$\$\$ and people you ultimately want to attract to make it a Travel and Leisure-style recognized destination has to be able to draw from farther markets for weekend and week-long stays. This is only possible if you have a reason to come and a place to stay. This in reality only happens with a luxury property; luxury amenities; and a luxury flag operating within one of the nation's leading hotel operators. We should be able to have Explore Park host a developer of hotels like this and get our 'Napa' / 'Aspen' / 'Asheville' in motion here.	10/18/2015 10:12 AM
254	A full hook-up, campground! There are no other RV campgrounds in the Roanoke area. The Dixie Caverns to the south is sketchy and the Natural Bridge to the north is wonderful, but too far to bring tourism dollars to Roanoke, we end up going to Lexington. SML is the same. There is so much in Roanoke to see, and an RV campground would bring a whole subset of vacationers here. We live in the area and would still visit in our camper.	10/18/2015 9:13 AM
255	Great hiking and kayaking with a lodge and a retail area (shop with all local products, winery/distillery/brewery, restaurant, etc.)	10/18/2015 9:13 AM
256	Tent camping, noise restrictions for equipment, along the river, with direct canoeing access	10/18/2015 9:08 AM
257	The Roanoke Area really needs an RV camping area and cabins would be a great fit for that.	10/18/2015 9:00 AM
258	NONE! Close the damn thing and give it back to the state!	10/18/2015 8:48 AM
259	Would love to see campgrounds and cabins, something like Douthat State Park. A lodge and a restaurant. Better access to the river for fishing	10/18/2015 8:40 AM
260	improved mountain biking trail system connecting with Mill Mountain	10/18/2015 8:28 AM
261	hiking trails, disc golf, nature center	10/18/2015 7:52 AM
262	Adventure camp?	10/18/2015 7:13 AM
263	An outdoor adventure location with a variety of trails for mountain biking, trail running and hiking. I think a BMX race track would be an incredible amenity to the park. A location for SUP and Kayaks would also be a nice addition to the water access. It would be great to see the Explorer Park become a destination location for top-tier mountain bike racing. Similar to the level of the Blue Ridge Marathon.	10/18/2015 5:52 AM
264	You should buy out Virginia Safari Park and move it to Explorer park.	10/18/2015 12:18 AM
265	RV Camping We have a group of five campers that travel over two hours each way every other weekend because there is NOTHING nice closer. Just with us that's almost \$1000 dollars taken out of the valley Roanoke needs a nice campground	10/17/2015 11:45 PM
266	Splash pad, playground, safe hiking trails	10/17/2015 9:38 PM
267	Bringing back historical part of the park . . . Build on what was once there.. Put in enough money to keep it up . Back lot for movie making	10/17/2015 9:12 PM
268	Nature at its finest	10/17/2015 8:19 PM
269	restaurant, concerts riverwalk	10/17/2015 7:28 PM
270	Pump track to go with trails. Shuttle service for tubes and kayaks on Roanoke River to SML headwaters.	10/17/2015 3:55 PM
271	RV Campground.	10/17/2015 3:19 PM
272	theme/ amusement park	10/17/2015 2:53 PM
273	Family friendly recreation	10/17/2015 2:01 PM
274	Educational programs	10/17/2015 1:26 PM
275	Ziplines	10/17/2015 1:25 PM
276	Historical interperations	10/17/2015 1:21 PM
277	Zip lining and disk golf	10/17/2015 1:16 PM
278	Wheelchair access	10/17/2015 1:11 PM
279	Hiking trails	10/17/2015 1:10 PM

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280	Zip line and bike trails	10/17/2015 12:25 PM
281	Outdoor drama	10/17/2015 12:21 PM
282	Equestrian events	10/17/2015 11:59 AM
283	Riverwalk	10/17/2015 11:34 AM
284	Campground	10/17/2015 11:07 AM
285	Wine Festivals, Local Brewery tasting. Also some local bands.	10/17/2015 10:48 AM
286	Educational and informative exhibits/tours.	10/17/2015 10:23 AM
287	Better trails for hiking	10/17/2015 10:23 AM
288	Area suitable for stargazing free of annoying lights.	10/17/2015 10:18 AM
289	Pump track Mtb trails at both ends (true beginner and double black diamond)	10/17/2015 6:03 AM
290	Anything to bring in tourists!	10/16/2015 10:04 PM
291	I would love to see an motorhome park.	10/16/2015 10:02 PM
292	Educational exhibits, like it used to be.	10/16/2015 9:54 PM
293	Educational	10/16/2015 7:33 PM
294	Free music events.	10/16/2015 6:59 PM
295	Bike mecca: skills park, beginner trails, pump track UCI/ABA BMX track, launching spot for BRP road rides, intermediate and advanced/expert "endurance" loops, permanent CX course.	10/16/2015 6:40 PM
296	Eco recreation	10/16/2015 6:11 PM
297	Public access	10/16/2015 6:04 PM
298	Amusement Park	10/16/2015 6:00 PM
299	More bike trails and beer joint/restaurant with concerts.	10/16/2015 1:47 PM
300	aerial park	10/16/2015 1:29 PM
301	A zipline would be very cool and a unique feature in this area! Mountain bikes have become very popular in the Roanoke valley as well so any thing that incorporates them will definitely generate positive attention in the community. There has also been a big push lately for Roanoke's "Blueway" in the form of the Roanoke River, making use of that asset at Explore Park will always be a good move!	10/16/2015 1:29 PM
302	Ziplines	10/16/2015 12:33 PM
303	more mountain bike trails - beginner friendly flow trail and skills area	10/16/2015 12:20 PM
304	Biking/Walking/Riding trails	10/16/2015 11:22 AM
305	Amusement Park	10/16/2015 11:20 AM
306	Better Mtn biking and kayaking	10/16/2015 11:06 AM
307	Zipline	10/16/2015 11:02 AM
308	RV and tent campground.	10/16/2015 10:51 AM
309	1. Mountain Bike Skills park including beginner level flow trails and pump track.	10/16/2015 10:50 AM
310	More Mtn bike trails, better maintained mtn bike trails, Access to the river for water sports such as kayaking and SUPing and use of the park for races including Adventure racing / orienteering etc	10/16/2015 10:31 AM
311	Tent camping	10/16/2015 10:21 AM
312	Better biking, like warrior creek in NC. Disc golf Camping	10/16/2015 10:15 AM
313	Adventure sports including whitewater. Also, it looks like this survey is aimed at local folks only. RV parking and camping facilities would draw crowds to the park due to its proximity to the BRP.	10/16/2015 9:55 AM
314	Explore Park would be most attractive to me if there were a bigger trails network available to hikers, mountain bikers, and maybe equestrians. For example, Carvin's Cove has been extremely successful in bringing not just locals out to the trails and into the Roanoke Valley, but I've personally met folks from around the nation who come there to ride because of its renowned trail system.	10/16/2015 9:47 AM

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315	Mountain bike trails that are actually challenging	10/16/2015 9:45 AM
316	Mountain bike trails	10/16/2015 9:22 AM
317	A mountain bike skills park.	10/16/2015 8:46 AM
318	Horse back riding trails and RV areas	10/16/2015 7:53 AM
319	Dog friendly/	10/15/2015 10:53 PM
320	I would love to see it return to the way it was. The living history was so cool, and it is sad to see the decaying cabins/remnants of the Indian village.	10/15/2015 9:00 PM
321	Not sure.	10/15/2015 7:30 PM
322	Theme event	10/15/2015 6:35 PM
323	Better biking trails and a picnic area.	10/15/2015 5:36 PM
324	More bike trails and a bike shop.	10/15/2015 5:24 PM
325	Mountain Biking Kayaking	10/15/2015 4:16 PM
326	Zip lines, water park. This area needs things to do with children. We are very limited in Roanoke.	10/15/2015 3:10 PM
327	Renn fest	10/15/2015 2:42 PM
328	I realize this is a tall order, but occasional horseback trail riding (rentals, for those of us who don't own a horse) would be great.	10/15/2015 1:11 PM
329	Rv camping and or a lodge type hotel.	10/15/2015 9:10 AM
330	A whitewater park	10/15/2015 9:07 AM
331	Coffee shop like Mill Mountain Coffee	10/15/2015 2:29 AM
332	Interactive tours	10/15/2015 12:35 AM
333	More bike and hiking trails, Kayak, ziplines and family friendly activities. Winter sports.	10/14/2015 11:10 PM
334	RV camping and bluegrass festivals	10/14/2015 9:02 PM
335	Shows, outdoor activities	10/14/2015 7:50 PM
336	zip lines, ropes course, mountain biking, kayak course I've gone out of town monthly for 3 years for these activities	10/14/2015 7:01 PM
337	zipline, cabins, riverwalks	10/14/2015 4:13 PM
338	Build an amusement park.	10/14/2015 12:33 PM
339	Trail and camping spots picnic what and swimming during the summer months	10/14/2015 12:06 PM
340	The further development of the river area as an attraction, and increasing the ability to get to and use the water way.	10/14/2015 10:56 AM
341	Nature park with options to rent equipment	10/14/2015 9:07 AM
342	walking paths or hiking trails	10/13/2015 6:40 PM
343	18 hole disc golf course with a pro shop.	10/13/2015 6:29 PM
344	A18 hole Disk Golf Course and a family Camp Ground.	10/13/2015 6:10 PM
345	Ones that did not spend any tax dollars	10/13/2015 1:03 PM
346	I would love to see more camping/RV'ing. Roanoke County would gain the revenue instead of people traveling to State Parks and spending their money there.	10/13/2015 8:36 AM
347	River walk	10/13/2015 6:31 AM
348	disc golf	10/13/2015 12:03 AM
349	Mountain Biking, Retail such as a brewery and/or restaurant	10/12/2015 9:39 PM
350	camping	10/12/2015 9:31 PM
351	world class dic golf course	10/12/2015 8:48 PM
352	Camp ground	10/12/2015 8:18 PM



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353	Keeping it clean and accessible, with good trails, markers and maps. Events to emphasize the outdoors and adventure aspects, like kayaking and camping along the river with a guide perhaps.	10/12/2015 4:41 PM
354	Zip lines and rafting	10/12/2015 3:41 PM
355	Something we don't have elsewhere. Concerts are put on downtown Roanoke and now Dr Pepper Park and local breweries. As far as breweries, they're all doing well and people seem to like them. We don't have anything adventurous like zip lines and a good splash valley type park. A wide open area to picnic and options of paved walking and off path type hiking would be good. A good area for weddings would do well also.	10/12/2015 2:38 PM
356	Fishing	10/12/2015 2:38 PM
357	Make it an outdoor destination!	10/12/2015 2:28 PM
358	back country camping spaces, races	10/12/2015 2:19 PM
359	A Zip line area would be a great asset to the valley. Also expanded bike trails and a connection to the existing greenways.	10/12/2015 2:19 PM
360	This is a perfect location for a large concert venue which could double as an area to hold local events. While still keeping the outdoor feel and incorporate trails and other outdoor activities.	10/12/2015 1:21 PM
361	Walking trails with nature education along the trails, kayak launch with available rental, campsites and facilities.	10/12/2015 12:17 PM
362	several zip lines	10/12/2015 11:58 AM
363	I wonder if the local market would support some art and craft workshops of a day's duration	10/12/2015 11:32 AM
364	local history attractions	10/12/2015 11:28 AM
365	cottages for rent, special events with showing of old buildings, people dressed in old clothes, like it was when first opened. Areas for large reunions and rentals. A playground	10/12/2015 11:25 AM
366	Festivals (craft/art/music) food and drinks	10/12/2015 11:21 AM
367	I would like to have a zip line and a good restaurant, something on the comfort food side but accessible for all budgets. As county more needs to be done to have our own community enjoy it, before we can bring people from outside. Make it fun.	10/12/2015 10:35 AM
368	family oriented	10/12/2015 9:40 AM
369	festivals, concerts, reenactments	10/12/2015 9:36 AM
370	History interpretation / displays	10/12/2015 9:32 AM
371	Would love to see trails available to horses and equestrians. Happy to share trails with bicycles and hikers. All groups commit to sharing and keeping trails clean	10/12/2015 9:25 AM
372	Perhaps a restaurant - set back in time, a farmers' market, campground for RVs, botanical gardens and fishing opportunities	10/12/2015 9:17 AM
373	Water park would be great for families	10/12/2015 9:10 AM
374	Water park and Lodge would be very nice	10/12/2015 8:58 AM
375	I would like to see the historical exhibits opened and expanded on. As well as recreational activities.	10/12/2015 8:52 AM
376	zipline	10/12/2015 8:13 AM
377	Fishing,camping	10/12/2015 12:11 AM
378	Rustic camping with private wooded lots. With camp hosts and an amphitheater for acoustic concerts.	10/11/2015 7:35 PM
379	Family Fun. Zip lines would be great. SPLASH PARK!	10/11/2015 5:47 PM
380	Mountain Bike Trails	10/11/2015 1:58 PM
381	Mountain biking trails	10/11/2015 1:52 PM
382	I would like to see the natural beauty of the park left...hiking trails, bike trails. A botanical garden only if it were to showcase the indigenous wildflowers and plants. I don't think the area should be over developed-especially since it is along the Blue Ridge Parkway, it should highlight the natural environs. If it gets overdeveloped, you lose it's value.	10/11/2015 9:51 AM
383	camping, accessible trails, and MAYBE a brewery	10/11/2015 9:04 AM
384	Cabin rentals, children's playground, restaurant, zoo, gift shop, educational activities	10/11/2015 12:14 AM

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385	Equestrian	10/10/2015 11:45 PM
386	Hiking trails, campsites, bathrooms and and showers for the campsites, maybe some cabins. Anything related to nature and the beauty of nature would be nice, like botanical gardens, nature center, riverwalk would be nice. Some special events with music would be nice, like the bluegrass events at the Mill Mountain former campsite area. But please don't make it too commercial. It's nice to have a place to come to that isn't overly developed and that has nature and the outdoors as the primary attraction. My husband and I have enjoyed the most just having the opportunity to walk and hike in a quiet, peaceful and lovely place, where we could just enjoy being outside and in nature. We like that it is so peaceful and quiet and that you can really feel like you have the chance to just get some walk outside in nature without noise or commotion going on around you. Quiet and a peaceful experience are precious in the modern world and we hope that very important aspect of Explore Park can be preserved.	10/10/2015 10:36 PM
387	Paved accessible trails	10/10/2015 8:11 PM
388	I would love to see participation in the local food movement with a focus on Virginia Heritage. Plant ID classes would be interesting as well are foraging ones	10/10/2015 6:59 PM
389	additional trails, development of additional mountain and road biking opportunities	10/10/2015 6:09 PM
390	Ziplines, adventure park type activities	10/10/2015 4:50 PM
391	Mountain bike trails / park	10/10/2015 1:20 PM
392	Cultural heritage diaplay and hiking trails.	10/10/2015 12:47 PM
393	Family afortable	10/10/2015 10:56 AM
394	Trails and areas for families and children	10/10/2015 10:55 AM
395	Lodge, cabin	10/10/2015 8:47 AM
396	I want it to b about nature and historical if you add an attraction it wold ruin the purpose of the park	10/10/2015 8:39 AM
397	River sports	10/10/2015 7:38 AM
398	Ziplines would be fun but cabins first.	10/10/2015 5:22 AM
399	An actual park! Something for kids and adults	10/10/2015 12:21 AM
400	Zipline	10/9/2015 10:49 PM
401	Zip lines would be amazing. The hiking trails are great but need to be better taken care of.	10/9/2015 8:43 PM
402	dog friendly area	10/9/2015 8:26 PM
403	Amusement/water park	10/9/2015 8:14 PM
404	Availability of outdoor activities, kayaking, fishing hiking, biking, concerts zip line, etc.	10/9/2015 5:09 PM
405	Amphitheater	10/9/2015 3:19 PM
406	Cabins, camp ground, trails, river access	10/9/2015 3:10 PM
407	musical events sculpture park nature Center/trails	10/9/2015 2:54 PM
408	Anything that focuses on fauna, flora and local history.	10/9/2015 2:32 PM
409	swimming	10/9/2015 12:02 PM
410	hiking trails and nature centers	10/9/2015 11:58 AM
411	Mountain biking trail	10/9/2015 11:58 AM
412	I would most like to see horse back riding.	10/9/2015 11:57 AM
413	kayaking	10/9/2015 11:57 AM
414	i dont know i have never been there.	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
415	hiking trails	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
416	zoos	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
417	i don't know	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
418	Perhaps a Nature Watch, where there are designated areas with signs showing when and where you can see certain animals.	10/9/2015 11:53 AM

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419	Nature Huts	10/9/2015 11:52 AM
420	The cool ones	10/9/2015 11:52 AM
421	Zip lines and other such adventure programs, hiking trails.	10/9/2015 11:50 AM
422	rollercoaster	10/9/2015 11:50 AM
423	The Hiking trails	10/9/2015 11:49 AM
424	Family Bathrooms	10/9/2015 11:49 AM
425	BMX Course / Track Restaurant - not a chain restaurant - one that would attract people from the Roanoke and surrounding areas - something like the Homeplace Restaurant in Catawba or the old Brugh's Tavern. It needs to be a restaurant that has regular hours.	10/9/2015 11:39 AM
426	Parks, kids playing and having fun, and parents sitting comfortably watching their kids.	10/9/2015 10:26 AM
427	water activities	10/9/2015 10:18 AM
428	ziplines	10/9/2015 10:18 AM
429	Fishing access	10/9/2015 10:17 AM
430	Lots of Recreational activities for youth and adults	10/9/2015 10:17 AM
431	n/a	10/9/2015 10:17 AM
432	A water park.	10/9/2015 10:16 AM
433	park	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
434	q8q3834y4t34yv85we8v7teyrrw	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
435	wildlife	10/9/2015 10:13 AM
436	white water rafting	10/9/2015 10:13 AM
437	a lake to fish at	10/9/2015 10:13 AM
438	wildlife	10/9/2015 10:11 AM
439	ziplines	10/9/2015 10:11 AM
440	Fishing	10/9/2015 10:11 AM
441	Zip lines!!	10/9/2015 10:10 AM
442	Biking and ayaking	10/9/2015 10:09 AM
443	I have no idea.	10/9/2015 10:06 AM
444	zipline	10/9/2015 9:42 AM
445	a lazy river	10/9/2015 9:39 AM
446	At an Explore Park, I would like to see campsites, and have fishing access.	10/9/2015 9:37 AM
447	I would most likely see hiking, camping.	10/9/2015 9:37 AM
448	Fishing and Kayaking	10/9/2015 9:36 AM
449	HORSES, WOLVES, ANIMALS IN GENERAL I WANT TO PET THEM	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
450	horses	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
451	ziplines	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
452	Water/Scenery Overlooks	10/9/2015 9:31 AM
453	i would most likly like to see ziplines	10/9/2015 9:26 AM
454	Greenery	10/9/2015 9:24 AM
455	A nature walk.	10/9/2015 9:17 AM
456	Ziplining	10/9/2015 9:15 AM
457	none	10/9/2015 9:12 AM

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458	I have no idea, i have never been	10/9/2015 9:12 AM
459	Butterfly Garden	10/9/2015 9:11 AM
460	hiking/fishing	10/9/2015 9:07 AM
461	Ziplines	10/8/2015 9:32 PM
462	We need a botanical garden in Roanoke Valley!! The botanical gardens in Booth Bay harbor in Maine are a wonderful example of a highly successful attraction. Always love hiking, biking, kayak launching.	10/8/2015 12:10 PM
463	Recreation, hiking trails, events	10/8/2015 9:50 AM
464	Great bike trails.	10/8/2015 9:38 AM
465	Kayaking	10/8/2015 9:37 AM
466	Tree house cabins and kayak rental launch. A small amphitheater and restaurant with an over look type bar seating with craft beers.	10/8/2015 9:27 AM
467	Splash park	10/8/2015 8:49 AM
468	Camping. There are now no places to camp in the Roanoke Valley.	10/8/2015 8:45 AM
469	Water access.	10/8/2015 7:07 AM
470	Biking & Hiking trails	10/8/2015 4:04 AM
471	Mountain Biking and Camping.	10/8/2015 12:23 AM
472	Winery or brewery with lodging. Similar to the Biltmore Estate. Like a destination themed park.	10/7/2015 11:13 PM
473	Hiking Trails with good vistas, Special needs kids' trails, kayaking, brewery	10/7/2015 11:10 PM
474	It must be retained in a natural state, that's what makes it so special. We have enough commercialism and certainly don't need to mess up this pristine area by adding campsites/ rv spaces and other similar things. I appreciate that wildlife has a safe environment in which to live peacefully, it is a special treat to go out on a run and see nature at its best. I understand the economic problem, explore park needs to "earn" it's keep. But let's be good stewards of nature and do the right thing. We have camping at Roanoke mountain, it is not at capacity. I go to explore park weekly, I know every trail out there. That is what I love about this very special place. I would support running/ hiking events, nature tours, even dining services but I would not support more unneeded development. We don't have many spaces like this left, I really want to preserve this space to the best of our ability.	10/7/2015 8:13 PM
475	Nature preserve	10/7/2015 8:08 PM
476	adventure/ropes course AFFORDABLE for middle class to frequent	10/7/2015 8:05 PM
477	Cultural heritage displays	10/7/2015 7:42 PM
478	anything involving outdoor physical activities	10/7/2015 4:59 PM
479	Amphitheater! It's out enough that noise violations wouldn't be an issue and with the space, we could get bigger names and artists. Also adventure activities such as ziplines and an aerial park would be great because there is not one around here.	10/7/2015 4:46 PM
480	Adventure Themed zip line, ropes course, rock climbing wall, water spray park	10/7/2015 4:02 PM
481	Mountain bike skills area	10/7/2015 2:08 PM
482	Better whitewater! Scheduled releases from the dam for just a couple of hours each Saturday and Sunday combined with some enhanced whitewater play features on the Roanoke River would be great! Also, improving the water quality and amount of garbage along the river would improve the whitewater experience.	10/7/2015 1:38 PM
483	Opening of Brewery / Restaurant The Brugh Tavern	10/7/2015 11:57 AM
484	Mountain bike trails - my son is learning to ride.	10/7/2015 11:38 AM
485	Zip lines would be cool. But more maintained trails.	10/7/2015 10:55 AM
486	Adventure tourism would be a great asset to the region. Ziplines, whitewater park	10/7/2015 10:20 AM
487	I love going to Charlotte to their white water center! It really draws people from all over!!	10/7/2015 10:00 AM
488	Zip lines would be amazing. Cafe, restaurant. Cabins.	10/7/2015 7:13 AM
489	Aerial Park	10/6/2015 11:19 PM

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490	Horseback Riding Trails	10/6/2015 10:22 PM
491	Amusement Park	10/6/2015 9:29 PM
492	Primitive recreation. Please don't overdevelop like many state parks. Although I'd love the river trail to have better river access for hikers.	10/6/2015 9:18 PM
493	Paved bike trails	10/6/2015 8:22 PM
494	Fishing and nature attractions	10/6/2015 6:48 PM
495	Better maintained mountain bike trails. I'd love to see ziplining. I don't know of any other park in the area that would offer that special type of fun. It would be a great marketing tool to get citizens to go to the park. However, I'm not sure if county insurance would cover possible injuries or if a waiver form would be required to sign. I'd also love to see sledding and a tobogganing run.	10/6/2015 6:00 PM
496	Equine Park and Trails.	10/6/2015 4:47 PM
497	Nature/ adventure ie hiking, biking, river access	10/6/2015 4:28 PM
498	Accessible activities that families can participate in without having to pay a heavy fee each time. Ziplines are great, but expensive and definitely do that once, but maybe that's all. Mountain biking, hiking, walking trails, picnics, disc golf, etc. all great options.	10/6/2015 4:11 PM
499	Equestrian Facilities	10/6/2015 4:10 PM
500	Dollywood	10/6/2015 4:07 PM
501	I would love to see educational things such as someone talking about the wildlife. When I visited the park before it closed the first time I was in love with the living history and the storytelling about the past I feel those would be great to have to showcase the history of the area.	10/6/2015 4:04 PM
502	Equestrian trails	10/6/2015 2:50 PM
503	I'd like to see a zip line and an aerial park, as well as a camp ground	10/6/2015 2:48 PM
504	Theme park	10/6/2015 2:44 PM
505	what I would likt to see at Explore park is a nice fishing spot close to home or a form of camping.	10/6/2015 2:18 PM
506	Outdoor activites (ex.Trails, campsites, fishing, river canoeing/kayaking)	10/6/2015 2:16 PM
507	a beautiful landscape and along with fun activities and to be out in the relatively untamed wild wild but save from a number if worries such as animals	10/6/2015 2:13 PM
508	Theme park Water park Animal preserve	10/6/2015 2:10 PM
509	REPLICA OF SHADOW MOSES ISLAND METAL GEAR METAL GEAR poparts	10/6/2015 2:09 PM
510	I would like to see zip lining and outdoors activities. You should model it after the nation white water rafting center in Charlotte NC.	10/6/2015 2:05 PM
511	Anything fishing	10/6/2015 2:05 PM
512	I would love to see horse trails and campsites that would accomodate horses to be stabled while visiting there for overnight camping	10/6/2015 1:54 PM
513	State or national park; preservation of natural resources	10/6/2015 1:49 PM
514	Outdoor recreation opportunities, Appalachian culture/heritage and history events	10/6/2015 1:21 PM
515	Outdoor activities	10/6/2015 12:34 PM
516	Indian Village	10/6/2015 12:05 PM
517	I think that i theme park would be nice	10/6/2015 12:02 PM
518	Ziplines	10/6/2015 11:57 AM
519	RV/Campsite	10/6/2015 11:54 AM
520	ZIPLINE!!	10/6/2015 11:49 AM
521	Amusement Park, Rides, Attractions.	10/6/2015 11:47 AM
522	HORSEBACK RIDING with designated trails, camping, and parking.	10/6/2015 11:33 AM
523	more trails for running, hiking, and biking	10/6/2015 10:49 AM

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524	What better place to put camping near the river. Make river accessible to the handicap. Make park accessible to the older crowd. Make it safe to be there. Hate that Roanoke Campground closed.	10/6/2015 10:43 AM
525	I'd like hiking, river access and rentals, and a brewery.	10/6/2015 10:38 AM
526	I dont really want the nature thats there to be lost so definitely anything thats gonna keep it there.	10/6/2015 10:29 AM
527	I love the idea of an amusement park or just something very nature oriented	10/6/2015 10:26 AM
528	A skatepark for skateboarders or bmx riders	10/6/2015 10:22 AM
529	waterpark	10/6/2015 10:20 AM
530	I would like to see campsites at Explore Park	10/6/2015 10:19 AM
531	A good restaurant and lodge (affordable food) nice gift shop	10/6/2015 10:14 AM
532	dinsey	10/6/2015 10:04 AM
533	Zipline, kayaking, greenway paved trail	10/6/2015 10:02 AM
534	Camping-it's a long drive to find a good campsite near roanoke	10/6/2015 9:58 AM
535	Hiking, nature activities	10/6/2015 9:53 AM
536	Horse trails.	10/6/2015 9:26 AM
537	Tri-sport races	10/6/2015 9:25 AM
538	Camping, hiking, with ability to get closer to the river area by vehicle. . I would then visit a few times a week.	10/6/2015 8:02 AM
539	Any sort of outdoor adventure activity. I am very excited by the prospect of a zip lining site so close to my home. Honestly, every option in question five excites me. I wouldn't be disappointed no matter what direction the board chooses at this point.	10/6/2015 8:02 AM
540	Brewery, river walk,	10/6/2015 2:55 AM
541	Living history	10/6/2015 2:35 AM
542	Tree house cabins, zip lines, white water park, bmx/ mountain bike park	10/6/2015 12:14 AM
543	Horse trails and horse camping	10/5/2015 10:39 PM
544	Zip lines, Water Park, canoe/kayak rental, hiking and biking trails, campground, swimming pool, restaurant	10/5/2015 8:39 PM
545	Roanoke could use a "natural playground" similar to Boxerwood Gardens. Also, since Roanoke Mnt Campground closed, there is not any decent camping close by so I could see camping as a valuable assent to Explore Park. I believe that passive recreation is what people want but if too many people start to use the area, litter could become a problem, especially looking at Rutrough Point.	10/5/2015 8:26 PM
546	Camping opportunities with water and electrical hookups. These amenities are not offered anywhere on the parkway. Just think what a draw that would be for parkway travelers who want a little creature comfort!	10/5/2015 6:51 PM
547	Kayak and canoe access and facilities, white water park	10/5/2015 6:32 PM
548	Brewery or Brew Pub.	10/5/2015 3:49 PM
549	Lodge/Restaurant/Lodging	10/5/2015 3:49 PM
550	Shaded playgrounds, spray park, cabins	10/5/2015 3:38 PM
551	Maintenance and expansion of bike trails and improved river access for whitewater with scheduled releases from Niagara down	10/5/2015 3:37 PM
552	Museum of local culture and natural world	10/5/2015 3:28 PM
553	Adventure tourism	10/5/2015 3:22 PM
554	Horse trails	10/5/2015 3:17 PM
555	Equestrian trails & horse camping area	10/5/2015 3:14 PM
556	Passive recreation, river access, hiking trails	10/5/2015 3:07 PM
557	The 18th century historical Early Settlers Community as was part of the original plan	10/5/2015 2:59 PM
558	A tourism or other event space	10/5/2015 2:35 PM
559	RV park with cabin rentals. Nice restaurant with local theme	10/5/2015 2:32 PM

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560	Something run by an actual business so it has a chance of success	10/5/2015 1:52 PM
561	Camping with option for nice family cabins like the ones found at many VA state parks. Would like to see amenities involving river access (canoe/kayak/tubing etc.) and believe that a zipline/aerial park would be a great addition that surprisingly isn't found anywhere else currently in the Valley.	10/5/2015 1:07 PM
562	I would like to see a new observation deck of some sort. I would also like to see many kid-friendly aspects.	10/5/2015 12:39 PM
563	A zipline for fun and you can see nature. Nature hiking trails.	10/5/2015 12:33 PM
564	Hiking, biking, riverwalk trails, and nature themed attractions.	10/5/2015 12:31 PM
565	Any adventurous type of activity that would be fun for younger people.	10/5/2015 12:31 PM
566	More mountain biking trails. I love mountain biking up there. If you are referring to a new attraction, then probably a canoe/kayak launch.	10/5/2015 12:28 PM
567	zip lining, water activities	10/5/2015 12:28 PM
568	Water park/Theme park	10/5/2015 12:26 PM
569	Nature themed amusement park. Waterpark... rides that blend or enhance natural surroundings. ... definitely need camping and RV sites. Zip lines are a good start, but need to accommodate the less adventurous.	10/5/2015 12:18 PM
570	hotel-type lodge	10/5/2015 11:27 AM
571	River Access is very important and if possible whitewater feature	10/5/2015 10:44 AM
572	I would like to see some kind of recreational center, where a variety of activities are offered. And not just the generic frisbee golf, ultimate football etc.	10/5/2015 10:21 AM
573	Ziplines/Aerial Park	10/5/2015 10:19 AM
574	A ziplining park	10/5/2015 10:18 AM
575	zip lines or water park	10/5/2015 10:17 AM
576	ziplines	10/5/2015 10:15 AM
577	bike/horse riding trails	10/5/2015 10:12 AM
578	Whitewater coarse and aerial park.	10/5/2015 9:45 AM
579	River walk	10/5/2015 9:42 AM
580	Off Leash Dog Park/Trails	10/5/2015 9:11 AM
581	Something cool, like ziplines	10/5/2015 9:03 AM
582	Waterpark,ziplines,music venue,	10/5/2015 9:01 AM
583	Horseback riding trails; riding arena, stalls for overnight camping Dog park; dog-friendly trails	10/5/2015 8:53 AM
584	something that doesn't completely ruin the park, make it nature friendly and something cheap that everyone can enjoy	10/5/2015 8:48 AM
585	a trampoline park	10/5/2015 8:44 AM
586	more trails	10/5/2015 8:44 AM
587	Biking	10/5/2015 8:43 AM
588	nature	10/5/2015 8:42 AM
589	if nobody goes there, just leave it alone	10/5/2015 8:42 AM
590	I would like you guys to leave the wonderful nature alone, please.	10/5/2015 8:42 AM
591	Ultimate Frisbee ground	10/5/2015 8:40 AM
592	Bike trails connected to Roanoke river greenway	10/5/2015 7:24 AM
593	whitewater park	10/5/2015 6:50 AM
594	I'd like to see an area where nature is preserved and assessable to the public	10/5/2015 6:36 AM
595	Family friendly	10/5/2015 6:30 AM
596	Zipline, amphitheater, and nature center	10/5/2015 1:13 AM

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597	Amusement park	10/5/2015 12:56 AM
598	Whitewater park. perfect location and would draw boaters from all over virginia	10/5/2015 12:48 AM
599	So thing that revolves around the mountain biking scene in Roanoke, with camping and safe places to get in the river and relax	10/4/2015 9:15 PM
600	Trails, music, food, wine, beer	10/4/2015 9:08 PM
601	Equestrian camping and horse trails	10/4/2015 9:05 PM
602	Natural areas for families to safely enjoy the outdoors.	10/4/2015 8:06 PM
603	Recreation opportunities that would incorporate camping, hiking, nature, heritage	10/4/2015 8:02 PM
604	I would like to see more mountain bike trails, hiking trails, and an zip lines.	10/4/2015 7:27 PM
605	hiking trails better marked and in better condition long hiking trail along as much of the river as possible	10/4/2015 7:26 PM
606	I would like to see the drain on the county closed and never spend one more dollar of tax payer money wasted on it forever why don't the supervisors get it? close it up guys.	10/4/2015 6:33 PM
607	18 hole disc golf course and expanded hiking/biking loops.	10/4/2015 6:26 PM
608	Camping, equipment rentals, water feature	10/4/2015 5:52 PM
609	Ziplines and water access would be awesome!	10/4/2015 4:25 PM
610	Camping with water activities with education.	10/4/2015 4:08 PM
611	I would love to see costumed interpreters back in the Historical Area.	10/4/2015 3:09 PM
612	Outdoor adventure	10/4/2015 3:02 PM
613	I would like to see a pier or boat launch I would like to see a fly fishing class held here I would also like to see an area to rent equipment at	10/4/2015 1:32 PM
614	Brewery, Restaurant, zip line, tree house cabins, campsites, whitewater park, showers, concerts	10/4/2015 1:23 PM
615	Equine facilities, including arenas, trails, and overnight camping facilities for horseback campers, organized trail rides. An outdoor equine eventing area similar to Green Hill Park would be a huge boost to the horse enthusiasts along the Parkway, and be a potential tourist draw as well.	10/4/2015 1:16 PM
616	Horseback riding!	10/4/2015 12:03 PM
617	Cabins and hiking	10/4/2015 12:01 PM
618	Horse trails and camping and stall area	10/4/2015 11:32 AM
619	Activities that stay true to the natural landscape and provide more opportunities to experience the existing natural beauty; kayaking, paddleboarding, fishing, swimming, hiking, biking, river walks, tree houses, nature centers, botanical gardens, kids activities like educational classes and playground that blends with in with surroundings.	10/4/2015 10:31 AM
620	Water park /campground	10/4/2015 10:27 AM
621	Kayaking park	10/4/2015 10:24 AM
622	Anything to do with kayaking or being on the river.	10/4/2015 9:34 AM
623	People	10/4/2015 9:33 AM
624	I can't say I can pick one. I think having a large outdoor pavilion that could accommodate larger named acts with the keeping the park in its natural beauty and offering activities like kayak rentals, zip line, trails etc would be a great addition to the community. I spend a lot of time at carvins cove, a park similar to that bit with a few differences would do well on this side of town.	10/4/2015 9:21 AM
625	horse trails	10/4/2015 9:11 AM
626	Whitewater park	10/4/2015 7:43 AM
627	Camp ground	10/4/2015 7:39 AM
628	equine trails, events,	10/4/2015 7:39 AM
629	Adventure. Camping. Tree house lodging	10/4/2015 6:56 AM
630	Equestrian events, Equestrian trail access	10/4/2015 6:50 AM



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631	Hiking trails, preservation of natural areas	10/4/2015 6:13 AM
632	zip lines and canopy tours	10/4/2015 2:55 AM
633	Mountain bike park/course	10/4/2015 1:27 AM
634	Hiking trails with plants identified. Also more strenuous hikes available.	10/3/2015 11:34 PM
635	Kayaking water park.	10/3/2015 11:01 PM
636	A covered Playground. Would be great for not only rainy days, but for sun protection as well. An indoor playground option would be wonderful! We don't have anything like that in the surrounding area.	10/3/2015 9:49 PM
637	River running between parkway bridge and back creek boat launch.	10/3/2015 8:55 PM
638	Disc golf ..pro tournament course.	10/3/2015 8:36 PM
639	RV camping. There is none in this area.	10/3/2015 8:30 PM
640	Equestrian trails	10/3/2015 7:42 PM
641	Equestrian trails and equestrian camping facilities	10/3/2015 7:33 PM
642	Camping	10/3/2015 7:13 PM
643	Tree house cabin rentals. Cabins. Tent camping.	10/3/2015 7:12 PM
644	zipline	10/3/2015 6:24 PM
645	I like the idea of a zip line because the closest ones to Roanoke are over an hour away. However, I would not support anything that is harmful to the natural beauty of the area.	10/3/2015 5:20 PM
646	Water park or amusement rides or campground	10/3/2015 4:05 PM
647	Pump track	10/3/2015 3:58 PM
648	Recreational village based loosely on The Village near Flint, MI. Some kind of town based on major ethnicity of the area.	10/3/2015 2:01 PM
649	Focus on the outdoors.	10/3/2015 1:56 PM
650	Nature trails, marked and easy to follow. Picnic areas. Reasonable and unobtrusive parking.	10/3/2015 1:53 PM
651	A dark sky area for stargazing--an open space WITHIN the Park (the parking areas along the Roanoke River Parkway suffer too much from Roanoke skyglow) in and around which fully shielded lighting is used that can be switched off at night--with stargazing programs offered to the public.	10/3/2015 12:14 PM
652	A great place to bring a family for awesome outdoor activities	10/3/2015 11:59 AM
653	More White water kayak , hiking, and biking activities	10/3/2015 11:57 AM
654	rv park mt trails waterpark	10/3/2015 11:47 AM
655	Low impact outdoor use like tent camping (w central facilities and fire pits), hiking, biking. Carefully implemented zip line/canopy tour. Boat launch and equipment rental. Someone mentioned archery range and that would be very cool. Also I love the historic structures there and hope they will stay.	10/3/2015 11:37 AM
656	Kid friendly and family adventure	10/3/2015 10:39 AM
657	Horse trails, horse trailer parking for day use and horse camping	10/3/2015 10:19 AM
658	kayak launch	10/3/2015 9:58 AM
659	An outdoor adventure area that includes weekend camping	10/3/2015 9:49 AM
660	Tubing, water park, place to swim, camping, treehouse cabin rentals, tenting.	10/3/2015 9:39 AM
661	Outdoor recreation mainly geared around the river including but not limited to kayaking, paddle board, fishing, biking, rock climbing	10/3/2015 9:12 AM
662	Keep the nature in the Explore Park, its one of the most beautiful spacious areas in the Roanoke Valley. Keep the attractions that involve getting into nature on a personal fun experience: hiking, kayaking, camping, keep the beauty, there a lots of water parks people can access and go to but how many white water rafting parks are there?	10/3/2015 8:27 AM
663	Camping and or cabins	10/3/2015 8:22 AM
664	Race	10/3/2015 8:10 AM

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665	Something to add to Roanoke being outdoor town. Maybe something similar to us whitewater center in Charlotte. But still keep the area open to outdoor Rec and camping	10/3/2015 7:17 AM
666	Educational programs	10/3/2015 2:31 AM
667	Kayaking and hiking campground would be awesome	10/3/2015 12:36 AM
668	Amphitheater	10/2/2015 11:24 PM
669	More fishing things, stocking and conservation, kayak/canoe ramps/access	10/2/2015 11:10 PM
670	Cabins, biking trails, kayaking	10/2/2015 10:18 PM
671	Whitewater Course	10/2/2015 10:09 PM
672	Ampitheatre, brewery, white water center, trails	10/2/2015 9:45 PM
673	Horseback Riding.	10/2/2015 9:08 PM
674	Some thing that are for the seniors and transportation to out of way place for the seniors	10/2/2015 8:45 PM
675	Splash Parks are always wonderful when you have little ones, as well as playgrounds! Covered Playgrounds are the best too!!	10/2/2015 8:02 PM
676	Disc golf. Mountain biking	10/2/2015 7:08 PM
677	something like the "Party in the Park" events.	10/2/2015 6:40 PM
678	horse riding trails and biking	10/2/2015 6:20 PM
679	Rv / tent camping, kayaking, adventure course, riverwalk	10/2/2015 6:02 PM
680	18 hole disc golf course	10/2/2015 5:58 PM
681	Any types of water sports (kayaking, rafting, canoeing, water park, etc.); fishing; camping; hiking	10/2/2015 5:38 PM
682	The Roanoke Greenway to be completed and have it to connect to the Explore Park. With a Bed/Breakfast location for visitors and people on the Greenway to stay overnight. I love to bike/walk on trails. To have a restaurant like the HomePlace it's full every time we visit. Pigeon Forge has a lot of options that would fit (i.e. dinner shows, magic, theme shows, etc.) this would work year round. Sometime like Dave & Busters good food and clean arcades for young and old people.	10/2/2015 5:31 PM
683	DISC GOLF!!	10/2/2015 5:13 PM
684	Zip line adventure	10/2/2015 4:40 PM
685	Mainly hiking, fishing, walking, kayaking, paddleboarding and enjoying nature. I'm not interested in retail or commercial venues.	10/2/2015 4:12 PM
686	There is nowhere in this whole region that offers Treehouses for rent. Other than that, river stuff.	10/2/2015 4:05 PM
687	Nature trails, river walk, botanical garden using native plants, fishing opportunities, tubing like on the New River, cabins and restaurant for overnight stays	10/2/2015 3:46 PM
688	Paved bike paths and a restaurant or Beer Garden overlooking the river.	10/2/2015 3:14 PM
689	White water features in river. High end skills park for mountain biking, bmx jumps, pump track, etc. Brewery or brew house place.	10/2/2015 2:20 PM
690	I haven't been to Explore Park in YEARS. When I went, I remember it being very dull. Not a place I'd return. Roanoke needs a GOOD amphitheater - like Farm Bureau Live in Virginia Beach. That would get them on the circuit of more popular performances and reduce locals from traveling and spending their dollars outside of our area.	10/2/2015 2:16 PM
691	Whitewater park	10/2/2015 1:45 PM
692	Keep it as natural as possible - kayaking, hiking, biking and zipline!	10/2/2015 1:30 PM
693	Horseback riding trails	10/2/2015 1:30 PM
694	Everything outdoor. Bike trails, if there is access to water, kayaking, ropes course and zip lines. Family friendly. I would use it every weekend. If you have access in the winter you could do cross country skiing	10/2/2015 12:53 PM
695	Waterpark, playground, picnic area	10/2/2015 12:44 PM
696	tent camping with a bath house	10/2/2015 12:28 PM
697	Horseback riding with stables and cabin rentals	10/2/2015 12:20 PM

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698	white water park	10/2/2015 12:13 PM
699	I enjoyed the trails and interpretive activities that Explore used to offer, and I realize that these did not make money. I enjoy the parking for river access at the end of Rutrough Road. The attractions that would make probably make money are not what I am looking for in a park.	10/2/2015 12:06 PM
700	Zip lines, playground, spray ground, trampoline park with a clear roof so you can see outside.	10/2/2015 11:49 AM
701	Whitewater features and mountain bike skills park	10/2/2015 11:45 AM
702	I already like the trails, historic area,nature and visitor center with exhibit and video. 1 or 2 restaurants e.g. in Bruge Tavern and Arthur Taubman center and /or smaller food stands. would be a nice addition.Install more interpretive boards/signs, partly text, partly photos /drawings in the historic buildings area (like they have at Booker T. Washington National Monument).	10/2/2015 11:40 AM
703	Something like the National Whitewater Center in Charlotte.	10/2/2015 11:36 AM
704	Put in a surf wave!	10/2/2015 11:29 AM
705	Trails	10/2/2015 11:28 AM
706	I'm a teacher so the educational part	10/2/2015 10:50 AM
707	canoe, kayak rentals Ziplines, primitive camping only, fishing areas, ease of parking and transportation of people and fishing equip, etc. to the designated areas and utv / atv trails with restrictions (no walking / hiking / bicycles on those trails)	10/2/2015 10:37 AM
708	General Outdoor recreations opportunities as well as equipment rentals.	10/2/2015 10:36 AM
709	I'd love to see more places to hike and camp, but I've always wanted to try ziplines.	10/2/2015 10:27 AM
710	I cannot emphasize enough my desire to see a Whitewater play park/course developed at explore park. This one addition could transform Roanoke into a one-stop outdoor wonderland.	10/2/2015 10:25 AM
711	Kayak Whitewater park developed along the entire gorge, with a specific "park and play" area where people could hang out and watch the paddlers.	10/2/2015 10:18 AM
712	Mostly the old historical Explore park interpretative, but given little chance of funding for that, I would hope for guided nature hikes and well kept trails with information about trees and animals.	10/2/2015 10:13 AM
713	More mountain bike trails. MTB races.	10/2/2015 10:13 AM
714	A Kayak watercourse with play wave features.	10/2/2015 10:00 AM
715	Ziplines	10/2/2015 9:59 AM
716	I would like to see a zipline or ropes course.	10/2/2015 9:51 AM
717	Focus on keeping it wild, but still accessible to the public with smart trail design and good boating access	10/2/2015 9:49 AM
718	Natural ones	10/2/2015 9:48 AM
719	Kayak and SUP rental, nice launch spot, well maintained restrooms, local festivals, restaurant, overnight group accommodation and activities.	10/2/2015 9:37 AM
720	Family oriented adventure/outdoor activity based attractions	10/2/2015 9:22 AM
721	I can see ziplines / aerial park being appealing to many...though I may not be the one to use it. I would like bike and hiking trails and boat access.	10/2/2015 9:17 AM
722	Preservation of the historic buildings and camping	10/2/2015 9:06 AM
723	18 hole championship-level disc golf course	10/2/2015 9:06 AM
724	I miss the restaurant! A brewery with food would be a hit! I love running your trails. My husband would love a full disc golf course (18 holes). It would be great to rent SUPs there!!	10/2/2015 8:56 AM
725	microbrewery and canoe/kayak rentals	10/2/2015 8:31 AM
726	Whitewater park	10/2/2015 7:59 AM
727	Kayaking, zip lining, bike trails and fishing access	10/2/2015 7:38 AM
728	Disc golf course!	10/2/2015 7:20 AM
729	Connect Roanoke River to Explorer Park with trails and bridge Zip line/ aerial park	10/2/2015 7:14 AM

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730	I would like to see the Greenway bike trail extend to explore park and several easy bike paths in the park. Secondly, I'd be interested in special events including historical music and presentations, etc.	10/2/2015 7:12 AM
731	Whitewater park	10/2/2015 7:04 AM
732	A nature/education center	10/2/2015 6:51 AM
733	Accessible horseback trails. More equestrian events and facilities.	10/2/2015 5:50 AM
734	Zipline, hiking, biking	10/2/2015 12:00 AM
735	Something with science/environmental education and easily accessed observation of nature. A first class nature center that provides opportunities for all ages	10/1/2015 11:53 PM
736	Historical recreation and campground	10/1/2015 11:45 PM
737	My number one thing I would like to see is a public access Archery range.	10/1/2015 11:32 PM
738	Horseback riding trails. Preferably NOT near bicycle trails.	10/1/2015 11:10 PM
739	Camping resort with adventure activities and equipment rentals.	10/1/2015 11:08 PM
740	Amphitheater, festivals, winery/brewery	10/1/2015 11:05 PM
741	Famfun events a spring and fall super craft events	10/1/2015 10:59 PM
742	Expanded trails including technical trails	10/1/2015 10:45 PM
743	Splash park, public art	10/1/2015 10:44 PM
744	I would love to see horse trails.	10/1/2015 10:32 PM
745	Wilderness area. None of this money spending shit wether it is my taxes or entrance fees. We do not need ziplines, stores, or nature centers. We need to get back to nature and have open to everyone recreation.	10/1/2015 10:25 PM
746	Zip line	10/1/2015 10:11 PM
747	Interpretive nature education, canoeing and kayaking; living history exhibits, esp.reviving the boat and native American exhibits.	10/1/2015 10:10 PM
748	Ziplines	10/1/2015 10:06 PM
749	Covered playground and watee sprouts	10/1/2015 10:05 PM
750	Equestrian trails to go along with the biking trails. Most horse riders in this area get along great with bikers. We have never had a horse to spook at a biker, it's in the training.	10/1/2015 10:00 PM
751	Whitewater kayak course	10/1/2015 9:59 PM
752	More mountain bike trails	10/1/2015 9:59 PM
753	Covered or indoor playground	10/1/2015 9:53 PM
754	Splash park and a state of art playground	10/1/2015 9:51 PM
755	Equestrian trails	10/1/2015 9:47 PM
756	Whitewater course	10/1/2015 9:46 PM
757	Hiking and biking trails	10/1/2015 9:38 PM
758	Playground, treehouses	10/1/2015 9:34 PM
759	Water feature/spray park and zip lines	10/1/2015 9:29 PM
760	Water park/play area. Playgrounds. Picnic area. Zip line. Kayak/canoe rental. Restaurant/brewery/winery.	10/1/2015 9:20 PM
761	Covered playground	10/1/2015 9:10 PM
762	Spray park and zip lines	10/1/2015 9:09 PM
763	Playgrounds and hiking trails	10/1/2015 9:07 PM
764	Kid oriented activities	10/1/2015 9:07 PM
765	Children's activities	10/1/2015 8:59 PM
766	historical reenactment, educating in history	10/1/2015 8:52 PM

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767	Play grounds, swimming	10/1/2015 8:52 PM
768	Anything to do with water, love kayaking and swimming	10/1/2015 8:46 PM
769	Splash pad and indoor play for kids free	10/1/2015 8:45 PM
770	Disc golf	10/1/2015 8:37 PM
771	Highly interested in a Disc Golf course and camping/outdoor adventure.	10/1/2015 8:17 PM
772	Stay natural	10/1/2015 8:16 PM
773	Disc golf, kayak rentals, mountain biking, and zip lines	10/1/2015 8:10 PM
774	Historical re-enacters and nature preserve	10/1/2015 8:08 PM
775	Eco-tourism/ adventures	10/1/2015 7:53 PM
776	Bike skills park	10/1/2015 7:20 PM
777	Running events, obstacle courses	10/1/2015 7:03 PM
778	Zip-line	10/1/2015 6:59 PM
779	amusement park or water park	10/1/2015 6:42 PM
780	Whitewater park	10/1/2015 5:59 PM
781	Disc golf	10/1/2015 5:28 PM
782	Non-traditional play areas for kids and families. There are some awesome examples out there combining nature and play. Variety of trails - more serious bikers/trail runners and separate family-friendly trails. Outdoor music or theater Various levels of climbing	10/1/2015 5:27 PM
783	Family adventure for a reasonable price.	10/1/2015 5:09 PM
784	Adventure Tourism - rafting, zip lines, climbing walls, etc	10/1/2015 4:56 PM
785	More well designed trails.	10/1/2015 4:47 PM
786	Adventure amenities, more mountain biking, zip lines, white water	10/1/2015 4:39 PM
787	Adventure activities. Move mill mtn zoo out there so they could expand and have a better location for animals	10/1/2015 4:27 PM
788	Camping	10/1/2015 4:10 PM
789	Water park, play grounds	10/1/2015 3:52 PM
790	Paved river walk/run trails	10/1/2015 3:42 PM
791	Bike park and more trails	10/1/2015 3:38 PM
792	Access to horse trails please!!!	10/1/2015 3:37 PM
793	Any types of recreational or adventure activities.	10/1/2015 3:33 PM
794	More cycling/hiking trails	10/1/2015 3:23 PM
795	More bike trails, especially trails that can form a race circuit.	10/1/2015 3:21 PM
796	Interpretive Trails	10/1/2015 3:19 PM
797	Handicap accessibility is very important as I need a use a mobility scooter, walking is limited for me.	10/1/2015 3:08 PM
798	Whitewater kayaking	10/1/2015 2:54 PM
799	At the top of my list would be resuming the use of Brugh's Tavern as a restaurant.	10/1/2015 2:46 PM
800	More Mountain bike trails, and tied into the Greenway	10/1/2015 2:46 PM
801	Horseback riding, camping hiking	10/1/2015 2:29 PM
802	Disc Golf	10/1/2015 2:09 PM
803	A whitewater park- modifying the river bed to create rapids while having controlled scheduled releases from the dam. There are countless success stories across the countries of these types of parks generating a lot of users and enthusiasm. By having scheduled releases from the dam in the summer when other rivers are too low, countless numbers of boaters would come to play in the river. Also have regular releases can improve the quality of the water and river biology.	10/1/2015 2:03 PM

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804	Primitive campsites and bike trails	10/1/2015 2:01 PM
805	Whitewater kayaking	10/1/2015 2:00 PM
806	Disc Golf	10/1/2015 1:57 PM
807	Enhanced biking trails	10/1/2015 1:47 PM
808	Disc golf and other sporting activities. Stuff for kids	10/1/2015 1:38 PM
809	Anything that gets people to enjoy recreation!	10/1/2015 1:29 PM
810	Would like to see the trails open to horseback riding, with some special riding events like the ACTHA ride this last August.	10/1/2015 1:26 PM
811	Camping with equestrian facilities	10/1/2015 1:22 PM
812	Disc golf, kayaking	10/1/2015 1:20 PM
813	Disc golf course	10/1/2015 1:16 PM
814	Disc golf course	10/1/2015 1:07 PM
815	Cabins	10/1/2015 1:06 PM
816	I have a lot of friends who love to trail ride, and would LOVE to see equestrian access to the trails at Explore Park!	10/1/2015 1:02 PM
817	BIKING...trail running...hiking	10/1/2015 12:59 PM
818	Horse Trails	10/1/2015 12:58 PM
819	the historic and trails	10/1/2015 12:55 PM
820	a whitewater park for kayakers	10/1/2015 12:50 PM
821	POOL, TENT CAMPING	10/1/2015 12:44 PM
822	whitewater park and mountain bike	10/1/2015 12:35 PM
823	An 18 hole disc golf course.	10/1/2015 12:30 PM
824	Horse back riding trails!	10/1/2015 12:22 PM
825	Add equestrian access to the park	10/1/2015 12:21 PM
826	Disc Golf - This can be added as a low impact activity to the park without taking away from it's beauty. Expanded trails	10/1/2015 12:19 PM
827	just one attraction isn't enough, two or three options is needed to creation an interest to use the park	10/1/2015 12:13 PM
828	outdoor concert (bluegrass and or jazz)	10/1/2015 12:08 PM
829	Championship level disc golf course	10/1/2015 12:08 PM
830	Equestrian trails with parking for horse trailers and over night camping. Hook into Parkway and Mill Mountain trail systems.	10/1/2015 12:04 PM
831	Horse trails	10/1/2015 12:04 PM
832	Outdoor activities, cultural heritage	10/1/2015 12:03 PM
833	As Founder and current president of the Roanoke Disc Golf Club, I speak on behalf of our members and myself in saying we would love to bring a Championship level 18 hole Disc Golf Course to the Roanoke County! We would help do the majority of the work, in build, fundraising, upkeep, course design, and more. The RDG Club was established in 2012 and we've grown to 50+ Paying members, and many more folks who casually play disc golf casually. Our membership has doubled since last year and we expect to grow by 25%-40% this coming year. We currently hold clinics for new players to learn, have weekly events, Disc golf Tournaments (both PDGA and non PDGA sanctioned), produce RDG merchandise, build and upkeep of courses built, have a core leadership team of 7, and much more.	10/1/2015 11:45 AM
834	Horseback riding and trails	10/1/2015 11:42 AM
835	Nature based adventure	10/1/2015 11:41 AM
836	Whitewater Whitewater park	10/1/2015 11:37 AM
837	Camping area.	10/1/2015 11:37 AM
838	Horseback riding	10/1/2015 11:37 AM

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839	Bike trails, including freeride / downhill trails with features like jumps and drops, a pump track and a skills park, similar to what is offered at Bedford. Tent camping sites with showers and rest rooms would be great as well. Kayak rental and classes would be a great feature for the park.	10/1/2015 11:33 AM
840	Disc golf	10/1/2015 11:22 AM
841	Equestrian trails and camping for equestrians.	10/1/2015 11:22 AM
842	Horse trails	10/1/2015 11:18 AM
843	I would most like to see a variety of attractions, to make people come back to Explore Park frequently. Having just one or two big attractions would be a mistake.	10/1/2015 11:18 AM
844	I would like for the park to be open to horse back riding	10/1/2015 11:09 AM
845	Bike park! skills courses and more trail!	10/1/2015 11:07 AM
846	I would like to see horseback riding allowed. It is a beautiful place to ride.	10/1/2015 11:01 AM
847	Whitewater park!!!	10/1/2015 10:51 AM
848	Trails for equestrians/horseback riders. This is the only thing I am really interested in seeing developed or allowed. We share the trails with hikers and bikers at places like Carvins Cove with much success. Please consider allowing horses on your trails. Also, you could allow rv camping for overnight trail riders.	10/1/2015 10:48 AM
849	Dog area where dogs can roam free, and an historical area on Native American history of the area.	10/1/2015 10:41 AM
850	More trails - biking, hiking	10/1/2015 10:22 AM
851	Nature walk and group picnic and overnight camping	10/1/2015 10:11 AM
852	Expansion of the trail system Zipline / Aerial Park	10/1/2015 10:07 AM
853	Bring back the living history that the old Explore Park featured.	10/1/2015 9:36 AM
854	become certified as a Dark Sky Park. Citizens interested is viewing astronomy/sky events currently go out there bc it is the only dark area, insured by its past history as a landfill. This is an ideal "green" attraction and a natural asset to build on. See Roanoke Times article: <a href="http://www.roanoke.com/opinion/editorials/our-view-dark-skies-ahead/article_c2665506-9abc-5dbf-a00e-59d6f7f22626.html">http://www.roanoke.com/opinion/editorials/our-view-dark-skies-ahead/article_c2665506-9abc-5dbf-a00e-59d6f7f22626.html</a>	10/1/2015 9:34 AM
855	Any nature-related activities. Let's not commercialize this park. It's beautiful as it is in its natural state!	10/1/2015 9:30 AM
856	1.Water spray, Splash park. 2.Cycling, 3.hiking trails	10/1/2015 9:16 AM
857	Whitewater park. More bike trails. Pump track. Flow track. Maybe downhill course. Cyclocross course. Bmx track. Camping. More boat access. Race events. Trails paved and non paved that connect the park with greenway systems in Roanoke. A trail from mill mnt. Roanoke mnt to park.	10/1/2015 9:02 AM
858	I would very much like for the Park to have true beginner mountain bike trails. Trails WITHOUT roots, steep climbs, dangerous rocks and gorges. I'd like this trail to be at least two miles in length and very flat. Carvins Cove has some beginner trails, but parking is at least a mile away. The Cove's trails are often very muddy. I'd think a true beginner trail at Explore would compliment the trails that are already there. I'd also like there to be an area at the Park that would be suitable as a film production back lot.	10/1/2015 8:58 AM
859	kayak launch	10/1/2015 8:39 AM
860	Something to accentuate our mountain area. I travel to Gatlinburg and Pigeon Forge, they don't have anything that this area doesn't have so I think it would be nice to concentrate on building on the mountains and the Valley as a whole	10/1/2015 8:18 AM
861	Improve and expand mountain biking trails	10/1/2015 8:13 AM
862	Tent Camping, there is a ridiculous lack of available camping in the Roanoke area, and I personally camp at SML often because it is the closest available campground. If there was a campground at Explore Park, I personally would use it frequently. Backcountry camping would also be very good to have.	10/1/2015 7:58 AM
863	ziplines	10/1/2015 7:31 AM
864	Picnic area and restaurants	10/1/2015 6:55 AM
865	Huge playground for children of all ages and handicap accessible. We a huge covered area for picnics/shade. Also always working, midern bathrooms and working drinking fountains with downspots to be able to give pets a srink of fresh water	10/1/2015 6:55 AM
866	sky lifts.	10/1/2015 5:56 AM
867	Safe running trails and possibly a restaurant/brewery if possible.	10/1/2015 3:48 AM

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868	A lodge with a restaurant and gift shop	10/1/2015 1:56 AM
869	Living History - Historical Interpretation	10/1/2015 1:39 AM
870	Recreation of Appalachian past.	10/1/2015 1:13 AM
871	Zip lines, cabins, winery	9/30/2015 10:59 PM
872	Off road vehicle trails	9/30/2015 10:40 PM
873	Kid and family friendly water recreation. Tent camping, with zip lines.	9/30/2015 10:31 PM
874	Use those beautiful historical buildings to highlight the history of the region!	9/30/2015 10:11 PM
875	Camping	9/30/2015 9:46 PM
876	zip lines would be fun	9/30/2015 9:40 PM
877	Cabins and lodge available for overnight stays, and lodge available for rentals for family, and wedding venues. Hiking trails would be a plus. Also the area should allow dogs on leashes. Possibly a dog park in the future.	9/30/2015 9:31 PM
878	I would love to be able to take my horse there and ride the trails and have the trails connected to the Roanoke Horse Trail.	9/30/2015 9:18 PM
879	Camping, kayak and hiking trails	9/30/2015 7:19 PM
880	Retail & Special Events, RV site for traveling BRP, Festivals Music and Family	9/30/2015 6:44 PM
881	River access	9/30/2015 6:37 PM
882	More lighting - the place is creepy in the evenings. More bike trails would be nice. Can we ride at night? Bathroom/changing "house" How about a skate park??? I know it seems far removed from areas where kids could get there, but they have few other options.	9/30/2015 5:31 PM
883	Douthat State Park is a very good example to model after	9/30/2015 4:16 PM
884	A whitewater park.	9/30/2015 3:59 PM
885	White water park	9/30/2015 3:07 PM
886	Hiking trails	9/30/2015 2:54 PM
887	LOW IMPACT FAMILY FRIENDLY OUT DOOR ACTIVITIES - CANOEING, HIKING ETC- - - BUT HERE IS SOMETHING DIFFERENT ----- A COUPLE OF RESIDENT NATURALISTS WITH LOTS OF INITIATIVE FOR EXCELLENT AND VARYING TOPICS, GOOD PR, LITERATURE, UP AND DOWN THE PARKWAY, WOULD HAVE TO BE REALLY GOOD - - LOOK AT THE INTEREST IN THE MONTHLY NATURALIST HIKES PUBLISHED IN THE PAPER! DONE RIGHT WOULD BE A GREAT ATTRACTION LOCALY AND THAT'S WHAT YOU REALLY NEED TO THRIVE - - -STEADY LOCAL INTEREST AND SUPPORT.	9/30/2015 2:30 PM
888	Adventure park / amusement park	9/30/2015 1:52 PM
889	A Nature centered lodge, there aren't many places to stay in east county.	9/30/2015 1:52 PM
890	Not ziplines and "adventure tourism" and certainly not retail. Promote the beauty that surrounds this area... don't scar it with things that will fail in Roanoke.	9/30/2015 1:52 PM
891	White water park. There is a large active community of paddlers in the Roanoke valley. Just look at the access that was granted on Johns creek after 20+ years of battling.	9/30/2015 1:49 PM
892	From my experience, many people who participate in outdoor recreation enjoy a good meal or a beer afterwards. Explore Park has a great variety of trails (though signage could be enhanced), so a brewery or restaurant would be a great amenity to get people to visit the park and stay for longer than a walk or ride.	9/30/2015 1:30 PM
893	Whitewater park	9/30/2015 12:57 PM
894	hiking trails	9/30/2015 12:44 PM
895	More trails	9/30/2015 12:40 PM
896	Kayak/canoe rental and fishing access/instruction	9/30/2015 12:32 PM
897	Rv Camping. There is a lack of quality RV camping around the Roanoke valley and I believe the park could fill that gap	9/30/2015 12:31 PM
898	Something that gets people moving! Love the trails and beauty of the area so please do not make it commercial that would destroy natural beauty.	9/30/2015 12:28 PM
899	varying leveled whitewater courses	9/30/2015 11:55 AM



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900	Botanical Garden	9/30/2015 11:43 AM
901	Outdoor Adventure	9/30/2015 11:42 AM
902	concerts	9/30/2015 11:35 AM
903	Obstacle Race Event Canopy zip Bike An East Coast Mountain Bike Adventure World	9/30/2015 11:35 AM
904	Trails, River walk.	9/30/2015 11:27 AM
905	Zip-line, aerial park. Additional kayaking access areas, more variety in trails.	9/30/2015 11:25 AM
906	More trails	9/30/2015 11:20 AM
907	More trails for cycling. Zip lines and camping would be awesome.	9/30/2015 11:15 AM
908	Overnight camping	9/30/2015 11:15 AM
909	I want to see the park have more outdoor adventure items.	9/30/2015 11:13 AM
910	Group Camping - I am always looking for new places to camp and unfortunately there are not many choices in Roanoke. I usually go to Botetourt or Craig County which have more options.	9/30/2015 11:12 AM
911	Good hiking trails.	9/30/2015 11:11 AM
912	Activities that take advantage of the terrain for a *unique* experience to the area, Zorb balls, Alpine Coaster, Zip Lines, Water Slides, etc.	9/30/2015 11:05 AM
913	white water park	9/30/2015 10:57 AM
914	botanical garden	9/30/2015 10:56 AM
915	Interpretors engaged in telling the Roanoke Valleys history	9/30/2015 10:49 AM
916	Overnight camping	9/30/2015 10:48 AM
917	Zipline and white water rafting/canoe launch	9/30/2015 10:44 AM
918	Improved access to the river features (on land and in the water)	9/30/2015 10:42 AM
919	Camping, tent and RV hook ups. Hiking and biking trails and water access for canoeing, kayaking and paddle boarding. Restaurant and or grill / snack bar With ABC licence.	9/30/2015 10:20 AM
920	Interpretive history of reconstructed buildings	9/30/2015 10:20 AM
921	I'd like to see more fun, interactive things to do wry Explore Park.	9/30/2015 10:19 AM
922	More bike trails. Roanoke needs some campgrounds.	9/30/2015 10:17 AM
923	Whitewater course	9/30/2015 10:05 AM
924	Whitewater features. Otherwise people travel with their money to places like West Virginia and leave local money there instead of here.	9/30/2015 9:56 AM
925	Nature	9/30/2015 9:51 AM
926	Staffed nature center	9/30/2015 9:31 AM
927	I loved when the park focused on the history of our area. We loved the Brugh tavern. We spent a good deal of time there.	9/30/2015 9:22 AM
928	adventure activities	9/30/2015 8:23 AM
929	family festivals	9/30/2015 8:15 AM
930	Zip lines	9/30/2015 7:55 AM
931	Kayak shuttle and historic areas	9/30/2015 7:33 AM
932	Equipment rental, gorgeous walkways by the water, paved trails for a 4 person bike, a kids playground where instead of sand you use Unitary Surfacing, a poured in place rubber and Fibar, a specially formulated wood chip material. Please, check out Onondaga Lake Park in Liverpool, Ny. It's awesome. In addition to the playground and paved trails, there's also a dog park, and a skate park. <a href="http://www.onondagacountyparks.com/parks/onondaga-lake-park/">http://www.onondagacountyparks.com/parks/onondaga-lake-park/</a>	9/30/2015 2:03 AM
933	Recreation with hiking, canoing,ziplining and RV /campsites. A culural heritage/educational component regarding native americans in the area would be great.	9/29/2015 11:07 PM
934	something that offers high adventure recreation	9/29/2015 8:48 PM

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935	I would like to see the original interpretive areas reopened with the time period attire and living experiences.	9/29/2015 8:24 PM
936	Water Spray Feature/Splash Park or Ziplines/Aerial Park Non-"attraction" would be botanic garden	9/29/2015 7:32 PM
937	Top choice - a destination natural environment that distinguishes itself with views, cleanliness, improvements to the point of enhancing its attractiveness.	9/29/2015 6:33 PM
938	Something natural	9/29/2015 4:37 PM
939	bring back the history exhibits	9/29/2015 4:37 PM
940	rv campground.we have lots of rv owners in the roanoke valley with nowhere close to camp. and no rv parks along the parkway for tourist to draw into the valley	9/29/2015 4:29 PM
941	Nature Center (like the one at Maymont Park in Richmond, VA.	9/29/2015 4:10 PM
942	Amphitheater	9/29/2015 4:09 PM
943	Some type of equipment rental station and expanded terrain	9/29/2015 4:03 PM
944	hiking trails	9/29/2015 3:00 PM
945	Map of the trails or river walk with total distance, and how difficult the hike Also a modest price place to eat, not fast food	9/29/2015 2:44 PM
946	Take your people and visit Tanglewood Park in Clemmons, NC. ABSOLUTELY NEED RV camping with full hook up. They also have tennis, 3 par golf, hiking, biking, trail riding, paved trails for walking, running, etc.fishing, swimming pool, lodge, etc.even a dog park You need to make that visit. It is what Roanoke needs!	9/29/2015 2:30 PM
947	Hiking Trails	9/29/2015 2:08 PM
948	I dearly loved the wonderfully done living history museum. I miss it and wonder why it is not featured in this survey so far. THAT is the Explore Park I want back!!!!!! All of this other stuff is just gravy compared to the gem that those interpreters and historical sites were.	9/29/2015 1:52 PM
949	Family oriented park with amenities available for both passive and active recreational interests. Preservation of the historical features of the park even other facilities are repurposed for other uses.	9/29/2015 1:06 PM
950	Mountain biking, paddle sports, camping, ropes course.	9/29/2015 11:58 AM
951	water park	9/29/2015 11:41 AM
952	Campgrounds with big sites, showers, and bathrooms year round. More clearly defined hiking trails and riverwalks	9/29/2015 10:59 AM
953	safe and well marked hiking trails along with picnic areas and playgrounds. along with ability to rent/bring kayaks, bikes, etc. overall outdoor recreation park.	9/29/2015 10:46 AM
954	A microbrewery.	9/29/2015 10:39 AM
955	As little as possible	9/29/2015 10:34 AM
956	RV park and other lodging that is not "hotel-ish". This gives accessibility to both the park and to the Roanoke area. I would like to see a good size outdoor area for concerts or cultural activities. Everything currently done in Roanoke is done in parking lots!	9/29/2015 10:25 AM
957	Hmm... You know what would be cool? Besides Stand Up Paddling an adventure playgrounds for kids would be awesome! Not a regular one but like an outdoor theme. A bunch of local PE teachers could help...for sure.	9/29/2015 10:23 AM
958	Reopening of the Brugh Tavern. 2 reasons - it is one of my ancestors that built it and we like these kind of restaurants and travel to get to them.	9/29/2015 10:21 AM
959	Well maintained trails and river for biking, hiking, paddling. Outdoor public events and festivals on weekends.	9/29/2015 10:05 AM
960	I would most like to see safe and clean hiking trails along the river with access to boat/kayak launches. I think a zipline/high ropes course would also be successful, as well as a restaurant. Dog park or area to let dogs off leash would also be great, I don't think there is one along the parkway anywhere :)	9/29/2015 10:03 AM
961	Kayak, canoe & SUP rentals.	9/29/2015 9:33 AM
962	Nice amphitheater with river views for concerts and special events, along with food concessions to visit during the concert or event.	9/29/2015 9:30 AM
963	I really think you should look into adding an area like the "Adventure Park in VA Beach". I believe it would bring in money and attract more people to the area while preserving the beauty of the area.	9/29/2015 9:30 AM

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964	Ziplines, aerial park, ropes course would be great attractions and experiences that would bring something unique to the region.	9/29/2015 9:28 AM
965	I REALLY loved the interpreters and the historical aspect of daily life in the olden days where all the historical buildings are. PLEASE reopen and make it a small part of the big plan. Don't let those buildings go to waste.	9/29/2015 8:31 AM
966	Mountain biking & kayaking	9/29/2015 8:14 AM
967	Clean, safe, well-kept hiking trails	9/29/2015 8:13 AM
968	camping and facilities to accommodate a fun camping experience	9/28/2015 8:40 PM
969	Active outdoor events- hiking, kayaking. Ziplines	9/28/2015 8:27 PM
970	water park, camping	9/28/2015 6:37 PM
971	A boat ramp capable of launching trailered 12 to 18 ft motorized flat or semi v style fishing or utility boats. Better access to the river for tubing fishing and wadding.	9/28/2015 5:18 PM
972	Campsites	9/28/2015 4:59 PM
973	I thought what was there before was very nice, but people thought once they'd been, they didn't need to return. It was a good mix of nature, adventure, and education.	9/28/2015 4:40 PM
974	Treehouses for overnight stays	9/28/2015 4:35 PM
975	Playground	9/28/2015 3:31 PM

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### Q8 In your opinion, what type of attraction would you be most likely to bring out-of-town guests to see at Explore Park?

Answered: 950 Skipped: 186

#	Responses	Date
1	Well-publicized natural history exhibits and opportunities for participation in activities like tree identification walks or collecting geology specimens.	10/31/2015 9:19 AM
2	Disk golf is a venue for local tournaments and lots of traveling players; lodging would make this idea an excellent outdoor epicenter. Include Mountain Biking and Hiking- very important!	10/30/2015 10:23 PM
3	adventure	10/30/2015 2:30 PM
4	Lodge and cabins and river access.	10/30/2015 1:37 PM
5	Zip lines, hiking trails, overlooks, brewery or restaruant and even something to showcase the culture of the area	10/30/2015 11:50 AM
6	Zip line	10/30/2015 10:49 AM
7	cabins, a lodge, moderately-priced restaurant	10/30/2015 8:45 AM
8	Outdoor activities	10/30/2015 6:35 AM
9	Concerts/festival. Maybe zipline or climbing if the price is right. river access, and the hiking trails that are already established. The old homestead buildings currently there are neat as well.	10/29/2015 5:26 PM
10	Again, a modern RV park offers a place where travelers passing through (especially Blue Ridge Parkway travelers) to stop, and be enticed into the Roanoke area. Offer amenities such as swimming, hot tub, tennis, putt golf, play ground as any resort campground would offer (maybe even Splash Valley passes) to keep travelers here for longer periods of time.	10/29/2015 3:48 PM
11	Adventure oppunties	10/29/2015 2:09 PM
12	hiking and biking	10/29/2015 10:20 AM
13	Hiking and biking trails	10/29/2015 9:43 AM
14	Outdoor recreation	10/29/2015 9:34 AM
15	Music festivals would bring the most out of town guests.	10/29/2015 8:30 AM
16	Whitewater play features.	10/29/2015 4:22 AM
17	Zoo similar to the North Carolina Zoological Park	10/28/2015 11:05 PM
18	American history theme park Large zoo Winery Upscale cabins	10/28/2015 10:52 PM
19	Camping and events....relaxation, concerts, sports competition, etc	10/28/2015 8:41 PM
20	Overlook/	10/28/2015 7:43 PM
21	probably concerts/music/ disc golf has a loyal following that is willing to travel to a good course	10/28/2015 6:52 PM
22	Disc golf ,zip lines, camping	10/28/2015 6:17 PM
23	The park as it is	10/28/2015 5:52 PM
24	Zip lines / aerial park	10/28/2015 5:08 PM
25	I would be most likely to bring them to Explore Park for the Roanoke River. At many other access points for the Roanoke River, you are in an urban, suburban, or industrial setting. Explore Park is one of the few places where you can be on the river but also in nature.	10/28/2015 4:35 PM
26	Disc golf, it has a big following, and a lot of people would come to it to try the course.	10/28/2015 3:39 PM
27	Interpretive trails, public art	10/28/2015 3:01 PM
28	water attraction with lodging, camping (overnight) and eating facilities	10/28/2015 2:38 PM

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29	Outdoor Adventure with a craft brewery/restaurant on site.	10/28/2015 1:30 PM
30	kayaking and paddleboard rentals, river accessibility	10/28/2015 1:01 PM
31	observation area/overlooks	10/28/2015 12:49 PM
32	Probably the ziplines,restaurants, nature center, camp/rv sites and camp stores	10/28/2015 12:25 PM
33	18 Hole or More, Champion Level Disc Golf Course & 3-D Archery Course	10/28/2015 12:23 PM
34	ziplines/aerial park, cabins, campsites	10/28/2015 11:51 AM
35	zipline, campground, RV camping	10/28/2015 11:47 AM
36	Zipline or brewery	10/28/2015 11:47 AM
37	overnight accomodations; equipment rental	10/28/2015 11:28 AM
38	Historical interpretive park, much like the pre-existing park. My out-of-town guest always were fascinated by their visits and usually requested a return visit.	10/28/2015 11:19 AM
39	Ziplines/aerial park and overnight campground.	10/28/2015 11:18 AM
40	The old historical interpretive exhibits that were done so well earlier. Our historian friends from Denmark rated Explore Park better than Williamsburg.	10/28/2015 11:03 AM
41	All	10/28/2015 11:03 AM
42	Climbing, kayaking, mountain biking, hiking,	10/28/2015 10:37 AM
43	Natural trail	10/28/2015 10:29 AM
44	Vistas and overlooks	10/28/2015 10:27 AM
45	Riverwalk, equipment rentals	10/28/2015 10:25 AM
46	water park/ zip lines	10/28/2015 9:51 AM
47	hike	10/28/2015 9:49 AM
48	trails	10/28/2015 9:41 AM
49	aerial park and concert venue	10/28/2015 9:24 AM
50	Outdoor activities like zip lines, water park area. Kayak rental entry, river walk area and restaurants/shops along the river walk area	10/28/2015 9:02 AM
51	equestrian and hiking biking trails that feature the river and views. Camping and cabins	10/28/2015 8:41 AM
52	hiking trails and horse trails	10/28/2015 8:24 AM
53	trails for hiking, biking, horses	10/28/2015 8:19 AM
54	horseback riding trails	10/28/2015 8:16 AM
55	white water rafting	10/28/2015 8:12 AM
56	horse trails	10/28/2015 8:09 AM
57	horse trails	10/28/2015 8:06 AM
58	good hiking and equestrian trails. Easy access for horses.	10/28/2015 8:03 AM
59	Craft show or nature program	10/28/2015 6:13 AM
60	Disk golf courses, world disk golf tournaments	10/28/2015 2:20 AM
61	- An institute/program as described above, similar to Tremont in Tennessee, offering the ideas previously described. - Adventure activities (tubing, canoeing/kayaking, zip-line, high ropes course, hiking - cultural events, craft shows, etc. - a good restaurant (with plenty of options for folks with food allergies too, like gluten!) - I would LOVE love love love to have a storytelling festival here!!!! This are is rich in history and would be a perfect venue for local storytellers as well as visiting storytellers to share the stage, along with good local mountain music...that would be an amazing event!	10/27/2015 9:52 PM
62	Overlooks and craft festival	10/27/2015 9:27 PM
63	Mountain bike, hike, disc golf, water sports	10/27/2015 8:37 PM
64	A disc golf course and zip lines	10/27/2015 6:24 PM

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65	RV camping	10/27/2015 5:58 PM
66	DISC GOLF	10/27/2015 12:59 PM
67	Atv trails and zip line	10/27/2015 12:26 PM
68	Fun, family activities, places to stay overnight, somewhere to eat	10/27/2015 12:09 PM
69	Interpretative history of the Blue Ridge Parkway history.	10/27/2015 11:43 AM
70	Atv park	10/27/2015 10:24 AM
71	high adventure and retail/restaurant/winery etc	10/27/2015 10:17 AM
72	Like most of us who ride off road vehicles we have to travel to go ride.	10/27/2015 7:37 AM
73	More MTB trails. Ziplines. ATV tours. Paintball.	10/27/2015 12:13 AM
74	Enduro motocross race, concerts, mtb and running races	10/27/2015 12:03 AM
75	Atv and dirt bike trails. People travel from all over the country to ride in WV. The profit potential is endless and if that were in any other state, it would be the state with the lowest unemployment rates. I can sit at our camper in WV and watch campers/trailers carrying \$100k worth of equipment go down the road to the camp ground. The money they spend while in the state, is incredible. If it weren't for the drug problem in those areas, the locals could all take advantage of the ATV community. This exteme money making industry could be in Roanoke. Storage, repairs, parts, food, maps, t-shirts, lodging, rentals, etc are all part of an ATV community. I've met people from CA, PA, AZ, NJ and TX, just to name a few, while riding I'm WV.	10/26/2015 11:43 PM
76	A modern RV park will attract many travelers of the Blue Ridge parkway, especially since other campgrounds in the area are too small to accomodate the newer larger RV classes that typically request full hookups	10/26/2015 8:45 PM
77	A zoo--absolutely.	10/26/2015 4:48 PM
78	Retail combined with adventure opportunities	10/26/2015 1:52 PM
79	horse trails	10/26/2015 1:02 PM
80	Brewery or Winery	10/26/2015 9:56 AM
81	a full service RV resort	10/26/2015 9:08 AM
82	Extension of the Roanoke River Greenway	10/26/2015 8:36 AM
83	camping	10/26/2015 6:56 AM
84	Interpretive prorams village, Hofhauger,	10/25/2015 9:06 PM
85	Signature event and ongoing series of seasonal events.	10/25/2015 7:28 PM
86	Hiking/biking trails, restaurant before or after	10/25/2015 7:08 PM
87	water park	10/25/2015 6:39 PM
88	RV Camping	10/25/2015 5:49 PM
89	The historical interpretive exhibits that were there before	10/25/2015 5:40 PM
90	Water Spray feature / Splash park, and Ziplines, Aerial park	10/25/2015 5:22 PM
91	Same as above; a higher tier RV resort / campground for people who travel the Blue Ridge parkway.	10/25/2015 4:10 PM
92	see above- add a fire pit outside for after dinner smore kits they can purchase from the general store-maybe nightly hayrides and lanterns- something "old times" and "bluegrass"- performers on the weekends- storytellers or holiday fun- Christmas music in the church and old fashioned mountain Christmas celebration (little house on the prairie style- to brace the historic buildings) old fashioned toys for kids etc...a campfire fun and lightning bug catching in the summer:)	10/25/2015 3:22 PM
93	RC camping	10/25/2015 1:40 PM
94	The RV industry has skyrocketed, but most campgrounds along the Blue Ridge Parkway have not updated the facilities to accommodate this growing tourism market for RV travelers. This would be a perfect place to attract RV travelers of the Blue Ridge, and give them a modern place to stop and entice them to visit the Roanoke Area. Offer outdoor activities, and tie in Green Ridge access (Splash Valley) passes to bring in visitors for longer stays in the Roanoke Valley!	10/25/2015 1:20 PM
95	art/craft or music festival.	10/25/2015 11:22 AM
96	Full hook up rv campsites	10/25/2015 10:48 AM

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97	The lodge and cabins and camping	10/25/2015 8:48 AM
98	Any kind of special mountain bike trails, camping and race events.	10/25/2015 7:08 AM
99	GO OUTSIDE type of events	10/25/2015 2:06 AM
100	Zipline, hiking trails.	10/25/2015 12:08 AM
101	Brewery and restaurant	10/24/2015 10:35 PM
102	Overlooks of the Roanoke River gorge and a natural heritage museum.	10/24/2015 10:17 PM
103	Zip line / canopy tours. Mountain bike / hiking trails. Camping. River access	10/24/2015 5:49 PM
104	Lodging and cabins	10/24/2015 4:41 PM
105	Since I moved to the area 2 years ago, my husband and I have brought our out-of-town family to the Visitor's center at the Explore Park. It was very enjoyable and relaxing. If there were more things to do (such as the adventure park or botanical gardens), then we would continue to visit regularly. We live only 10 min from the park.	10/24/2015 11:42 AM
106	Restaurant & camping	10/23/2015 9:00 PM
107	Extension of the river greenway	10/23/2015 3:39 PM
108	Disc Golf course	10/23/2015 10:30 AM
109	Outdoor activities with maybe a nice restaurant...	10/23/2015 8:51 AM
110	Disc golf, camping or cabins!	10/23/2015 2:06 AM
111	Running and biking races. It could be a great place to have a large cross country race if some trails were added in the open areas.	10/23/2015 12:42 AM
112	disc golf	10/22/2015 7:46 PM
113	Cultural heritage festivals, hiking, camping, splash park	10/22/2015 6:53 PM
114	Disc golf	10/22/2015 6:47 PM
115	I am out of town	10/22/2015 5:48 PM
116	Brew pub, unique over night stay opportunities such as tree houses, camping,	10/22/2015 4:39 PM
117	I don't remember much about Explore Park, so I'm not sure.	10/22/2015 4:34 PM
118	A gold-level disc golf course, separate from the mixed-use areas of the park, with campsites or cabins nearby.	10/22/2015 4:22 PM
119	Camping. With the loss of Roanoke Mountain Campground there isn't a close viable option for people travelling through the region to camp.	10/22/2015 4:12 PM
120	Hiking trails/ camping	10/22/2015 2:40 PM
121	Disc golf course	10/22/2015 2:15 PM
122	Zip lines	10/22/2015 1:02 PM
123	Disc Golf	10/22/2015 12:07 PM
124	A short walk with a nice view and a restaurant.	10/22/2015 11:25 AM
125	team sporting events such as baseball & softball tournaments bring lots of families	10/22/2015 11:18 AM
126	Disc golf	10/22/2015 9:43 AM
127	hiking trails, picnic, riverwalk	10/21/2015 9:12 PM
128	Zip lines	10/21/2015 8:47 PM
129	Bed and breakfast lodge with an excellent, affordable restaurant.	10/21/2015 8:21 PM
130	A zip line	10/21/2015 8:21 PM
131	Just a nice park and to kayak.	10/21/2015 6:19 PM
132	Retail and restaurants.	10/21/2015 5:07 PM
133	our family has younger out of town cousins, so playgrounds, ziplines, and things like this would be great for us we have zip line before and everyone would love to go again	10/21/2015 5:05 PM

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134	I think any mentioned above would bring outdoor guest. Adding the camping facilities would make it easier for the out of town guest. I may not use them but I think they will.	10/21/2015 4:55 PM
135	horse trails	10/21/2015 3:52 PM
136	What ever it is it needs to be good. People have so many choices in the life we now live in. Many places, country clubs etc are barely hanging on because these are so many options for one time.	10/21/2015 3:37 PM
137	RV accommodations with attractions to keep travelers at the site for an extra day or two.	10/21/2015 3:04 PM
138	camping and outdoor events	10/21/2015 3:04 PM
139	biking - kayak - rock climbing	10/21/2015 3:00 PM
140	outdoor overnight facilities	10/21/2015 2:57 PM
141	A wilderness experience with hiking, biking, camping, picnic areas, fishing, boating, etc.	10/21/2015 2:52 PM
142	camping	10/21/2015 2:48 PM
143	marathons like racing, 100 milers, branded cultureal events like Ferrum folk life days.	10/21/2015 2:40 PM
144	Lodging, Camping	10/21/2015 2:38 PM
145	Water park	10/21/2015 2:38 PM
146	A championship level disc golf course	10/21/2015 2:34 PM
147	Aerial park, world-class mountain biking, whitewater park	10/21/2015 2:31 PM
148	see above	10/21/2015 1:24 PM
149	Lodge/restaurant	10/21/2015 1:18 PM
150	Over night lodging, more activities,	10/21/2015 11:41 AM
151	Disc Golf, I have friends all over the country that play.	10/21/2015 1:29 AM
152	Disc Golf Course	10/21/2015 12:31 AM
153	Disc Golf!	10/20/2015 10:59 PM
154	Picnic views and trails.	10/20/2015 10:35 PM
155	Heritage center	10/20/2015 10:33 PM
156	Disc golf	10/20/2015 10:22 PM
157	Variety of activities-- history, adventure, exercise, art, craft...	10/20/2015 10:01 PM
158	Disc golf is a fast growing sport. It's a sport played world wide by recreational players as well as a sanctioned event (even gaining attention from ESPN recently).	10/20/2015 9:46 PM
159	Disc golf course	10/20/2015 9:40 PM
160	dining facility; trails	10/20/2015 9:37 PM
161	fishing and disc golf	10/20/2015 9:26 PM
162	Disc golf and single track mountain biking	10/20/2015 9:01 PM
163	Cabins / Lodge / Brewery	10/20/2015 7:55 PM
164	Camping sites/cabins	10/20/2015 4:35 PM
165	Tent camping, zipline	10/20/2015 4:21 PM
166	high adventure	10/20/2015 4:17 PM
167	Historical restaurant	10/20/2015 3:25 PM
168	see No. 7	10/20/2015 3:00 PM
169	RV camping	10/20/2015 1:57 PM
170	Amphitheater	10/20/2015 11:33 AM



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171	First, may be as simple as marketing opportunity. Next given the area would include heritage arts, recreation diversity --- obviously long term some form of lodge or unique over night opportunity to lengthen stay would help. One issue looming in conversation is winter access ---	10/20/2015 10:43 AM
172	Disc golf	10/20/2015 10:37 AM
173	historical displays, guided tours	10/20/2015 10:14 AM
174	Horse amenities/events, foot races/events, mountain biking areas/events, canoe and kayaking	10/20/2015 8:10 AM
175	Scenic overlooks on maintained trails. Retail/brewery/distillery.	10/20/2015 7:46 AM
176	Music/shows	10/20/2015 12:35 AM
177	Riverwalk and overlook opportunities with the availability of a local restaurant would be spectacular.	10/19/2015 11:22 PM
178	Same as above	10/19/2015 11:17 PM
179	Nature trails, river walk, concert, cultural heritage sites	10/19/2015 10:54 PM
180	Something not found everywhere, such as an aerial feature across the river. When Eric from WRT mentioned that there are only three gorge type crossing along the parkway, I thought that was a good idea--a swing bridge and zip line. I also brainstormed with my husband at the meeting, and we think an Adult Summer Camp with a variety of lodging tiers and a package of activities would be a great marketing tool. This would require a number of vendors or the Parks and Rec dept to put something together and advertise beyond the magazine, which I peruse when I receive it.	10/19/2015 10:03 PM
181	Same as 7.	10/19/2015 9:46 PM
182	ZOO. It would be an unbelievable boon to the County and this area. It would draw 10 times the people as the current zoo.	10/19/2015 9:06 PM
183	Deschutes Brewery. See below.	10/19/2015 9:02 PM
184	campground with facilities for tent to rv camping	10/19/2015 8:53 PM
185	Brewery in combination with outdoor recreation, adrenaline activities, and lodging	10/19/2015 8:44 PM
186	Same as above.	10/19/2015 6:43 PM
187	Cabins. I personally have a cabin I rent in Gatlinburg. Does very well, stays rented. Look at VRBO at cabins in Eagle Rock etc. They seem to at least pay for themselves.	10/19/2015 6:41 PM
188	ZIP line,activities,new local history exhibit	10/19/2015 5:21 PM
189	see above	10/19/2015 5:21 PM
190	Zip lining, hiking, and/or canoeing	10/19/2015 4:15 PM
191	Outdoor Recreation opportunities - viable stop along parkway for food, basic shops, etc.	10/19/2015 4:07 PM
192	I would bring them to see the fall leaves mostly! And potentially theater productions or outdoor amenities that we don't have at the base of the mountain (beginners mountain biking, bike skills park)	10/19/2015 2:11 PM
193	Same as above with mixture of of adventure areas and childrens areas	10/19/2015 1:39 PM
194	Same as above with mixture of of adventure areas and childrens areas	10/19/2015 1:38 PM
195	camping	10/19/2015 12:46 PM
196	Frequently you hear discussion of the connectivity of the internet, yet in this instance; we should consider the connectivity of the explorer park with the Greenway (accelerate connection to Roanoke greenway), the Blue Ridge parkway and I-81 (through Signage for camping and RV's). we should consider the connectivity of the park as a whole focused upon the park becoming the hub of a network of walking, horseback riding <a href="http://ascgreenway.s3.amazonaws.com/doc/ASC-Greenway-Trail-Map-2015-17-x-11-Final.pdf">http://ascgreenway.s3.amazonaws.com/doc/ASC-Greenway-Trail-Map-2015-17-x-11-Final.pdf</a> & mountain biking trails <a href="http://mke.rockbikepark.com/trails">http://mke.rockbikepark.com/trails</a> we should also consider the development of a canoe and kayak center for recreation and competition (sadly, low water bridges, weir's and dams present some limitations and possible opportunity) examples of activities and costs can be seen on the USNWC website <a href="http://usnwc.org/play/water-activities/">http://usnwc.org/play/water-activities/</a> other publicly available sites provide rates for different activities. Additionally, Olympic sites can be seen in you tube video's on line <a href="http://www.olympic.org/content/results-and-medalists/eventresultpagegeneral/?athletename=&amp;country=&amp;sport2=31458&amp;games2=&amp;event2=&amp;mengender=true&amp;womengender=true&amp;mixedgender=true&amp;goldmedal=true&amp;silvermedal=true&amp;bronzemedal=true&amp;worldrecord=false&amp;olympicrecord=false&amp;teamclassification=true&amp;individualclassification=true&amp;winter=true&amp;summer=true">http://www.olympic.org/content/results-and-medalists/eventresultpagegeneral/?athletename=&amp;country=&amp;sport2=31458&amp;games2=&amp;event2=&amp;mengender=true&amp;womengender=true&amp;mixedgender=true&amp;goldmedal=true&amp;silvermedal=true&amp;bronzemedal=true&amp;worldrecord=false&amp;olympicrecord=false&amp;teamclassification=true&amp;individualclassification=true&amp;winter=true&amp;summer=true</a>	10/19/2015 12:40 PM
197	history and camping	10/19/2015 12:38 PM

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198	campgrounds	10/19/2015 12:32 PM
199	Unique restaurant and/or dining experience with connection to Roanoke.	10/19/2015 11:59 AM
200	Brewery/winery, RV and camping for overnight travelers.	10/19/2015 11:49 AM
201	Zip lines and camping	10/19/2015 11:49 AM
202	Specifically for out of town guests, I believe a Disc Golf course would be very beneficial. Many tournaments are played at the course just north of us in Boutetourt, and we could benefit from some of this traffic	10/19/2015 11:07 AM
203	Overnight lodging, Accessibility to water area, Something for all ages	10/19/2015 11:00 AM
204	I travel quite a bit and the only reason i ever seek out a park is if it has a good disc golf course in it. I've been to MANY parks I never would've explored had it not been for a highly regarded course.	10/19/2015 10:57 AM
205	See above	10/19/2015 9:16 AM
206	A core facility operated by a national concessioner / hotelier.	10/19/2015 8:20 AM
207	Educational, performance	10/19/2015 8:11 AM
208	An amusement park!	10/19/2015 6:49 AM
209	fishing, water activities, picnic, relaxation areas	10/18/2015 10:53 PM
210	Zoo, hiking/biking, water activities	10/18/2015 10:47 PM
211	High quality activities with brew pub type facility.	10/18/2015 9:35 PM
212	Outdoor amphitheater and or outdoor adventure course	10/18/2015 9:26 PM
213	A USNWC style facility with many different outdoor activities as well as concerts, food trucks and craft beer.	10/18/2015 9:20 PM
214	Camping	10/18/2015 9:10 PM
215	Ziplines and cabin/campsite rentals.	10/18/2015 9:09 PM
216	Aerial park	10/18/2015 8:53 PM
217	Paths, gardens, childrens' activities	10/18/2015 8:27 PM
218	Park with hiking biking trails zip line and floating paddle board rv and camping access	10/18/2015 8:19 PM
219	nature center planned bird walks	10/18/2015 7:56 PM
220	Amphitheater	10/18/2015 7:15 PM
221	Campsite/ water access	10/18/2015 7:12 PM
222	Hiking	10/18/2015 6:25 PM
223	I like the idea of the brewery but the ziplines and paintball might bring people up that way.	10/18/2015 6:22 PM
224	Upscale restaurant and a zip line.	10/18/2015 5:10 PM
225	Lodge with a restaurant.	10/18/2015 4:03 PM
226	whitewater park	10/18/2015 3:50 PM
227	Brewery, whitewater	10/18/2015 3:22 PM
228	adventure tourism, overnight accommodations	10/18/2015 3:09 PM
229	Busch Gardens or Dollywood	10/18/2015 2:59 PM
230	Market fair like at they have at "Friends of fort Randolph" Maryland State park.	10/18/2015 2:42 PM
231	Hiking beergarden	10/18/2015 1:47 PM
232	I will bring many guest and continue to visit Explore Park, if it had fun family attractions like Pigeon Forge and Gatlinburg. These are what Roanoke needs and is missing to bring people to this area. Just having only out door hiking and biking, water sports is just 1/3 of the attractions needed. Go big and become a major destination.....Visit Pigeon Forge and Gatlinburg for a week and take time to see all the different attractions in the rocky mountains. Families will spend \$1,000's of dollars every yr and keep coming back.	10/18/2015 1:34 PM

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233	A Inn called the Great Chestnut Inn to include local wineries along with hiking and biking trails there should be Segway tours for people unable to hike or bike. I think you should include VT,s program to plant Chestnut trees and use that as part of the tours to tell the story of the chestnut tree and what it meant to the area. Possibly use part of the property as a vineyard using students from VT and local Community Colleges to man the vineyard.	10/18/2015 1:34 PM
234	zippiness and splash park	10/18/2015 12:56 PM
235	Something unique	10/18/2015 12:29 PM
236	Outdoor concerts, zip lines, outdoor special events(Go Fest)	10/18/2015 11:38 AM
237	I brought lots of visitors to the 'old' Explore Park because of its mix of nature and history. I would bring more visitors to this type of park and to other outdoor experiences.	10/18/2015 11:35 AM
238	Overnight camping, Ziplines, Hiking trails, scenic overlooks. People need a place to stay with beauty and serenity.	10/18/2015 11:35 AM
239	camping since the Roanoke Mtn. campground is closed to camping.	10/18/2015 11:28 AM
240	Concerts	10/18/2015 11:25 AM
241	Local events	10/18/2015 10:57 AM
242	na	10/18/2015 10:44 AM
243	Year round access, such as better entrance via Rutrough Road.	10/18/2015 10:25 AM
244	The single thing that will make Explore Park a sustainable, viable, and profitable tourist destination for the future will be for Explore Park to partner with a 4-Star Luxury Resort Operator (Either Four Seasons, Ritz Carlton (Marriot Luxury Franchise) or Starwood Hotels - and develop on one part of the park's land a 200-room Luxury Resort (marketed heavily to DC-NOVA / Richmond / Tidewater / Charlotte / Atlanta / Philadelphia / NYC markets. Include a 4-star spa; and a 4-Star Virginia inspired Farm to Table Destination Restaurant. You have to be looking at examples such as Blackberry Farm in Tennessee; Washington Inn in Virginia; Canyon Ranch Resort in the Berkshires of Massachusetts. Explore Park will also attract local and regional day-trippers for hiking, zip lines, etc. But the \$\$\$ and people you ultimately want to attract to make it a Travel and Leisure-style recognized destination has to be able to draw from farther markets for weekend and week-long stays. This is only possible if you have a reason to come and a place to stay. This in reality only happens with a luxury property; luxury amenities; and a luxury flag operating within one of the nation's leading hotel operators. We should be able to have Explore Park host a developer of hotels like this and get our 'Napa' / 'Aspen' / 'Asheville' in motion here.	10/18/2015 10:12 AM
245	A campground (of course), Zip-lines/aerial park, gardens	10/18/2015 9:13 AM
246	I think with Roanoke's reputation as a hiking/outdoors getaway, it would be great to have some sort of "glamping" experience with local retail/restaurants as well as a lodge, other overnight accommodations, etc.	10/18/2015 9:13 AM
247	Improve the job climate of Roanoke, so the local people can enjoy the park. I like the idea of a brewery coming to town. Leave Explore park for recreation.	10/18/2015 9:08 AM
248	Campground.	10/18/2015 9:00 AM
249	It's UNNEEDED and a total waste of the taxpayers' money and nothing but millions of dollars of Roanoke County dollars down a black rat hole! Get totally rid of it NOW!	10/18/2015 8:48 AM
250	A zipline would bring in some people. An Aerial tram or self guided coaster, like Ober Gatlinburg.	10/18/2015 8:40 AM
251	improved mountain biking trail system connecting with Mill Mountain, a music venue, a brewery	10/18/2015 8:28 AM
252	lodging and adventure sports	10/18/2015 7:52 AM
253	Adventure camp and camping in general.	10/18/2015 7:13 AM
254	Access to trails for biking, running and hiking.	10/18/2015 5:52 AM
255	What I said.	10/18/2015 12:18 AM
256	Campgrounds If you need me to run it call me	10/17/2015 11:45 PM
257	Theater with concerts ETC . could develop a show like The Common Glory * Long way Home Use to be . This would be written about Virginia and The Wilderness Road . Bringing in Tourists .	10/17/2015 9:12 PM
258	Botanical gardens, trails, nice hike	10/17/2015 8:19 PM
259	Concerts, History events, ziplines	10/17/2015 7:28 PM
260	Market river as headwaters to SML with kayak and tube shuttle service. Work with SML chamber of commerce if necessary to reach out to lake vacationers.	10/17/2015 3:55 PM

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261	RV Campground.	10/17/2015 3:19 PM
262	theme/amusement park	10/17/2015 2:53 PM
263	Zipline	10/17/2015 2:01 PM
264	Educational	10/17/2015 1:26 PM
265	Hiking, brewery	10/17/2015 1:25 PM
266	Same as above	10/17/2015 1:16 PM
267	Wheelchair access	10/17/2015 1:11 PM
268	Adventure trails	10/17/2015 1:10 PM
269	Hiking, biking and scenery at a lookout tower	10/17/2015 12:25 PM
270	Ziplines	10/17/2015 12:21 PM
271	Outdoor events	10/17/2015 11:59 AM
272	Zip line, concerts	10/17/2015 11:34 AM
273	Festivals	10/17/2015 11:07 AM
274	Explores Parks own version of Blue Ridge Festival.	10/17/2015 10:48 AM
275	Gardens, nature center, scenic easily-accessible trails	10/17/2015 10:23 AM
276	Public art	10/17/2015 10:23 AM
277	Zip line	10/17/2015 10:16 AM
278	??	10/17/2015 6:03 AM
279	Something unique to the area. Zipline and/or ropes courses.	10/16/2015 10:04 PM
280	Hiking and biking trails. We need an R.V. Park.	10/16/2015 10:02 PM
281	same as above	10/16/2015 9:54 PM
282	Trails	10/16/2015 7:33 PM
283	Frontier type structures with better access than before. Rotating exhibits that keep people wanting to come back. Camping sites. Equipment rentals for activities.	10/16/2015 6:59 PM
284	See above	10/16/2015 6:40 PM
285	Eco recreation	10/16/2015 6:11 PM
286	Concerts, festival	10/16/2015 6:04 PM
287	Amusement Park	10/16/2015 6:00 PM
288	Concerts	10/16/2015 1:47 PM
289	aerial park and splash park	10/16/2015 1:29 PM
290	Everything hook up and camping	10/16/2015 12:33 PM
291	adventure tourism	10/16/2015 12:20 PM
292	Outdoor recreation like running and biking trails	10/16/2015 11:22 AM
293	Amusement Park	10/16/2015 11:20 AM
294	Camping and lodging	10/16/2015 11:06 AM
295	Hiking trails and/or zipline	10/16/2015 11:02 AM
296	Campground	10/16/2015 10:51 AM
297	1. Full service RV camping - it's very needed in this area of Roanoke. Without a place to park/stay visitors will just go elsewhere.	10/16/2015 10:50 AM
298	Ziplines and campground	10/16/2015 10:21 AM
299	Biking and camping	10/16/2015 10:15 AM

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300	Retail space	10/16/2015 9:55 AM
301	Mountain biking, camping, trail system to get an overnight backpacking trip.	10/16/2015 9:47 AM
302	Brewery, concerts, good bike trails	10/16/2015 9:45 AM
303	Brewery, camping/lodging, biking center: skills park, extensive mountain bike trails for riders of all levels and families.	10/16/2015 8:46 AM
304	Overlooks and trails	10/16/2015 7:53 AM
305	Camping	10/15/2015 10:53 PM
306	Nothing, this is Roanoke, not new york.	10/15/2015 9:00 PM
307	Something visual- overlooks?	10/15/2015 7:30 PM
308	Theme	10/15/2015 6:35 PM
309	World-class mountain bike trails.	10/15/2015 5:36 PM
310	Bring Living History actors.	10/15/2015 5:24 PM
311	Good concerts and adult beverages!	10/15/2015 4:16 PM
312	Concerts, zip lines, waterpark and brewery	10/15/2015 3:10 PM
313	Free	10/15/2015 2:42 PM
314	Some combo of botanical garden, interpretive trail and cultural heritage display.	10/15/2015 1:11 PM
315	the river and forest	10/15/2015 9:10 AM
316	A whitewater park	10/15/2015 9:07 AM
317	History , concerts	10/15/2015 2:29 AM
318	The original park	10/15/2015 12:35 AM
319	A lodge and camping sites to bring mountain biking, kayaking and winter sport lovers.	10/14/2015 11:10 PM
320	Enjoyed it as it was years ago. Place for kids and adults to learn about our heritage as well as a place to walk and take in nature	10/14/2015 9:53 PM
321	RV park with hook ups	10/14/2015 9:02 PM
322	Camping, biking, shows	10/14/2015 7:50 PM
323	Deschutes Brewery, concerts, festivals and the activities would only add to the experience	10/14/2015 7:01 PM
324	zip line	10/14/2015 4:13 PM
325	An amusement park that incorporates the history and beauty of our region. Tie in physical activities with this like hiking, camping, canoeing and fishing.	10/14/2015 12:33 PM
326	trails and overlooks and places to picnic, swimming during the summer months or other kind of water activities	10/14/2015 12:06 PM
327	Being a multi-pronged approach. fishing, kayaking, camping, history, wine festival, are all great ideas. Reaching out to all interest without over development.	10/14/2015 10:56 AM
328	See above	10/14/2015 9:07 AM
329	Provide connectivity between parkway and river activities. Bicycle rental along with river greenway and canoe, kayak rental. Restaurant, nature center,	10/14/2015 7:25 AM
330	restaurant	10/13/2015 6:40 PM
331	glamping and disc golf	10/13/2015 6:29 PM
332	A18 hole Disk Golf Course and a family Camp Ground. Glamping and other unique camping amenities...train cabooses...	10/13/2015 6:10 PM
333	None	10/13/2015 1:03 PM
334	Ziplines/Aerial Park	10/13/2015 8:36 AM
335	Camping	10/13/2015 6:31 AM
336	disc golf, camping	10/13/2015 12:03 AM

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337	Cabins/camping with access multiple activities on site such as a local restaurant, Mtn biking, ziplining, hiking, kayaking. Also facilities that would allow festivals and events to be held.	10/12/2015 9:39 PM
338	?	10/12/2015 9:31 PM
339	world class Disc Golf Course	10/12/2015 8:48 PM
340	camp ground, Roanoke does not offer much for camping	10/12/2015 8:18 PM
341	Zipline , concert	10/12/2015 3:41 PM
342	Adventurous, a nice walking route, a place to rent and launch canoes.	10/12/2015 2:38 PM
343	Outdoor Adventure	10/12/2015 2:38 PM
344	Bike trails, hiking trails, river access	10/12/2015 2:28 PM
345	High adventure & Special events	10/12/2015 2:20 PM
346	races, hiking/biking, concerts, breweries	10/12/2015 2:19 PM
347	I think you should look at options like modified roller coasters, like in Gatlinburg and small water rides. It doesn't need to be a huge amount of rides but something unique to the area. I think little niche shops like what the Town of Niagara Falls have would be a great draw to the area.along with some attractions.	10/12/2015 2:19 PM
348	Concerts and larger events Roanoke is not able to attract because we do not have the proper venue.	10/12/2015 1:21 PM
349	the above but probably more adventure type activities	10/12/2015 12:17 PM
350	zip lines	10/12/2015 11:58 AM
351	Artisan Saturdays drew folks from out of Roanoke	10/12/2015 11:32 AM
352	I believe the park already has the nature, ambiance and attractinos to draw visitors	10/12/2015 11:28 AM
353	Picnic for family - special events. Sign on parkway not clear	10/12/2015 11:25 AM
354	Festivals	10/12/2015 11:21 AM
355	The views and zip line, the millenials are really into adrenaline experience	10/12/2015 10:35 AM
356	zip line, splash park	10/12/2015 9:40 AM
357	festivals, concerts, reenactments	10/12/2015 9:36 AM
358	RV camping / water park	10/12/2015 9:32 AM
359	Camping, crafts and food!	10/12/2015 9:25 AM
360	Perhaps a restaurant - set back in time, a farmers' market, campground for RVs, botanical gardens and fishing oportunities	10/12/2015 9:17 AM
361	Restaurant / lodge like peaks of otter	10/12/2015 9:10 AM
362	Probably zip lines or water park	10/12/2015 8:58 AM
363	Recreational activities.	10/12/2015 8:52 AM
364	cabins, trails	10/12/2015 8:13 AM
365	Fly fishing catch and release	10/12/2015 12:11 AM
366	adventure sport rentals	10/11/2015 1:58 PM
367	Mountain biking trails, cabins and campsite	10/11/2015 1:52 PM
368	Again, the natural assets should be highlighted...a riverwalk- as long as it is not over commercialized would be nice. Guided nature walks, a garden that show off the wildflowers and plants of the Blue Ridge. River access for kayaks..as long as it is not "over-done". A lot of times, projects get out of hand...bigger is not always better!	10/11/2015 9:51 AM
369	hiking or biking, maybe kayaking	10/11/2015 9:04 AM
370	Restaurant, cabins, trails	10/11/2015 12:14 AM
371	Camping, equestrian	10/10/2015 11:45 PM
372	Just to walk on the trails there.	10/10/2015 10:36 PM
373	Interpretive trail and the cultural heritage display	10/10/2015 8:11 PM

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374	Natural Attraction. It is what our world need more than another big development.	10/10/2015 6:59 PM
375	biking development, addition of music/festivities to complement the existing attractions	10/10/2015 6:09 PM
376	Ziplines, adventure park type activities	10/10/2015 4:50 PM
377	Bike park	10/10/2015 1:20 PM
378	Cultural heritage display	10/10/2015 12:47 PM
379	I think the homes on display near the riverside (used for movie shooting) are interesting to visitors. Would be nice to see how people used to live inside as well.	10/10/2015 11:10 AM
380	Music	10/10/2015 10:56 AM
381	Water park activities. Areas where you can bring families for maybe family reunions or wedding parities or get togethers	10/10/2015 10:55 AM
382	Zip Line etc	10/10/2015 8:47 AM
383	Same as question 7	10/10/2015 8:39 AM
384	camping	10/10/2015 7:38 AM
385	They need somewhere to stay first. Ziplines are not uncommon enough to set it apart from other areas.	10/10/2015 5:22 AM
386	More adventurous activities	10/10/2015 12:21 AM
387	Zipline	10/9/2015 10:49 PM
388	Festivals like Go Fest, amphitheater, economic tourism, adventure tourism,	10/9/2015 10:42 PM
389	water park	10/9/2015 10:19 PM
390	Zip lines.	10/9/2015 8:43 PM
391	adventure	10/9/2015 8:26 PM
392	amusement/water park	10/9/2015 8:14 PM
393	Camping, cabins restaurants,	10/9/2015 5:09 PM
394	Observation Area / Overlooks	10/9/2015 3:19 PM
395	Zip line, ot tree canopy course	10/9/2015 3:10 PM
396	canoe/kayak rental river walk public art	10/9/2015 2:54 PM
397	Probably same as above, 7. Remains to be seen what attractions will actually be made available.	10/9/2015 2:32 PM
398	swimming	10/9/2015 12:02 PM
399	Overlooks, Nature Centers, and playgrounds	10/9/2015 11:58 AM
400	None	10/9/2015 11:58 AM
401	In my opinion I would most likely to bring guests to go on the nature walks.	10/9/2015 11:57 AM
402	nice nature setting	10/9/2015 11:57 AM
403	Water spray Feature / Splash Park and the Public art	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
404	overlooks or views	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
405	water park	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
406	I don't know	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
407	Splash park and/or a well known trail.	10/9/2015 11:53 AM
408	Rivers	10/9/2015 11:52 AM
409	Ziplines	10/9/2015 11:52 AM
410	Aerial adventure courses, overlooks and hiking trails, river courses.	10/9/2015 11:50 AM
411	rollercoaster	10/9/2015 11:50 AM
412	The trails	10/9/2015 11:49 AM

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413	Live meat skinning.	10/9/2015 11:49 AM
414	BMX Course - there are numerous tracks in NC and a few in VA. People associated with BMX travel a lot. The Roanoke area, especially the Explore Park scene, would be a great location for a BMX Track	10/9/2015 11:39 AM
415	Concerts, Plays, anything intrsetting to attarct.	10/9/2015 10:26 AM
416	water activities	10/9/2015 10:18 AM
417	ziplines	10/9/2015 10:18 AM
418	concerts, spalsh park, ziplines	10/9/2015 10:17 AM
419	Hiking Trails with nice views	10/9/2015 10:17 AM
420	n/a	10/9/2015 10:17 AM
421	ampitheater (concerts)	10/9/2015 10:16 AM
422	park	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
423	??Buscuts	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
424	wildlife	10/9/2015 10:13 AM
425	white water rafting	10/9/2015 10:13 AM
426	a lake to fish at	10/9/2015 10:13 AM
427	wildlife	10/9/2015 10:11 AM
428	ziplines	10/9/2015 10:11 AM
429	Fishing	10/9/2015 10:11 AM
430	Zp Lines	10/9/2015 10:10 AM
431	Historical displays	10/9/2015 10:09 AM
432	Firework shows.	10/9/2015 10:06 AM
433	fishing	10/9/2015 9:42 AM
434	hiking	10/9/2015 9:39 AM
435	Guided hiking trip with a picnic to go with it.	10/9/2015 9:37 AM
436	Hiking, camping, swimming.	10/9/2015 9:37 AM
437	Kayaking	10/9/2015 9:36 AM
438	ANIMALS	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
439	long walks	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
440	Splash park	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
441	Ampitheatre	10/9/2015 9:31 AM
442	how beautiful it would be	10/9/2015 9:26 AM
443	River and nice stores	10/9/2015 9:24 AM
444	A nature park, camping, family games and activities.	10/9/2015 9:17 AM
445	Ziplining	10/9/2015 9:15 AM
446	none	10/9/2015 9:12 AM
447	Whitewater Rafting	10/9/2015 9:11 AM
448	hiking/camping	10/9/2015 9:07 AM
449	ziplines	10/8/2015 9:32 PM
450	RV campsite rental. We have stayed at some amazing county park campgrounds. (e.g. James Island Campground between Charleston and Folley beach).	10/8/2015 12:10 PM
451	events, ziplining, camping, ropes courses	10/8/2015 9:50 AM



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452	Bolted rock climbs in the gorge.	10/8/2015 9:38 AM
453	Cabins, hiking	10/8/2015 9:37 AM
454	Tree house cabins and great food / beer wine options and a zip line and sup classes and kayak rental	10/8/2015 9:27 AM
455	Treehouses	10/8/2015 8:49 AM
456	Special events	10/8/2015 8:45 AM
457	?	10/8/2015 7:07 AM
458	Biking trails, white water course, competitive events	10/8/2015 4:04 AM
459	I would guess family activities may guided tours and hiking.	10/8/2015 12:23 AM
460	A variety of different activities that live under the same umbrella. I think people would be more apt to consider Explore Park if it offered many different things for families to do. The could eat, shop, and play all in the same spot.	10/7/2015 11:13 PM
461	Same	10/7/2015 11:10 PM
462	Not interested in heavy development. Folks may come once but over time it would become a " already done that" type of thing and the visits would drop off.	10/7/2015 8:13 PM
463	Don't want out of town guests. Enough already	10/7/2015 8:08 PM
464	same as ##7	10/7/2015 8:05 PM
465	See above	10/7/2015 7:42 PM
466	having one place where they could participate in a variety of outdoor activities, mt.biking, kayaking, fishing. swimming, zip line with food, music and camping.	10/7/2015 4:59 PM
467	Festival, concert, adventure activities, camping	10/7/2015 4:46 PM
468	Zip line and ropes course	10/7/2015 4:02 PM
469	Cabins, extensive trail system	10/7/2015 2:08 PM
470	Improved whitewater and improved rock climbing in the Roanoke Gorge	10/7/2015 1:38 PM
471	The Brugh Tavern.... Being a descendant from the man who built it. I used to love taking friends from out of town there..... I'd love to open it back up.....	10/7/2015 11:57 AM
472	Interpretive programs, walks, or signage about the unique features of our local ecosystems.	10/7/2015 11:38 AM
473	Amphitheater	10/7/2015 10:55 AM
474	Camping with an activity component such as a zipline or water park	10/7/2015 10:20 AM
475	mountain biking/kayaking/paddleboarding/ canoeing	10/7/2015 10:00 AM
476	Live music.	10/7/2015 7:13 AM
477	Zipline,, but handicap accessible and cheap/free admissions would also make this more enjoyable for more families.	10/6/2015 11:19 PM
478	Outdoor Adventure like biking or trail riding; Special Event or Cultural/Nature display	10/6/2015 10:22 PM
479	Amusement Park	10/6/2015 9:29 PM
480	Natural Beauty. Scenic River trail.	10/6/2015 9:18 PM
481	Paved bike trails, biking trails and canoe trips and or kayaking	10/6/2015 8:22 PM
482	Attractions like theme park	10/6/2015 6:48 PM
483	Zip-lines and definitely disc golf. Disc golf would bring in tournaments from all over Virginia and the US.	10/6/2015 6:00 PM
484	picnic, river access, biking	10/6/2015 4:28 PM
485	Well planned overlooks (ex. the Star). Ziplines/Aerial Park. Concerts.	10/6/2015 4:11 PM
486	Equestrian Facilities	10/6/2015 4:10 PM
487	Dollywood	10/6/2015 4:07 PM
488	Festivals and things for familys	10/6/2015 4:04 PM
489	Not sure	10/6/2015 2:50 PM

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490	I would most likely bring them to an aerial park and zip line, as well as a kayak and canoe area.	10/6/2015 2:48 PM
491	Theme park	10/6/2015 2:44 PM
492	Well i think what would be pretty cool would be an Amphiteater	10/6/2015 2:18 PM
493	Scenic sites	10/6/2015 2:16 PM
494	a activity depending on whatever is wanted to be done at the time	10/6/2015 2:13 PM
495	Theme park Water park	10/6/2015 2:10 PM
496	REPLICA OF SHADOW MOSES ISLAND METAL GEAR METAL GEAR poptarts	10/6/2015 2:09 PM
497	Kayaking, on site bike rentals, restaurant, amusement parks, adventures, etc.	10/6/2015 2:05 PM
498	Theme park	10/6/2015 2:05 PM
499	Horse Trails that could be turned into a competition ride and allow camping with horses	10/6/2015 1:54 PM
500	campsites; maintained trails;	10/6/2015 1:49 PM
501	Hard to know-- recreational opportunities, music festivals, frontier festivals	10/6/2015 1:21 PM
502	Outdoor activities, zip line & water park.	10/6/2015 12:34 PM
503	Indian Village	10/6/2015 12:05 PM
504	i think that a theme park would attract the most people	10/6/2015 12:02 PM
505	Ziplines, hiking, and fishing	10/6/2015 11:57 AM
506	Family Reunion	10/6/2015 11:54 AM
507	ZIPLINE!	10/6/2015 11:49 AM
508	Better Trails and a Zipline	10/6/2015 11:47 AM
509	(1) Horseback riding with associated ammenities (2) Authentic historical structures (3) Ampitheater attractions, music conventions	10/6/2015 11:33 AM
510	a zip line course, kayaking, camp ground	10/6/2015 10:49 AM
511	Concerts (more bluegrass/country), flea market, events that bring out our heritage such as Indians, settlers here before us, etc.	10/6/2015 10:43 AM
512	Overnight accommodations would make Explore Park attractive to out-of-town guests.	10/6/2015 10:38 AM
513	really fun zipline area	10/6/2015 10:29 AM
514	An amusement park would bring more out of town guests	10/6/2015 10:26 AM
515	Camping, skatepark, hiking, river activities	10/6/2015 10:22 AM
516	paintball	10/6/2015 10:20 AM
517	I think that having a campsite with a mix of biking trails, places for kayaking, places to fish, would bring in outside guests.	10/6/2015 10:19 AM
518	The flora and fauna and beauty of the area	10/6/2015 10:14 AM
519	disney	10/6/2015 10:04 AM
520	Campground	10/6/2015 9:58 AM
521	Hiking, biking, fishing and most importantly, beer	10/6/2015 9:53 AM
522	Horse back riding.	10/6/2015 9:26 AM
523	music festivals!	10/6/2015 9:25 AM
524	Water park, camping, cabins, restaurant.	10/6/2015 8:02 AM
525	The retail options like a brewery would probably bring in a lot of tourists, but I also think investing in a really great outdoor adventure site could make this area as well-known as it should be for outdoor recreation activities. I mean, we're right off the parkway!	10/6/2015 8:02 AM
526	the beauty of the park	10/6/2015 2:55 AM

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527	Living history/hiking	10/6/2015 2:35 AM
528	Tree house cabins , zip lines, mountain bike park	10/6/2015 12:14 AM
529	Horse trails and camping	10/5/2015 10:39 PM
530	Zip lines, Water Park, hiking trails, amphitheater, historical interpretive trail, restaurant	10/5/2015 8:39 PM
531	Having camping facilities would be first step to attracting out of town guests. Once that is in place, events like concerts/festival, races, etc would likely draw more folks.	10/5/2015 8:26 PM
532	I would think that camping with hook ups, cabins/lodge and probably a zip-line or other adventure seeking opportunity. Kayak and canoe rentals would also be a plus.	10/5/2015 6:51 PM
533	Kayaking and canoeing	10/5/2015 6:32 PM
534	Zip Lines, Adventure etc.	10/5/2015 3:49 PM
535	Lodge/Restaurant/Lodging	10/5/2015 3:49 PM
536	Ariel park, paddling	10/5/2015 3:41 PM
537	Scheduled whitewater releases on Roanoke Gorge and better bike trails	10/5/2015 3:37 PM
538	Museum, hiking	10/5/2015 3:28 PM
539	Adventure tourism	10/5/2015 3:22 PM
540	Equestrian trails & horse camping area	10/5/2015 3:14 PM
541	River access and whitewater boating	10/5/2015 3:07 PM
542	Amphitheater and other cultural events	10/5/2015 2:35 PM
543	Overnight camping with focus on nature and Roanoke Zipline-water activities-blue grass music	10/5/2015 2:32 PM
544	Botanical garden as there are none in this area really	10/5/2015 1:52 PM
545	Camping/cabins with easy access to river activities and a zipline park. It would be very unique if the Park developed overnight accommodations in a tree house style.	10/5/2015 1:07 PM
546	The trails or parkways to bike or ride along.	10/5/2015 12:39 PM
547	A camping ground.	10/5/2015 12:33 PM
548	A tree top adventure, much like the one at mountain lake, would bring in out of town guests. The park is very large so it would be possible to build many challenge courses instead of just one. It would be possible to make them on many difficulties rather than doing just one basic course.	10/5/2015 12:31 PM
549	Nature walks/trails, and also fun adventurous activities.	10/5/2015 12:31 PM
550	I would probably bring them to hike or mountain bike the trails and in the summer, canoe or kayak.	10/5/2015 12:28 PM
551	campgrounds, zip lining, adventure tourism	10/5/2015 12:28 PM
552	Theme park	10/5/2015 12:26 PM
553	RV resort/park that has a mix of fun and entertainment attractions. Like a small Knobel park in Penn.	10/5/2015 12:18 PM
554	ziplines	10/5/2015 11:27 AM
555	Amphitheater with great live music in combination with other supporting amenities (trails, camping, self-lead activities)	10/5/2015 10:44 AM
556	Most likely a water park or some kind of outdoor activity area.	10/5/2015 10:21 AM
557	A ziplining park	10/5/2015 10:18 AM
558	water park or zip lines	10/5/2015 10:17 AM
559	ziplines	10/5/2015 10:15 AM
560	bike trails and the sights	10/5/2015 10:12 AM
561	Concert series or restaurant	10/5/2015 9:45 AM
562	adventure park-zip lines kayaking etc	10/5/2015 9:42 AM
563	the view	10/5/2015 9:26 AM

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564	Water Access	10/5/2015 9:11 AM
565	Nature walks or cool activities	10/5/2015 9:03 AM
566	ziplines, waterpark,	10/5/2015 9:01 AM
567	Concert; Horse Show; Dog Show	10/5/2015 8:53 AM
568	a natural splash park, not something expensive, uses natural resources	10/5/2015 8:48 AM
569	an amusement park of some sort	10/5/2015 8:44 AM
570	sight seeing/ hiking	10/5/2015 8:44 AM
571	Seenery	10/5/2015 8:43 AM
572	rollercoasters	10/5/2015 8:42 AM
573	just put some pop culture stuff in it	10/5/2015 8:42 AM
574	No	10/5/2015 8:42 AM
575	Anything to do with Disney	10/5/2015 8:40 AM
576	campgrounds, zipline	10/5/2015 8:38 AM
577	kayak with water park, river tubing, cabins, zip lines	10/5/2015 7:24 AM
578	music	10/5/2015 6:50 AM
579	campgrounds	10/5/2015 6:36 AM
580	Events, festivals	10/5/2015 6:30 AM
581	zipline, amphitheater, bar, biking trail and event	10/5/2015 1:13 AM
582	Whitewater park	10/5/2015 12:48 AM
583	keep it local for the people who enjoy outdoors... Don't turn it into a place that punk kids will destroy	10/4/2015 9:15 PM
584	Hiking, music	10/4/2015 9:08 PM
585	A family gathering at the park	10/4/2015 9:05 PM
586	Natural areas for families to safely enjoy the outdoors.	10/4/2015 8:06 PM
587	A well balance between nature and accommodations especially camping, hiking and heritage	10/4/2015 8:02 PM
588	Cabins and campsites along with more outdoor activities.	10/4/2015 7:27 PM
589	hiking trails, picnic area	10/4/2015 7:26 PM
590	there are done wake up ok?	10/4/2015 6:33 PM
591	Camping?	10/4/2015 6:26 PM
592	High adventure, rental for equipment, cabins/camping	10/4/2015 5:52 PM
593	Something adventurous would bring people in. A picnic sight and hiking trails they can access at any state or city park. It has to be unique otherwise why would I drive farther than I have to for something I can do closer to home?	10/4/2015 4:25 PM
594	History	10/4/2015 4:08 PM
595	The outdoor recreation and lodging options.	10/4/2015 3:09 PM
596	Outdoor adventure	10/4/2015 3:02 PM
597	We need to key in on our towns 'recreational city' title. Make it a place where recreational sports can be showcased. Mountain bikeing race/event. White water access and training area. Fly fishing tournament. Music festival along with the events.	10/4/2015 2:19 PM
598	All of the above	10/4/2015 1:23 PM
599	Organized equestrian events, Pow-wows, zip-lines, and adventure packages.	10/4/2015 1:16 PM
600	Horseback riding with trails wide enough for wagons.	10/4/2015 12:03 PM
601	Cabins, gardens, hiking	10/4/2015 12:01 PM
602	Horse trails and csmping stall at eas	10/4/2015 11:32 AM

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603	Occasional community events that are in line with the park's vision.	10/4/2015 10:31 AM
604	water parks /campground with kayaking and outdoor fun	10/4/2015 10:27 AM
605	Camping	10/4/2015 10:24 AM
606	Anything to do with kayaking or being on the river	10/4/2015 9:34 AM
607	Lodge	10/4/2015 9:33 AM
608	A good combination of camping, outdoor activities and high adventure. Something unique to this area. I think tree houses is a fantastic idea. Zip lines amd ariel parks is a great idea too but you would need to move quickly, they are becoming more common.	10/4/2015 9:21 AM
609	camping	10/4/2015 9:11 AM
610	Camp ground	10/4/2015 7:39 AM
611	Art	10/4/2015 7:39 AM
612	Adventure	10/4/2015 6:56 AM
613	Camping, Equestrian special events, historic events	10/4/2015 6:50 AM
614	Hiking trails with good interpretation	10/4/2015 6:13 AM
615	adventure sport events	10/4/2015 2:55 AM
616	Zip-line and kayak/canoeing	10/4/2015 1:27 AM
617	Historical museum or similar educational attractions.	10/3/2015 11:34 PM
618	kayaking water park	10/3/2015 11:01 PM
619	Scenery, low impact hiking trails, picnic area, water access, playground	10/3/2015 9:49 PM
620	Camping, restaurant and trails.	10/3/2015 8:55 PM
621	Fishing. disc golf .water park	10/3/2015 8:36 PM
622	RV camping	10/3/2015 8:30 PM
623	Horse camp	10/3/2015 7:42 PM
624	Definitely equestrian trails will bring people from out of town. Bicycle trails and boat launches also would bring people from out of town, but not as far as equestrian trails. People come farther for equestrian trails b/c they are less prevalent.	10/3/2015 7:33 PM
625	Tree house cabins.	10/3/2015 7:12 PM
626	Paddle boarding	10/3/2015 6:24 PM
627	Camping & river activities	10/3/2015 5:20 PM
628	Same as 7	10/3/2015 4:05 PM
629	Aerial park	10/3/2015 3:58 PM
630	Major attraction like Busch Gardens but that's not going to happen.	10/3/2015 2:01 PM
631	Easier access to the river.	10/3/2015 1:56 PM
632	RV parking , lodge with dining, adventure races, camp Rv park / camping, lodge with dining, adventure races, quality trails and water access. Music performace, ie lime kiln in lexington, va. Or Wolf trap, va.	10/3/2015 1:53 PM
633	I would be most likely to bring people for daytime nature walks, followed by a meal (at a restaurant in Explore Park or nearby) and then an evening of stargazing in Explore Park.	10/3/2015 12:14 PM
634	Camping	10/3/2015 11:59 AM
635	White water courses biking lodging camping	10/3/2015 11:57 AM
636	rv park water park	10/3/2015 11:47 AM
637	Zip line/arial tour, hiking, biking, camping, paddling	10/3/2015 11:37 AM
638	amphitheater with events	10/3/2015 10:39 AM
639	Horse trails	10/3/2015 10:19 AM

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640	camping	10/3/2015 9:58 AM
641	outdoor adventures with camping sites for campers and a brewery	10/3/2015 9:49 AM
642	All of the above	10/3/2015 9:39 AM
643	Outdoor recreation similar to that found at the white water center in Charlotte NC	10/3/2015 9:12 AM
644	The outdoor recreations such as fishing hiking kayaking camping and zip lines would be awesome to see the beautiful valley and really fun attraction.	10/3/2015 8:27 AM
645	Amphitheater, cultural events, riverwalk	10/3/2015 8:22 AM
646	Disc golf	10/3/2015 8:10 AM
647	Again the whitewater center like Charlotte	10/3/2015 7:17 AM
648	Educational programs or cabins	10/3/2015 2:31 AM
649	Camping, hiking, canoeing.	10/3/2015 12:36 AM
650	amphitheater	10/2/2015 11:24 PM
651	An amusment park but that would take away from the natural beauty of the whole place	10/2/2015 11:10 PM
652	Biking trails, kayaking	10/2/2015 10:18 PM
653	Whitewater course	10/2/2015 10:09 PM
654	Any attraction would be worth seeing	10/2/2015 9:45 PM
655	Hiking Trails	10/2/2015 9:08 PM
656	Places for seniors and transpotion to river and overlooks	10/2/2015 8:45 PM
657	Riverwalk	10/2/2015 8:02 PM
658	Nature	10/2/2015 7:08 PM
659	festivals, with events like a marathon, or some other outdoor activity	10/2/2015 6:40 PM
660	horse trail	10/2/2015 6:20 PM
661	Kayaking,biking	10/2/2015 6:02 PM
662	retail	10/2/2015 5:58 PM
663	A water park. Not necessarily "Disney style", but any type of water feature attraction which would offer opportunities for differing age groups. Roanoke has enough history, art, and educational opportunities - we simply need to make this one fun, yet relaxing.	10/2/2015 5:38 PM
664	Need to think of things that would draw people all year. Have another way (other then the Parkway/Rutrough rd) to get into Explore Park to have winter activities, outdoor ice skating ring, cross country skiing, etc.. Other activities I mark under Park Activities above question #6.	10/2/2015 5:31 PM
665	Hiking, also...DISC GOLF!	10/2/2015 5:13 PM
666	Camp ground and bath house!	10/2/2015 4:40 PM
667	Winery, restaurants,music	10/2/2015 4:40 PM
668	I think a great series of trails, kayaking, biking, botanical gardens....	10/2/2015 4:12 PM
669	Same as above. Possibly an aerial park too.	10/2/2015 4:05 PM
670	Same as #7	10/2/2015 3:46 PM
671	I would take them for a hike and then a meal there.	10/2/2015 3:14 PM
672	White water features in river. High end skills park for mountain biking, bmx jumps, pump track, etc. Brewery or brew house place.	10/2/2015 2:20 PM
673	Absolutely the amphitheater. People travel hundreds of miles for concerts.	10/2/2015 2:16 PM
674	Campgrounds along with group activities for families.	10/2/2015 2:03 PM
675	Whitewater park	10/2/2015 1:45 PM
676	All of the above with possible cabin rental too!	10/2/2015 1:30 PM

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677	all the above	10/2/2015 12:53 PM
678	water park, historical display, brewery	10/2/2015 12:44 PM
679	I had my wedding there many years ago. That brought a pile of people from out of town, so I guess events,	10/2/2015 12:28 PM
680	Hiking, river walk, cultural heritage display	10/2/2015 12:20 PM
681	white water park, high ropes course, trail running & mtn bike series	10/2/2015 12:13 PM
682	A zip line combined with the ability to rent inflatable kayaks could attract visitors (especially those travelling on the Blue Ridge Parkway). You might need a take out at the final rapid (fall line) upstream of Rutrough Road for those who rent the inflatables.	10/2/2015 12:06 PM
683	Ampetheatre, lodge, kayak rentals, canoe launch, cabins	10/2/2015 11:49 AM
684	Above	10/2/2015 11:45 AM
685	Keep the trails, visitor center, exhibition and video. Add restaurant(s)/food stands, picnic area(s), playground(s)	10/2/2015 11:40 AM
686	Special events (festivals)	10/2/2015 11:36 AM
687	Zip lines. Please Don't.	10/2/2015 11:29 AM
688	Lodge - with information about nature, history, trails	10/2/2015 11:28 AM
689	cabins	10/2/2015 11:11 AM
690	Recreation and a restaurant	10/2/2015 10:50 AM
691	zip lines, restricted utv / atv trails (and separate parking for such as tow trailers are typically involved.	10/2/2015 10:37 AM
692	Just a well rounded park with a variety of outdoor rec opportunities. More river access. Cleaner.	10/2/2015 10:36 AM
693	Ziplines and/or botanical gardens	10/2/2015 10:27 AM
694	The addition of said whitewater play park/course would be what I would bring out of town guests to see. Not only do I have friends and family who are whitewater paddlers, but my wife and I teach whitewater canoe and kayak skills classes and instructor classes. We already bring students from other parts of the country, but sometimes must find other venues out of town to instruct properly.	10/2/2015 10:25 AM
695	Whitewater park. All other outdoor activities can be had relatively close at existing locations	10/2/2015 10:18 AM
696	Mostly the old historical Explore park interpretative, but given little chance of funding for that, I would hope for guided nature hikes and well kept trails with information about trees and animals.	10/2/2015 10:13 AM
697	See above.	10/2/2015 10:13 AM
698	camping with other activities like boating, fishing, hiking, biking	10/2/2015 10:11 AM
699	Hiking/biking/boating coupled with camping/lodging.	10/2/2015 10:00 AM
700	Ziplines	10/2/2015 9:59 AM
701	An attraction that would bring families or groups would most likely bring in out of town guests.	10/2/2015 9:51 AM
702	An intelligently designed park with focus on nature and accessibility that doesn't mar the wild.	10/2/2015 9:49 AM
703	Natural Enviroment	10/2/2015 9:48 AM
704	Water features, picnic area with well maintained restrooms, Kayak rental	10/2/2015 9:37 AM
705	Zip Lines, white water course, special events (concerts, races, etc)	10/2/2015 9:22 AM
706	a river walk, hiking trail and picnic areas.	10/2/2015 9:17 AM
707	Camping	10/2/2015 9:06 AM
708	Brewery, SUP	10/2/2015 8:56 AM
709	Camping and outdoor events such as concerts	10/2/2015 8:31 AM
710	Resturant	10/2/2015 7:59 AM
711	Zip lining and kayaking	10/2/2015 7:38 AM
712	Disc golf course!	10/2/2015 7:20 AM
713	Large campground	10/2/2015 7:14 AM

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714	Biking, hiking and special events (concerts or history days/fall festivals, etc.)	10/2/2015 7:12 AM
715	Whitewater park	10/2/2015 7:04 AM
716	A concert or festival	10/2/2015 6:51 AM
717	horse back trailriding and equestrian events. Also ziplines, Aerial Park.	10/2/2015 5:50 AM
718	Cabins, showers, hiking trails, mountain biking, kayaking, fishing	10/2/2015 12:00 AM
719	See above	10/1/2015 11:53 PM
720	Live demos and special events	10/1/2015 11:45 PM
721	First would be an Archery range. Second would be a well-designed disc golf course.	10/1/2015 11:32 PM
722	Water park	10/1/2015 11:10 PM
723	Adventure activities, swimming in the river, historic buildings, brewery, restaurant	10/1/2015 11:08 PM
724	Amphitheater and camping	10/1/2015 11:05 PM
725	Huge flea market or extra large craft sale if seen it done	10/1/2015 10:59 PM
726	Hiking trails	10/1/2015 10:45 PM
727	Splash park, heritage site	10/1/2015 10:44 PM
728	Hiking trails	10/1/2015 10:32 PM
729	Who wants out of town guests? Disc golf would do it though as well as canoe takeout.	10/1/2015 10:25 PM
730	cabins and brewery	10/1/2015 10:11 PM
731	I used to bring out-of-town guests to the living history exhibits. I would bring them to go hiking along the river and to see good nature exhibits.	10/1/2015 10:10 PM
732	Ziplines	10/1/2015 10:06 PM
733	Hiking, horseback riding, zipline, concerts	10/1/2015 10:00 PM
734	Whitewater kayak course	10/1/2015 9:59 PM
735	Don't know	10/1/2015 9:59 PM
736	winery/brewery Amusement park	10/1/2015 9:51 PM
737	Concerts	10/1/2015 9:47 PM
738	Same	10/1/2015 9:46 PM
739	Entertainment in an amphitheater ; observation; hiking trails; fishing; zip line	10/1/2015 9:38 PM
740	Treehouses, hiking, adventure	10/1/2015 9:34 PM
741	zip lines/ camping/rentals/historical education	10/1/2015 9:29 PM
742	Overlooks, zip line. Water park and playground. Restaurant and/or picnic area.	10/1/2015 9:20 PM
743	Amphitheater	10/1/2015 9:10 PM
744	Zip lines	10/1/2015 9:09 PM
745	Botanical garden	10/1/2015 9:07 PM
746	Places to stay.	10/1/2015 9:07 PM
747	Concerts	10/1/2015 8:59 PM
748	Outdoor concerts, hiking, bike trails, kayaking	10/1/2015 8:52 PM
749	swimming, cookouts	10/1/2015 8:52 PM
750	Water park	10/1/2015 8:46 PM
751	Ariel adventure shooting range lodge water rafting	10/1/2015 8:45 PM
752	Disc golf	10/1/2015 8:37 PM
753	Disc Golf course. Lots of opportunities for tournaments that will attract out-of-town players.	10/1/2015 8:17 PM



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754	Trails	10/1/2015 8:16 PM
755	Disc golf, kayak rentals, mountain biking, and zip lines	10/1/2015 8:10 PM
756	historical park like Jamestown	10/1/2015 8:08 PM
757	Eco- tourism/adventure hot spot	10/1/2015 7:53 PM
758	Bike skills park	10/1/2015 7:20 PM
759	Running event	10/1/2015 7:03 PM
760	Zip-Lines	10/1/2015 6:59 PM
761	amusement park or water park	10/1/2015 6:42 PM
762	Whitewater park	10/1/2015 5:59 PM
763	Exceptional disc golf course to host tournaments.	10/1/2015 5:28 PM
764	Nature center and local ecology programs Nature or adventure camps Access to "Please Touch" natural areas Really liked and regularly visited some of the hands-on historical parts of the old park	10/1/2015 5:27 PM
765	Zip lining	10/1/2015 5:09 PM
766	Adventure Tourism - rafting, zip lines, climbing walls, etc	10/1/2015 4:56 PM
767	Better kept up park in general.	10/1/2015 4:47 PM
768	Adventure amenities, more mountain biking, zip lines, white water, RV park/cabin rentals	10/1/2015 4:39 PM
769	Nature settings	10/1/2015 4:27 PM
770	camping	10/1/2015 4:10 PM
771	Water park, lodge, zip lines	10/1/2015 3:52 PM
772	Lodge/restaurant/music	10/1/2015 3:42 PM
773	Almost all of the above.	10/1/2015 3:37 PM
774	Brewery/Distillery, Concerts, Adventure sports	10/1/2015 3:33 PM
775	Cycling Trails	10/1/2015 3:23 PM
776	Mountain bike trails	10/1/2015 3:21 PM
777	Cultural Heritage display	10/1/2015 3:19 PM
778	Interactive historical features	10/1/2015 3:08 PM
779	Whitewater kayaking	10/1/2015 2:54 PM
780	Camping and RV sites	10/1/2015 2:46 PM
781	Camping and or cabins	10/1/2015 2:46 PM
782	Hiking	10/1/2015 2:29 PM
783	Camping/Cabins	10/1/2015 2:09 PM
784	A whitewater park, see above	10/1/2015 2:03 PM
785	Bike trails and adventure tourism	10/1/2015 2:01 PM
786	Whitewater kayaking	10/1/2015 2:00 PM
787	Disc Golf	10/1/2015 1:57 PM
788	More developed biking trails	10/1/2015 1:47 PM
789	Nature, water activities, camping	10/1/2015 1:38 PM
790	Disc Gold - if we can get enough in the area we could hold a national tournament	10/1/2015 1:29 PM
791	Camping facilities	10/1/2015 1:26 PM
792	Horseback riding/camping	10/1/2015 1:22 PM
793	Disc golf course	10/1/2015 1:16 PM

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794	Disc golf course	10/1/2015 1:07 PM
795	Music festival	10/1/2015 1:06 PM
796	Aerial Park, Botanical Garden, River Walk and Horseback Riding access	10/1/2015 1:02 PM
797	BIKING!	10/1/2015 12:59 PM
798	Horse camping and Horse Trails	10/1/2015 12:58 PM
799	N/A	10/1/2015 12:55 PM
800	a whitewater park for kayakers	10/1/2015 12:50 PM
801	TENT CAMPING, POOL, CABIN RENTALS	10/1/2015 12:44 PM
802	whitewater park, ziplining and mountain bike	10/1/2015 12:35 PM
803	18 hole disc golf course.	10/1/2015 12:30 PM
804	Horse back riding camping and trails like James River state park.	10/1/2015 12:22 PM
805	Equestrian access to the trails.	10/1/2015 12:21 PM
806	Ziplines, aerial features, things roanoke doesnt already have	10/1/2015 12:19 PM
807	whitewater feature	10/1/2015 12:13 PM
808	music events	10/1/2015 12:08 PM
809	Championship level disc golf course	10/1/2015 12:08 PM
810	Equestrian trails; music festivals	10/1/2015 12:04 PM
811	Hiking	10/1/2015 12:04 PM
812	Outdoor activities, cultural heritage	10/1/2015 12:03 PM
813	It's a very affordable sport that people flock too, and it's growing at an exponential rate. The number of Paid PDGA memberships and courses are on the rise. For example: In 2002, the number of courses was someplace between 500-1000. In 2015 we are over 4,000 (registered) courses. PDGA yearly memberships are also on the rise. A player must contain one of these memberships if playing in a PDGA sanctioned tournament. Internationally, overall membership growth was at 25% in 2014 (21% in '13), with events increasing by 18% (14% in '13). The number of new members in Canada alone grew by 24% in 2014 and a whopping 33% in 2013! In 2014 US sanctioned events grew by 11% and active membership by 16%. Amazingly, these numbers don't seem to be slowing any time soon!	10/1/2015 11:45 AM
814	Horseback riding and equestrian campground	10/1/2015 11:42 AM
815	Nature based adventure. We already frequent the mountain bike trails!	10/1/2015 11:41 AM
816	Whitewater park	10/1/2015 11:37 AM
817	Water stuff and trails.	10/1/2015 11:37 AM
818	Bike trails described above...Kayaking, camping.	10/1/2015 11:33 AM
819	Amphitheater	10/1/2015 11:22 AM
820	camping	10/1/2015 11:22 AM
821	Events held at Explore Park would bring people in, and they would then use other amenities. For example, a music festival or craft beer festival would draw people to hike and do other things.	10/1/2015 11:18 AM
822	concerts	10/1/2015 11:09 AM
823	zipline tours and camping along the river	10/1/2015 11:07 AM
824	The history, Showcasing pioneer days. Horseback riding as riding clubs would come use the park. Especially if there were camping/cabins available and stalls for the horses like the state parks have.	10/1/2015 11:01 AM
825	Whitewater Park!!!	10/1/2015 10:51 AM
826	horseback trail riding where guests bring their own horses. Although, you might consider offering the place to someone to do guided trail rides using their horses for those who don't have a horse.	10/1/2015 10:48 AM
827	Historical/Nature Center. Resturant/Loging? Folk Music/blue grass events.	10/1/2015 10:41 AM
828	More trails - biking, hiking	10/1/2015 10:22 AM

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829	Over night camping and fishing canoeing	10/1/2015 10:11 AM
830	Living history that the old Explore Park featured.	10/1/2015 9:36 AM
831	EPark has an ideal opportunity to build on one of its natural assets --- its night sky is dark. To become a place where visitors can learn about the night sky and astronomy would give EPark a unique niche in the tourism business. A green environment is a huge draw today.	10/1/2015 9:34 AM
832	Anything appealing to nature enthusiasts	10/1/2015 9:30 AM
833	Hiking trails with botanical scenery	10/1/2015 9:16 AM
834	All of the above.	10/1/2015 9:02 AM
835	I'd like to see an easily-accessible river walk--handicapped accessible.	10/1/2015 8:58 AM
836	adventure activities	10/1/2015 8:39 AM
837	History about the area and how people lived in this area when the area was first populated. Also walking along the river, and or something to show off the beauty of the area.	10/1/2015 8:18 AM
838	Lodge or other overnight accommodations	10/1/2015 8:13 AM
839	The Roanoke River to canoe/kayak.	10/1/2015 7:58 AM
840	camping	10/1/2015 7:31 AM
841	Splash park	10/1/2015 6:55 AM
842	See previous answer	10/1/2015 6:55 AM
843	bluegrass music	10/1/2015 5:56 AM
844	zip line & rental cabins, although I am not very interested in it.	10/1/2015 3:48 AM
845	Hiking/nature trails, overlooks, outdoor activities	10/1/2015 1:56 AM
846	Historical Interpretation	10/1/2015 1:39 AM
847	Recreation of Appalachian past.	10/1/2015 1:13 AM
848	The above	9/30/2015 10:59 PM
849	Water park with zip line tours.	9/30/2015 10:31 PM
850	Historical park	9/30/2015 10:11 PM
851	Well managed combo of all of the above.	9/30/2015 9:46 PM
852	zip lines. kayaking. biking	9/30/2015 9:40 PM
853	Restaurant.	9/30/2015 9:31 PM
854	Annual horse event. Trail ride or endurance riding.	9/30/2015 9:18 PM
855	Kayak and hiking	9/30/2015 7:19 PM
856	Retail & Special Events, RV site for traveling BRP, Festivals Music and Family	9/30/2015 6:44 PM
857	I personally would be most likely to take someone kayaking or have someone RV camp.	9/30/2015 6:37 PM
858	Camping might actually be a good idea as there is little available in the Roanoke area.	9/30/2015 5:31 PM
859	Overlooks, restaurant, nature/river walks	9/30/2015 4:16 PM
860	A whitewater park.	9/30/2015 3:59 PM
861	White water park	9/30/2015 3:07 PM
862	Cultural crafts	9/30/2015 2:54 PM
863	Zip line, canoe rentals, discount days, promote bike trails. bike rentals (get a local shop to set up a business?) promote bike events - huge local biker population and groups riding regularly should tap into these folk! Develop more bike trails?? Ask the local guys for help on this	9/30/2015 2:30 PM
864	Adventure park / amusement park	9/30/2015 1:52 PM
865	A lodge.	9/30/2015 1:52 PM

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866	Take advantage of what's great... the outdoors, fishing, canoeing, hiking, nature promotion.	9/30/2015 1:52 PM
867	Whitewater, hiking, climbing, camping.	9/30/2015 1:49 PM
868	I heard that people call the park often asking about camping opportunities. With a variety of opportunities for outdoor recreation whether on land or in the water, camping opportunities would get people to come and stay.	9/30/2015 1:30 PM
869	Whitewater park	9/30/2015 12:57 PM
870	interpretive trail	9/30/2015 12:44 PM
871	Trails	9/30/2015 12:40 PM
872	Outdoor events such as concerts and wine festivals	9/30/2015 12:32 PM
873	Special Events	9/30/2015 12:31 PM
874	races!! events!!	9/30/2015 12:28 PM
875	whitewater park	9/30/2015 11:55 AM
876	Botanical Garden	9/30/2015 11:43 AM
877	outdoor adventure	9/30/2015 11:42 AM
878	concerts	9/30/2015 11:35 AM
879	Mountain Bike Adventure World	9/30/2015 11:35 AM
880	Camping/ lodge.	9/30/2015 11:27 AM
881	Zip-line, aerial park.	9/30/2015 11:25 AM
882	Cool park	9/30/2015 11:20 AM
883	Zip line park, Cycling trails, camping.	9/30/2015 11:15 AM
884	Overnight camping, zip line	9/30/2015 11:15 AM
885	Anything that offers Outdoor Adventure. What will make Explore Park different from every other Outdoor Park? Currently there is no zip line in Roanoke, the closest is probably Mountain Lake Lodge or Wilderness Adventure that focus more on providing activities for hotel guests or groups. Scenic Mountain Coasters are also proving to be big hits in the Smokey Mountains.	9/30/2015 11:12 AM
886	Concerts.	9/30/2015 11:11 AM
887	Activities that take advantage of the terrain for a *unique* experience to the area, Zorb balls, Alpine Coaster, Zip Lines, Water Slides, etc.	9/30/2015 11:05 AM
888	white water park	9/30/2015 10:57 AM
889	nature center, botanical garden, riverwalk	9/30/2015 10:56 AM
890	Zip lines & shopping	9/30/2015 10:49 AM
891	Adventure	9/30/2015 10:48 AM
892	Zipline/camping/white water rafting/canoe launch	9/30/2015 10:44 AM
893	Whitewater park and more camping.	9/30/2015 10:42 AM
894	Full RV hook ups, camping and cabins.. People traveling need a place to stay to be able to visit our great city of Roanoke. 2nd would be an eatery to allow people traveling time to relax with a meal.	9/30/2015 10:20 AM
895	The original explore park as stated above	9/30/2015 10:20 AM
896	Much like my answer to 7. It's such an amazing place but it's just there. Meaning, it could more fun/organized attractions.	9/30/2015 10:19 AM
897	brewery or distillery. Outdoor ampitheatre similar to Lime Kiln.	9/30/2015 10:17 AM
898	Whitewater and ziplines	9/30/2015 10:05 AM
899	no question a whitewater park and an area for folks to primitively camp to make it easy. Access down to the river near the dam is extremely difficult and thought I was going to have a heart attack almost just getting my boat down to the water near the niagra dam.	9/30/2015 9:56 AM
900	Hiking	9/30/2015 9:51 AM

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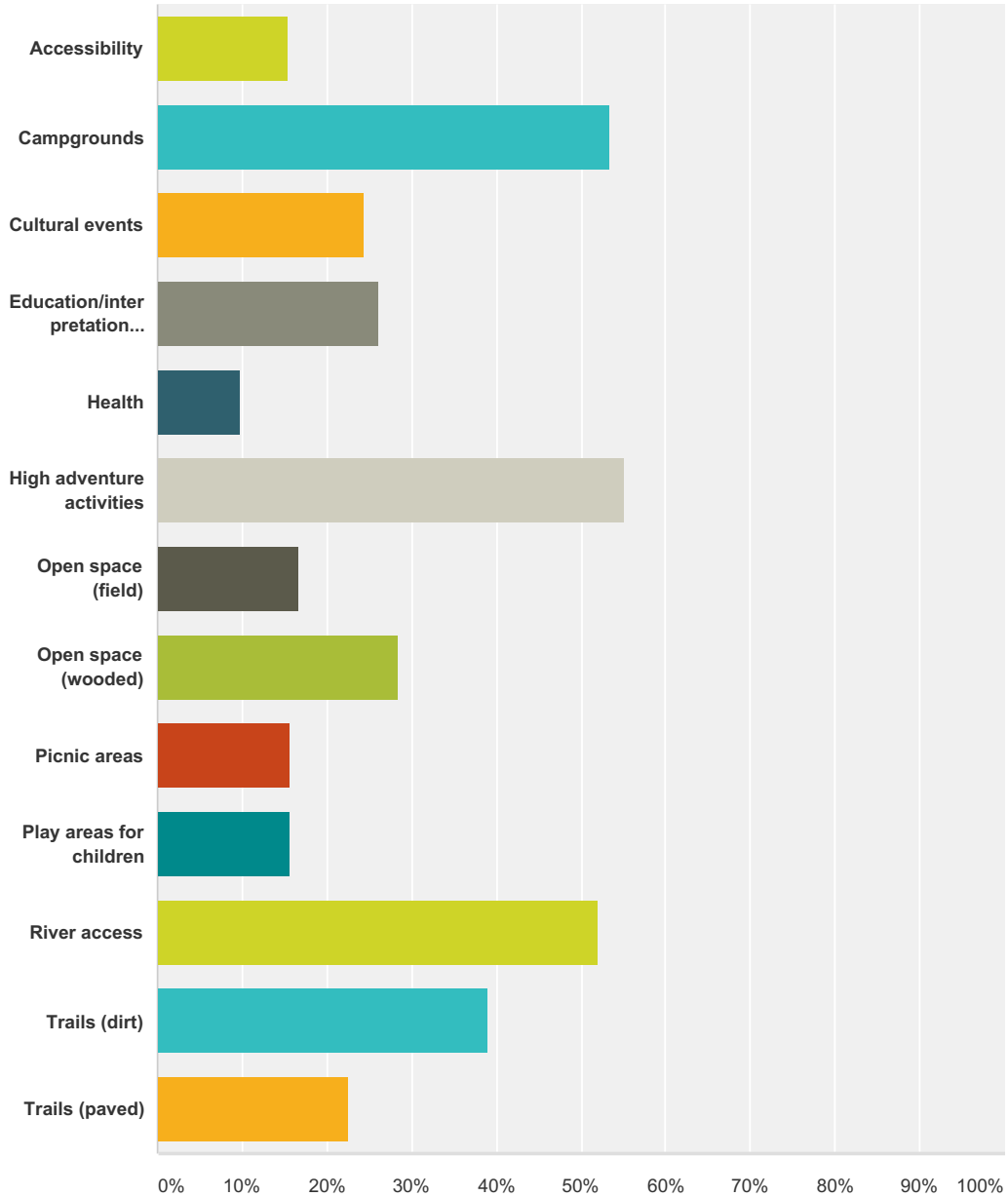
901	Depends. If they are already on the parkway, any open nature center is an attraction. If you want to increase traffic to the spot, add a restaurant or something difficult to find on the parkway.	9/30/2015 9:31 AM
902	Recreation biking, kayaking camping	9/30/2015 9:22 AM
903	cabins, camp sites	9/30/2015 8:23 AM
904	not sure	9/30/2015 8:15 AM
905	outdoor adventure activites	9/30/2015 7:55 AM
906	Lodge with multiple recreational activities	9/30/2015 7:33 AM
907	A major weekend event with many artists to perform in an amphitheater and have on site camping. Something akin to Floydfest or Lock'n.	9/30/2015 2:03 AM
908	I'm not sure. Something that's not available where they are.	9/29/2015 8:48 PM
909	The living history experiences.	9/29/2015 8:24 PM
910	Water Spray Feature/Splash Park	9/29/2015 7:32 PM
911	Scenic views and walking/hiking trails.	9/29/2015 6:33 PM
912	Nature center	9/29/2015 4:37 PM
913	history and trails	9/29/2015 4:37 PM
914	the river and mill mountain	9/29/2015 4:29 PM
915	Zip line	9/29/2015 4:10 PM
916	Amphitheater	9/29/2015 4:09 PM
917	Fishing, kayaking, biking, hiking	9/29/2015 4:03 PM
918	hiking trails with observation areas/overlooks	9/29/2015 3:00 PM
919	Lodge and activities plus a modest price place to eat	9/29/2015 2:44 PM
920	RV CAMPING with FULL hook ups! And then a bit of everything...zip lines, hiking, biking, disc golf, swimming, fishing,par 3 (18 holes preferably)! Make it appealing with the variety!	9/29/2015 2:30 PM
921	Hike trails - including river walk.	9/29/2015 2:08 PM
922	Living History Museum	9/29/2015 1:52 PM
923	Lodging and camping coupled with outdoor recreation opportunities.	9/29/2015 1:06 PM
924	Mountain biking with camping	9/29/2015 11:58 AM
925	water park with overnight accommodations	9/29/2015 11:41 AM
926	Hiking and camping. Nature centers and picnic areas	9/29/2015 10:59 AM
927	zip lines, splash park and ability to camp/lodge/have cabin	9/29/2015 10:46 AM
928	Zip line	9/29/2015 10:39 AM
929	No opinion	9/29/2015 10:34 AM
930	Though I didn't rate it highly, I do think that some adventure type activities would be good along with the concert/activity area mentioned above. You already have good educational facilities and these should be maintained. Bringing in groups of school children for educational field trips will also introduce them to the park family benefits and thus encourage future visits. Anything that gets families outdoors increases the health of the participants and the area.	9/29/2015 10:25 AM
931	Splash park, zip lines indoor water park like the great wolf lodge type...trampoline outdoor park.. Something adventurous and different.	9/29/2015 10:23 AM
932	A lodge with trails, access to river, and historic attractions	9/29/2015 10:21 AM
933	Outdoor public events and festivals on weekends.	9/29/2015 10:05 AM
934	High ropes courses, camping, restaurant	9/29/2015 10:03 AM
935	Zip lines & high ropes course.	9/29/2015 9:33 AM
936	Special restaurant with river views.	9/29/2015 9:30 AM

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937	I really think you should look into adding an area like the "Adventure Park in VA Beach". I believe it would bring in money and attach more people to the area while preserving the beauty of the area.	9/29/2015 9:30 AM
938	Cabins, lodge and/or campgrounds. We need more lodging options that match the type of mountain and outdoor community we have.	9/29/2015 9:28 AM
939	The interpreters (in costume) and viewing inside the old buildings decorated with historical artifacts. Bring back the animals! Historical walk through during the day, & performances in an amphitheater at night. (Like the Lost Colony play on the Outer Banks)...VERY FUN!	9/29/2015 8:31 AM
940	White water rafting	9/29/2015 8:17 AM
941	Kayaking	9/29/2015 8:14 AM
942	Clean, safe, well-kept hiking trails	9/29/2015 8:13 AM
943	ziplines	9/28/2015 8:40 PM
944	Amphitheater, outdoor active events, wedding venue	9/28/2015 8:27 PM
945	water park	9/28/2015 6:37 PM
946	see previous comments	9/28/2015 5:18 PM
947	Campsite and hiking/water activities.	9/28/2015 4:59 PM
948	Something with more critical mass than is there now would be necessary and more money to market the park aggressively.	9/28/2015 4:40 PM
949	Hiking trails and zipline	9/28/2015 4:35 PM
950	Heritage area	9/28/2015 3:31 PM

**Q9 In your opinion, what community needs are NOT being addressed adequately through other local parks? (check all that apply)**

Answered: 997 Skipped: 139



Answer Choices	Responses
Accessibility	15.35% 153
Campgrounds	53.36% 532
Cultural events	24.37% 243
Education/interpretation programs	26.18% 261

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Health	9.83%	98
High adventure activities	55.07%	549
Open space (field)	16.65%	166
Open space (wooded)	28.49%	284
Picnic areas	15.75%	157
Play areas for children	15.65%	156
River access	52.06%	519
Trails (dirt)	39.02%	389
Trails (paved)	22.57%	225
<b>Total Respondents: 997</b>		

#	Other needs not listed	Date
1	Dark area for astronomers	10/30/2015 6:35 AM
2	Places to hike where the trails are for foot travel only. When bicycles are also allowed on hiking trails as they are at Carvin's Cove (for example) the trails are quickly ruined for foot travel.	10/29/2015 8:13 PM
3	more dog friendly areas, where well behaved dogs can roam a bit	10/29/2015 5:26 PM
4	maintenance (parks city/county being mowed every 2 wks)	10/29/2015 10:20 AM
5	Astronomy viewing areas - low light and good horizon	10/29/2015 9:43 AM
6	day use like a water park or swimming. Green Ridge/Splash Valley is already overcrowded and therefore unappealing.	10/28/2015 8:41 PM
7	disc golf	10/28/2015 6:52 PM
8	Dark areas for astronomy	10/28/2015 5:52 PM
9	Upkeep of the existing structures.	10/28/2015 3:01 PM
10	A Quality 18 Hole Disc Golf Course In Roanoke	10/28/2015 12:23 PM
11	embracing the historical significance of the area.	10/28/2015 11:19 AM
12	Nature	10/28/2015 11:03 AM
13	Not sure	10/28/2015 11:03 AM
14	disc golf	10/28/2015 9:51 AM
15	horse trailer parking	10/28/2015 8:41 AM
16	horseback riding trails	10/28/2015 8:19 AM
17	horseback riding trails	10/28/2015 8:12 AM
18	horse trails	10/28/2015 8:09 AM
19	equestrian trails	10/28/2015 8:03 AM
20	Disc golf	10/27/2015 8:37 PM
21	Atv park	10/27/2015 10:24 AM
22	horse traild	10/26/2015 1:02 PM
23	Nature	10/25/2015 5:40 PM
24	The roanoke greenway is too narrow and crowded to use most weekends.	10/25/2015 11:22 AM
25	Biking road and trail	10/24/2015 10:35 PM
26	I think campgrounds and RV lots would bring the aesthetic value of the area down. However, small cabins, tiny houses on wheels, or those round tent balls that are up in the trees would provide more aesthetically pleasing areas for people or companies to rent for a weekend.	10/24/2015 11:42 AM



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27	History interpretation - history of the park itself (indians, early settlers)	10/23/2015 3:39 PM
28	River Acces meaning swimming	10/22/2015 4:39 PM
29	disc golf	10/22/2015 4:22 PM
30	Disc golf courses	10/22/2015 2:15 PM
31	Since Roanoke Mountain Campground closed there's no local camping.	10/22/2015 11:25 AM
32	not enough well maintained baseball & softball fields	10/22/2015 11:18 AM
33	Disc golf	10/22/2015 9:43 AM
34	i would love a butterfly area or animal related activity we need dog parks!	10/21/2015 5:05 PM
35	horse trails	10/21/2015 3:52 PM
36	Our greenways and AT links.	10/21/2015 2:40 PM
37	Disc Golf	10/20/2015 10:22 PM
38	Other than Carvins Cove ... most parks don't allow for horseback riding.	10/20/2015 8:19 PM
39	I have not been in the community long enough to comment	10/20/2015 10:43 AM
40	Disc golf	10/20/2015 10:37 AM
41	History	10/20/2015 12:35 AM
42	Equestrian trails	10/19/2015 11:22 PM
43	Horseback riding trails--only Green Ridge in the County, and the rings and cross country course are not true trails.	10/19/2015 10:03 PM
44	activities fo younger adults	10/19/2015 6:49 AM
45	Bathroom facilities, music entertainment	10/18/2015 9:20 PM
46	guided nature walks for wildflowers and birds	10/18/2015 7:56 PM
47	I'm not sure, because I don't visit local Parks much, besides Wasena Park, but mostly I visit Wasena to eat at the green goat, then look at the river.	10/18/2015 1:34 PM
48	Attract more outdoor special events. Nowhere local big enough to attract major bands. Have to travel to Charolettsville, Greensboro or Charlotte!	10/18/2015 11:38 AM
49	protection of dark skies for stargazing	10/18/2015 11:35 AM
50	We do not really have an overall outdoor recreation/camping space that has equipment rentals as well as appeal to all different sorts of "campers" It would be great to have a great lodge as well as space fro tents, etc.	10/18/2015 9:13 AM
51	Get rid of it and give it back to Virginia parks!	10/18/2015 8:48 AM
52	Splash park	10/17/2015 9:38 PM
53	A venue like the bowl in Lexington that closed recently. For access to nature with local music and history.	10/17/2015 8:19 PM
54	Can't think of anything	10/17/2015 1:26 PM
55	Swinging bridge	10/17/2015 12:25 PM
56	Adequate stargazing location	10/17/2015 10:18 AM
57	R.V. Motorhome park is greatly needed in the Roanoke Area.	10/16/2015 10:02 PM
58	Entertainment	10/16/2015 6:00 PM
59	Skate park	10/16/2015 11:02 AM
60	Concerts that serve alcohol which would be a money maker	10/16/2015 10:51 AM
61	Mountain Bike Skills Park, Velodrome	10/16/2015 10:50 AM
62	Access to the river for water sports	10/16/2015 10:31 AM

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63	Pump track, dirt jumps. Roanoke does not have a park for either	10/16/2015 9:45 AM
64	Mountain bike skills park	10/16/2015 8:46 AM
65	Horse trails	10/16/2015 7:53 AM
66	The lack of intrest by the majority of the public not giving a flip in walking trails the local governments spend a fortune on walking trails that only a few people use and only meeting the wamts and needs of the few rich people padding there pet projects	10/15/2015 2:42 PM
67	concerts	10/15/2015 2:29 AM
68	historical education	10/15/2015 12:35 AM
69	something unlike whatever else is already available in the Roanoke Valley area, people love music so an amphitheater would be awesome	10/14/2015 12:06 PM
70	delis and concession areas (i.e. spontaneous picnics)	10/13/2015 6:29 PM
71	None!! Lower taxes are more important	10/13/2015 1:03 PM
72	disc golf	10/13/2015 12:03 AM
73	Public Art	10/12/2015 9:25 AM
74	Horseback riding trails/ parking	10/12/2015 9:25 AM
75	Need to pave and repair road	10/12/2015 9:10 AM
76	Organized programs/gatherings	10/12/2015 8:58 AM
77	River cleaning	10/10/2015 1:20 PM
78	dog park area	10/10/2015 12:21 AM
79	good kayak & boating acces.	10/9/2015 5:09 PM
80	Access to and from Bedford County	10/9/2015 3:19 PM
81	I would like to see you offer some displays and/or programs dealing with environmental issues, such as recycling, littering, etc.	10/9/2015 2:32 PM
82	atv trails	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
83	none	10/9/2015 10:18 AM
84	ymeftv87e587vterw87yvwervw//??	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
85	wildlife	10/9/2015 10:11 AM
86	ANIMALS THAT I CAN PET	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
87	botanical gardens	10/8/2015 12:10 PM
88	Rock Climbing	10/8/2015 9:38 AM
89	Blended acceleration. We do not need a Dollywood. Just improved accessibility of existing lands WITHOUT overdevelopment!!!	10/7/2015 8:08 PM
90	Rock climbing	10/7/2015 1:38 PM
91	Handicap accessibility for obese people on hikes and other things, cheap, more interested employers (if needed), mostly outdoors activities for health.	10/6/2015 11:19 PM
92	Equine	10/6/2015 4:47 PM
93	Equestrian	10/6/2015 2:50 PM
94	Fun + adventure, everything is educational	10/6/2015 2:44 PM
95	warnings for dangers	10/6/2015 2:13 PM
96	Cleanliness	10/6/2015 2:10 PM
97	Fishing Areas	10/6/2015 2:05 PM
98	I can't really say, since I don't live in Roanoke yet and have only used the greenway for biking/hiking.	10/6/2015 1:21 PM
99	Handicap accessible but safety must be number one. It is very remote out there.	10/6/2015 10:43 AM

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100	skatepark	10/6/2015 10:22 AM
101	Spray park	10/5/2015 3:38 PM
102	Basketball courts with good nets	10/5/2015 12:39 PM
103	Waterpark theme PARK attractions.	10/5/2015 12:18 PM
104	Historical aspects.	10/5/2015 10:21 AM
105	Cabins	10/5/2015 9:45 AM
106	Places to walk dogs & ride horses	10/5/2015 8:53 AM
107	Music venues	10/4/2015 9:08 PM
108	the tax payers are supporting too many parks now	10/4/2015 6:33 PM
109	better care of trail in Greenhill Park. It gets pretty grown up with weeds and debris on the trail can be bothersome. Downed trees remain for a long time.	10/4/2015 1:23 PM
110	Equine eventing facilities and trail rides	10/4/2015 1:16 PM
111	Parking for trailers.	10/4/2015 12:03 PM
112	Horse trails	10/4/2015 11:32 AM
113	Mountain bike trails	10/4/2015 9:33 AM
114	History	10/4/2015 7:39 AM
115	Splash park	10/4/2015 6:56 AM
116	River access - put in, take out with provided or rental shuttles	10/3/2015 11:01 PM
117	Indoor Playground Option and A Splash Pad/Spray ground (the ones downtown are far too forceful for little ones)	10/3/2015 9:49 PM
118	Equestrian trails	10/3/2015 7:33 PM
119	Ampitheatre	10/3/2015 1:53 PM
120	A place to see the night sky from a location near to Roanoke, but less exposed to light pollution and where intrusive light fixtures can be switched off.	10/3/2015 12:14 PM
121	Horse trails and horse campground areas	10/3/2015 10:19 AM
122	Cabins	10/3/2015 2:31 AM
123	Access for horse trailers.	10/2/2015 9:08 PM
124	Remember that some are seniors and can not hick the trails.	10/2/2015 8:45 PM
125	Disc golf	10/2/2015 7:08 PM
126	horse trails are needed	10/2/2015 6:20 PM
127	18 hole disc golf inside valley	10/2/2015 5:58 PM
128	Nature/native plant and water conservation education talks	10/2/2015 3:46 PM
129	White water features in river. High end skills park for mountain bikign, bmx jumps, pump track, etc.	10/2/2015 2:20 PM
130	Safety. I am from Riner. I moved to Roanoke almost two years ago. I never feel safe in any of the parks and I want to be able to explore without being afraid.	10/2/2015 2:16 PM
131	Unpaved bike trails - not for mountain biking, less extreme.	10/2/2015 1:30 PM
132	trail that's you can horseback ride on	10/2/2015 1:30 PM
133	Education- history	10/2/2015 10:50 AM
134	whitewater play park/course	10/2/2015 10:25 AM
135	Bathrooms - the ones at Carvins Cove are awful, prevents us from using for family and group day long activities	10/2/2015 9:37 AM
136	Bigger mix of differnt types of special events	10/2/2015 9:22 AM
137	seclusion...offer areas to picnic or camp that have the back country feel	10/2/2015 9:17 AM
138	Disc golf	10/1/2015 11:45 PM

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139	Horseback riding trails	10/1/2015 11:10 PM
140	disc golf	10/1/2015 10:25 PM
141	Horse trails	10/1/2015 10:00 PM
142	Covered playground or indoor	10/1/2015 9:53 PM
143	Equestrian trails	10/1/2015 9:47 PM
144	spray park in roanoke	10/1/2015 9:29 PM
145	Stroller access,better safety solutions	10/1/2015 9:07 PM
146	Sprygroubd	10/1/2015 8:45 PM
147	Disc Golf Course	10/1/2015 8:17 PM
148	Not in the community	10/1/2015 5:59 PM
149	Play areas for kids/families that aren't traditional playgrounds.	10/1/2015 5:27 PM
150	Trails in local parks aren't maintained	10/1/2015 3:52 PM
151	Equestrian trail riding areas.	10/1/2015 3:37 PM
152	Horseback riding	10/1/2015 2:29 PM
153	Whitewater kayaking	10/1/2015 2:00 PM
154	Disc Golf	10/1/2015 1:57 PM
155	Horseback trails	10/1/2015 1:26 PM
156	Equestrian Trails	10/1/2015 1:22 PM
157	Upkeep	10/1/2015 1:07 PM
158	whitewater park	10/1/2015 12:50 PM
159	not sure	10/1/2015 12:35 PM
160	We need more horse trails that loop around.	10/1/2015 12:22 PM
161	I haven't been to the other local parks so I can't answer the question fairly	10/1/2015 12:13 PM
162	Disc golf	10/1/2015 12:08 PM
163	Equestrian trails	10/1/2015 12:04 PM
164	Riding trails for horses	10/1/2015 12:04 PM
165	There is no 18 hole disc golf course in Roanoke Co, Roanoke City, or Salem. Much needed for the players in the area. Most are driving outside the local area to get to those courses.	10/1/2015 11:45 AM
166	Technical freeride and downhill type features on bike trails, similar to what is offered in Bedford and Carvin's Cove watershed.	10/1/2015 11:33 AM
167	Disc golf at explore park is a no brainer , perfect fit. A good course would bring in professional tournaments	10/1/2015 11:22 AM
168	equestrian trails, hiking areas	10/1/2015 11:22 AM
169	Horseback riding is not available in very many places close by.	10/1/2015 11:01 AM
170	EQUESTRIAN TRAILS	10/1/2015 10:48 AM
171	Dog Park	10/1/2015 10:41 AM
172	equestrian trails	10/1/2015 9:43 AM
173	Our region currently does not have enough trails or adequate campgrounds.	10/1/2015 9:34 AM
174	cleared trails with clear signs, Duck pond would be nice beside trails	10/1/2015 9:16 AM
175	Boat access	10/1/2015 9:02 AM
176	safety	10/1/2015 3:48 AM
177	Living History	10/1/2015 1:39 AM

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178	rest rooms	9/30/2015 9:18 PM
179	skate park, more disc golf...	9/30/2015 5:31 PM
180	sSee comments above - figure out what others can't offer	9/30/2015 2:30 PM
181	Play areas for small children.	9/30/2015 1:52 PM
182	Whitewater close to the city	9/30/2015 1:49 PM
183	Whitewater park	9/30/2015 12:57 PM
184	lighted running track, obstacle course	9/30/2015 11:35 AM
185	Fishing areas easily accessible to the public	9/30/2015 11:01 AM
186	Historic areas	9/30/2015 7:33 AM
187	Equipment rental, for land (bikes, multi person bikes) and water (Kayaks, inner tubes)	9/30/2015 2:03 AM
188	I have no way of knowing what other parks have or do not have.	9/29/2015 8:24 PM
189	Splash park	9/29/2015 7:32 PM
190	Perhaps segway or other powered vehicles	9/29/2015 4:09 PM
191	The opportunity to learn about different phases of this valley's unique historical heritage	9/29/2015 1:52 PM
192	I kept leaving out or putting last some choices because they seem to be the same. Health is very important but you get that through recreation and relaxation, etc.	9/29/2015 10:25 AM
193	Safety	9/29/2015 10:03 AM
194	dog friendly fenced area and swim accessibility	9/28/2015 8:40 PM
195	boat access to roanoke river	9/28/2015 5:18 PM

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### Q10 Do you have any other feedback that would be helpful in creating a master plan for Explore Park?

Answered: 424 Skipped: 712

#	Responses	Date
1	I emphasize lodging while developing a multi faceted outdoor direction. Disc Golf, Mountain Biking, Hiking, Nature Walks, Cultural Displays, Children's Play/ Activity areas.	10/30/2015 10:23 PM
2	I would wish to maintain it as an outdoor activity venue. Not interested in the retail / brewery aspect. That said, I know those elements may be necessary for the financial viability of the park.	10/30/2015 1:37 PM
3	While some development could be nice, I would hate to see the area overdeveloped, changing the natural beauty of the land into more buildings and parking lots. The explore park is a very convenient place to get away from the city, to run/walk/bike the trails and get back in tune with nature.	10/29/2015 5:26 PM
4	I don't why camping would be considered as a need since the Roanoke Mtn campground was not heavily used.	10/29/2015 4:22 AM
5	Model after maymont and lewis ginter in Richmond	10/28/2015 10:52 PM
6	Please be sure it is affordable.	10/28/2015 8:41 PM
7	Need to focus on attractions which will out of town people to come to Roanoke and spend few days	10/28/2015 7:43 PM
8	Disc golf is a big attraction for lots of people	10/28/2015 6:17 PM
9	This is one of the few semi-dark areas within easy driving for stargazing. Don't install new lighting.	10/28/2015 5:52 PM
10	I said it before, but it bears saying again that the historic structures at Explore Park could be a major asset for the park. Also, a little thing that would make a world of difference would be fixing all the potholes in the roads at Explore Park.	10/28/2015 4:35 PM
11	Please create an 18 hole disc golf course	10/28/2015 3:39 PM
12	I understand wanting a "theme park" to bring in out of town guests, but the in town guests are the folks who should benefit from the park, after all, it is part of the reason why we live here. The simplicity and location of the park is what is so beautiful about it, the feeling of being so far away from the concrete jungle that is downtown Roanoke, yet it is only minutes away.	10/28/2015 3:01 PM
13	It would be helpful to connect Explore Park with the Roanoke River Greenway.	10/28/2015 1:01 PM
14	I really appreciate that Roanoke County is accepting input, it will translate into a successful park! I think that taking outdoor sporting activities and packaging them in a way that is accessible through equipment rental and guided programs will be a draw for local and tourists. If we have a true "outdoor playground" for beginners and intermediate level enthusiasts to come to, it will be successful. Different things are going to appeal to different people. A variety of activities are going to be needed if people are going to come in from out of town and stay for an extended period.	10/28/2015 12:23 PM
15	Be careful about too much development	10/28/2015 11:28 AM
16	Much like the pre-existing park, but with more organized activities, additional adventures for children, more involvement by park visitors; a re-creation of colonial life in the area.	10/28/2015 11:19 AM
17	The greenway system should connect to the park. There are good mountain-biking places in the Valley and mountain bikes tend to destroy hiking trails. But folks should be able to cycle to the park, lock their bikes, and enjoy what the park has to offer.	10/28/2015 11:03 AM
18	Bring more people to Roanoke by boosting Roanoke's outdoor image. Not just playgrounds and activity centers. We need adventure and uniqueness. We should show the country we aren't behind with the times and build things our younger generation will take care of and come here for.	10/28/2015 10:37 AM
19	leave room to expand as needs change and grow!	10/28/2015 9:51 AM
20	PLEASE, whatever you do, make the signage/maps clear to read and understand	10/28/2015 9:41 AM
21	There is a new 4 wheeler trail lodging area in West Virginia that has been very successful	10/28/2015 9:02 AM

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22	showcase of natural features, opportunities, culture and beauty in our area. Focus should be on the natural beauty and keep its integrity. Keep it classy. Making the most of existing historic buildings and a way to keep them from deteriorating in the most economical way. Interpretive opportunities for visitors. Much needed horse trails and parking at this location. Existing horse trails for well over 50 years along the Blue Ridge Parkway offer great opportunity to connect with Explore Park. Horse trail parking is much in demand. There are few places to park and ride in the valley and this would add to the ambiance of the park and rural character. Shared trails with horses in other state parks in VA are successful and include New River SP, Fairy Stone SP and Carvins Cove. Consider non-english speaking guests. Camping also a much needed facility. Can we coordinate with NPS and restore the campground they closed? Cabins and shelters for rent for events. If high adventure sports like whitewater could check out whitewater center in Charlotte. Keep it tasteful and not like an amusement park.	10/28/2015 8:41 AM
23	There is a great need in this area for horseback riding trails. It makes sense to develop this in a close location to the Blue Ridge Parkway horse trails. I believe it will bring people to the area who have greater financial abilities than most. It would create excellent economic situation for the area.	10/28/2015 8:24 AM
24	developing accommodations for horseback riding	10/28/2015 8:16 AM
25	Make this an adventure focused park to draw a unique crowd	10/28/2015 8:12 AM
26	horse trails	10/28/2015 8:06 AM
27	Zip line and a new disc golf course (like greenfield) would bring in a lot of younger attention along with some botanical gardens for family fun and older aged attraction	10/28/2015 2:20 AM
28	I'm not sure what specifically was meant by "health" in the above questions, but I'm sure it's important. I grew up in Roanoke and lived there until about 25 when I moved to Franklin County, but I often travel to Roanoke and love visiting the Parkway and Explore Park! I think Explore Park has so much potential because it is already a beautiful place to visit. I'd love to see much of the beauty and relaxing environment be maintained while still increasing the opportunities there through programming, adventure opportunities, and other ideas previously mentioned. Thank you so much for doing this and I can't wait to bring my family back to Explore Park!	10/27/2015 9:52 PM
29	The local disc golf community would thrive here.	10/27/2015 6:24 PM
30	Atv park . Check out what Wva has done with Hatfield and McCoy .	10/27/2015 10:24 AM
31	you need to have diversity in activities - some that you do by yourself and others that are led	10/27/2015 10:17 AM
32	In my opinion the park in its current state is a one time place to visit after that you have seen it and there is little reason to revisit. The park has been struggling for many years financially. Why not charge a flat fee per rider and open it up to off road enthusiasts	10/27/2015 7:37 AM
33	If you could work a paintball course in there I think that would draw a lot of ppl. Put it where the teepees and old settlers houses. Would be fun. Zip lines and access to the Roanoke River would be cool, if there's somewhere safe to swim. The suburban MTB trails are cool already. More outdoor adventure activities would be cool in general. ROANOKE IS DOING WORK ON OUTDOOR ADVENTURE!! Represent!	10/27/2015 12:13 AM
34	leave it open 24 hrs	10/27/2015 12:03 AM
35	Everything suggested so far is seasonal and leaves out the cold months for park use. This is why the park fails. People ride ATVs all year. Thousands of people ride them every weekend in Ashland, WV. Just try and book a cabin there sometime in the next 2 months.	10/26/2015 11:43 PM
36	Keeping in mind that there is a huge market (and growing) of RVs and Camping in the area ( just look at the RV/Camper businesses represented in Roanoke). But there are no RV destinations in the Roanoke Valley to visit? The closest is Natural Bridge. Being the heart of the Blue Ridge, Roanoke is in desperate need of a RV resort getaway to attract travelers who spend millions to this beautiful area.	10/26/2015 8:45 PM
37	None other than creating a fabulous zoo for everyone up and down the east coast to enjoy.	10/26/2015 4:48 PM
38	Please consider a campground!!!!	10/26/2015 1:52 PM
39	Please see The Campground at James Island County Park in Charleston, SC for a wonderful representation of what could be done with Explore Park.	10/26/2015 9:08 AM
40	Work closely with surrounding recreational attractions. Make Explore park one of many reasons to visit the region. I.E. - Metro Roanoke, Riverside walkways, Smith Mountain Lake, Mill Mountain Zoo. Create a recreation destination.	10/25/2015 7:28 PM
41	It is essential that Roanoke County participate in extending the Roanoke River Greenway to Explore Park. That would bring in bikers and maybe even walkers, people who don't need parking space.	10/25/2015 5:40 PM
42	None	10/25/2015 5:22 PM

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43	A modern day RV / Camping resort is necessary to this region. If you would like to see a comparable type of facility, look up The Campground at James Island County Park (Charleston Parks and Recreation) <a href="http://www.ccprc.com/1434/Campground">http://www.ccprc.com/1434/Campground</a>	10/25/2015 1:20 PM
44	Look at what Williamsburg has done, San Antonio Texas.	10/25/2015 11:22 AM
45	Talk to other people, I can get you in touch with people from Bedford that build alternative mountain bike trails and people come from all around to ride it. I have built several trails, dirt jumps and pump tracks from all around the area down to north carolina. would love to finally see something like that around here. There is a demand for it, not just the typical cross country trails.....	10/25/2015 7:08 AM
46	under no circumstances do we need a "Dollywood" type atmosphere in that space	10/25/2015 2:06 AM
47	Need lots of interesting events and plenty of publicity to get thing rolling and build from that..	10/24/2015 10:35 PM
48	Since Blue Ridge Parkway is not always open, improve entrance off Rutrough Rd.	10/24/2015 5:49 PM
49	My daughter, who is almost 20 years old, and I have played the Nancy Drew computer games together over the past 10-12 years. We LOVED them. When I took her to the visitor's center, she and I both felt like we were literally inside one of those detective games. It may be worth someone's time to contact the makers of the game and see if they would be interested in creating a game using Roanoke. My daughter and I could almost design the game ourselves based on the Visitor's Center at the Explore Park, the Star, Hotel Roanoke, and the Center in the Square. It may sound like a very silly idea, but we were both struck by how much it resembled a live Nancy Drew game.	10/24/2015 11:42 AM
50	Years ago the Science Museum used to put up telescopes for the public to view special events such as the Meteor Shower this month. They would set them up at the overlook on the road entering Explorer Park. I would love to see that again	10/23/2015 9:00 PM
51	Participate in a regional plan with other local government parks departments	10/23/2015 3:39 PM
52	How are we going to keep that area cleaner, especially sling the river	10/23/2015 8:51 AM
53	Everyone should get to play, walk, camp and experience our nation's open spaces!	10/23/2015 2:06 AM
54	Adding some of the small grills like the Peaks of Otter. Adding some running or biking trails out in the open areas. The county could have a large cross country meet if some smoother trails were added.	10/23/2015 12:42 AM
55	Great location; shame it's not utilized more	10/22/2015 6:53 PM
56	Always consider that solitude and quiet are important resources	10/22/2015 5:48 PM
57	you need a disc golf course	10/22/2015 2:15 PM
58	make it family friendly.	10/22/2015 1:02 PM
59	Be sure to serve good beer at a high quality family friendly restaurant with a playground within view.	10/22/2015 11:25 AM
60	Make a disc golf course, but make it well... Something to attract professionals	10/22/2015 9:43 AM
61	Keep it as natural as possible!!!	10/21/2015 9:12 PM
62	Please make it accessible for schools, especially special education field trips. Thanks!	10/21/2015 8:21 PM
63	In "cultural" displays or events do not forget people of color. Also, for "cultural" events I think it would be amazing to see people who are of the ethnicities and "cultures" that are supposed to be represented, instead of someone dressed up to look like a stereotypical representation of a certain group.	10/21/2015 8:21 PM
64	i have a great dane and chihuahua i love them VERY much and want it to be safe for hem, also all dog acesable with water areas and hopefully a duck/fish pond so we can feed them! this all would be great, thanks!!!	10/21/2015 5:05 PM
65	I would like to see the gift shop at Exporer park focus on a multitude of local craftsmen including pottery, woodwork, art, candies, soaps, fabric, cutlery,etc. When I visited the site I was unimpressed with the predominance of "junk" souvenirs that can be found at most tourist stops ( that means most anything made in China).	10/21/2015 3:04 PM
66	publicize that the park is open. Too many people think it's closed	10/21/2015 3:04 PM
67	Am very familiar with the entire area. Am willing to assis a walk through on the property for acitivity locations and assist in park operations	10/21/2015 3:00 PM
68	hard to get there, hard to direct others to get there	10/21/2015 2:57 PM



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69	We are extremely fortunate that past proposals for the park have not come to fruition. As a result we have today a wonderful asset in near pristine condition - magnificent woodlands, an extensive trail network, and beautiful river access. Whatever is done must not sacrifice this so must be compatible with the park's beauty and wilderness. Extreme care is needed to preserve trees and wild life during construction. Any new construction must observe best practices to protect resources. Nothing should be done to interfere with Roanoke River Greenway and future terminus of Explore or the park's trail network. There is real danger to the natural environment in trying to make the park be everything to everybody.	10/21/2015 2:52 PM
70	Active hikes, brewery and music venue, yoga,, concerned about volume. Tread carefully with RVs	10/21/2015 2:40 PM
71	I think the basic infrastructure is already there for people to stop and spend time there (hiking and bike trails). At a minimum, a campground and restaurant would get them to stop.	10/21/2015 2:38 PM
72	no	10/20/2015 10:33 PM
73	Leave it as natural as possible! Splash parks and zip lines are too intrusive; focus on fishing/ river activities and disc golf	10/20/2015 10:00 PM
74	Pdga rated Discgolf course	10/20/2015 9:01 PM
75	Summer camps and day camps that emphasize - nature appreciation, adventure such as ropes courses, our country's history, and the arts	10/20/2015 3:25 PM
76	This place is a gem. Let's not make it into circus.	10/20/2015 1:57 PM
77	Make it represent Roanoke in every way; the beauty, the progressive spirit and let it look into the future of our Valley.	10/20/2015 11:33 AM
78	The area is unique and the possibility endless but you cannot in any endeavor please everyone - what I heard in the presentation by the consulting group is a coendable process	10/20/2015 10:43 AM
79	I am from the area originally and visit part of the year. I hadn't thought of Explore Park since I was a kid but now I am because someone mentioned the possibility of a disc golf course being put in. That would be a major draw and bring money and tourism to the area if PDGA matches or tournaments were there.	10/20/2015 10:37 AM
80	A quality RV park with easy access to park amenities would be a great draw for people traveling the Parkway and I-81. People stopping in a nice RV park would use the park as well as visiting Roanoke and the rest of the valley. It would be a great economic driver for the area and fits perfectly with a park like Explore.	10/20/2015 10:00 AM
81	Maintaining the integrity of the natural setting and peaceful experience of visiting the undeveloped acreage.	10/19/2015 11:22 PM
82	In the group meetings, a woman mentioned how Fairystone has special areas for horse camping. I think this is a novel idea along the parkway, but I don't know how many people would haul a horse trailer along the parkway. It might generate regional interest, however.	10/19/2015 10:03 PM
83	Our family has been going to Pipestem State Park in WVA for over 15 years for family reunions. Younger generation camps and older generation stays in lodge. They have golf course and activities for all ages. Children have enjoyed different activities as they have gotten older.	10/19/2015 9:46 PM
84	Like I said - I always thought it would be a perfect place for a zoo, and one that could breed and display endangered species such as wolves.	10/19/2015 9:06 PM
85	Deshutes Brewery. Think of it. For their benefit, they will be the "brewery on the parkway." They will be midway between 2 very active craft beer havens-Asheville and Charlottesville. Very conveniently between the two, just several hours from each on a beautiful throughfare. They will be front and center for every one of the several million travelers per year on that route. From Explore Park's view, what an attraction for other entities that would benefit both such as ziplines, bike trails, cabins, party facilities, and on and on.	10/19/2015 9:02 PM
86	I would like to see some development to improve some areas, but not over done. Main goal should be to maintain the existing personality of the park.	10/19/2015 8:53 PM
87	green electricity high adventure activities of all kinds	10/19/2015 8:44 PM
88	no	10/19/2015 6:43 PM
89	This place could be a real money maker for the valley. Look at north creek and cave mountain in Rockbridge Co. So much potential. Utilize the Peaks of Otter and Mabrys Mill traffic. People will camp and rent cabins so they will be in the middle of those attractions.	10/19/2015 6:41 PM
90	Just do something with it, please.	10/19/2015 4:15 PM
91	I would love to see the park marketed as an all-natural, outdoor amusement park. As I said above, something akin to a snow park, where there are supervised activities for all ages, and the ability for the family to get together around a warm fire for dinner, drinks, and relaxation at the end of the day.	10/19/2015 2:11 PM

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92	What ever is done make it first class	10/19/2015 1:39 PM
93	What ever is done make it first class	10/19/2015 1:38 PM
94	<p>Good afternoon My name is Brian Carroll I have been a tax paying citizen in Roanoke County since 2005. I am relieved to see the suggestions through the series of public forums scheduled on the issue of Explorer Park. I share a number of thoughts with previous submitting citizens which I would like to share with you. As I am sure you are well aware, one of the most exciting and beneficial initiative undertaken in this last two decades is the Roanoke River Greenway. The Roanoke valley intergovernmental commission formed in 1997 has performed admirably, if not slowly. While the project remains incomplete, the benefits can be observed in its increasing use. I am encouraged by the diversity of it users and the ways in which the greenway is used. On any given day you will see cyclists, runners, walkers, dog lovers out with pets, individuals on rollerblades, disabled individuals in motorized wheel chairs and families visiting the adjacent parks to picnic or play. Frequently you hear discussion of the connectivity of the internet, yet in this instance; we should consider the connectivity of the explorer park with the Greenway (accelerate connection to Roanoke greenway), the Blue Ridge parkway and I-81 (through Signage for camping and RV's). we should consider the connectivity of the park as a whole focused upon the park becoming the hub of a network of walking, horseback riding <a href="http://ascgreenway.s3.amazonaws.com/doc/ASC-Greenway-Trail-Map-2015-17-x-11-Final.pdf">http://ascgreenway.s3.amazonaws.com/doc/ASC-Greenway-Trail-Map-2015-17-x-11-Final.pdf</a> &amp; mountain biking trails <a href="http://mke.rockbikepark.com/trails">http://mke.rockbikepark.com/trails</a> we should also consider the development of a canoe and kayak center for recreation and competition (sadly, low water bridges, weir's and dams present some limitations and possible opportunity) examples of activities and costs can be seen on the USNWC website <a href="http://usnwc.org/play/water-activities/">http://usnwc.org/play/water-activities/</a> other publicly available sites provide rates for different activities. Additionally, Olympic sites can be seen in you tube video's on line <a href="http://www.olympic.org/content/results-and-medalists/eventresultpagegeneral/?athletename=&amp;country=&amp;sport2=31458&amp;games2=&amp;event2=&amp;mengender=true&amp;womengender=true&amp;mixedgender=true&amp;goldmedal=true&amp;silvermedal=true&amp;bronzemedal=true&amp;worldrecord=false&amp;olympicrecord=false&amp;teamclassification=true&amp;individualclassification=true&amp;winter=true&amp;summer=true">http://www.olympic.org/content/results-and-medalists/eventresultpagegeneral/?athletename=&amp;country=&amp;sport2=31458&amp;games2=&amp;event2=&amp;mengender=true&amp;womengender=true&amp;mixedgender=true&amp;goldmedal=true&amp;silvermedal=true&amp;bronzemedal=true&amp;worldrecord=false&amp;olympicrecord=false&amp;teamclassification=true&amp;individualclassification=true&amp;winter=true&amp;summer=true</a> We should complement the entire comingled network with a center for camping; RV, tent, horseback camping et al. In addition, I believe a series of remote cabins throughout the park would be a helpful and attractive draw to the park. Fundamentally, increased usage comes with increased traffic, better use planning and more destination events. Individual line items as mentioned in previous submissions are appropriate. Brian Carroll</p>	10/19/2015 12:40 PM
95	I would like to see development of outdoor activity themes that connect with downtown Roanoke via the river. Facilities should enable people to come to the Explore Park as an extension of their visit (or proximity) to Roanoke.	10/19/2015 11:59 AM
96	Please make sure that parking is adequate. It is incredibly frustrating to have an attraction that has inadequate access.	10/19/2015 11:07 AM
97	We need a partner! The Olympic committee helped plan and works with the above mentioned. With so many companies exiting our area, there may be state funding available to attract a world class facility.	10/19/2015 9:16 AM
98	Would like to see something similar to the John C. Campbell Folk School in Ga/TN for Explore Park . They provide a wide variety of appalachian crafts/arts/heritage and cabins and classes sell out yearly. Would bring in visitors from outside the region and inside - also outdoor recreation areas and picnic areas for everyone young/old to enjoy.	10/19/2015 8:59 AM
99	Rebrand the entire operation, including the name.	10/19/2015 8:20 AM
100	Something this area does not already offer!	10/19/2015 6:49 AM
101	Where Rutrough road meets the park, there should be a boat ramp with a way to drive down to the ramp to unload any type of boat. That should be put way up on the list. Current "steps" to the river just doesn't get it!	10/18/2015 10:53 PM
102	A cross country course/horse trail like out Greenfield sports complex	10/18/2015 9:26 PM
103	In order to bring in a younger crowd with families and children Roanoke must come up with more activities and events that are of interest to people from 21 - 45. This group of people typically are those that are engaged by activities on a regular basis and have a good level of disposable income for entertainment. I would challenge the decision makers to visit other outdoor adventure facilities such as the USNWC, Rocky Knob MTB park, and others through the region. Facilities like these get people excited about the city and are steps in the right direction to prevent further population decline. Roanoke and the surrounding areas have a fantastic natural resource available With the geography of the area and parks. It is up to the leaders of the area to use them wisely to attract people to discover the area.	10/18/2015 9:20 PM
104	keep costs low for users, high cost will deter locals from participating (since it is a bit out of town)	10/18/2015 8:53 PM
105	Would love an RV park with activities to enjoy while camping. A pool would be a great addtion	10/18/2015 8:10 PM
106	Explore Park should be accessible to anyone wanting to bring small adult groups to hike the trails. (This would not include school programs or mountain biking.) Release forms and special permits with or without fees for a visiting group less than 20 people is a hassle.	10/18/2015 7:56 PM
107	Make it a destination for bicycling - both on and off road	10/18/2015 7:15 PM

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108	A good mix is what will turn this park into an excellent community asset. That being said trying to appeal to EVERYONE you will make no one happy. Good Luck!	10/18/2015 6:22 PM
109	Traffic concerns and winter access.	10/18/2015 4:03 PM
110	Explore Park will never be a success without an anchor attraction, e.g., theme park such as Busch Gardens or Dollywood, which would consume about 300 acres. The other 800 acres could be used for other attractions.	10/18/2015 2:59 PM
111	Work with collages, give credits to students who volunteer.	10/18/2015 2:42 PM
112	Cool restaurant to go visit	10/18/2015 1:47 PM
113	Again, my feed back is from my own experience. I live in Hunting Hills of Roanoke, VA. My friends and family make over \$120,000 a yr. I have friends, who drive from Baltimore all the time, just to by pass Roanoke to head to Pigeon Forge and Gatlinburg for the last 7 yrs to spend money and have fun in the smokey mountains. Explore Park needs to be more than just a nature park. Nature park is a wonderful idea, but it is only a small half of being the major destination for families and locals. To add, none of my friends nor family have been to explore park and we live and grew up here in Roanoke.	10/18/2015 1:34 PM
114	All of the wonderful outdoor activities available in Asville, NC would serve as a good model for Explore!	10/18/2015 11:38 AM
115	Look at other areas that are successfully promoting their natural surroundings and history. Ask Roanoke's manager Chris Morrill for his ideas as he seems to be a creative force for the city.	10/18/2015 11:35 AM
116	stop taking so long to plan, use consultants from our area-they know us better than someone from out of state & would know what we have 2 offer others(tourist)	10/18/2015 11:28 AM
117	na	10/18/2015 10:44 AM
118	Accent the natural beauty without overly commercialization.	10/18/2015 10:25 AM
119	For the campground, RV sites with full hook-ups would be best. Electric and water at a minimum but if you add sewer hook-ups, people will pay more for the convenience and would tend to stay longer.	10/18/2015 9:13 AM
120	State park	10/18/2015 9:08 AM
121	See above!	10/18/2015 8:48 AM
122	eco and adventure tourism is quickly growing industry that encompasses a range of ages. If you want a greater draw, provide more outdoor adventure opportunities with camping or cabin accommodations.	10/18/2015 8:28 AM
123	What I said.	10/18/2015 12:18 AM
124	If you need a study group on building a CAMPGROUND please let me know I will be glad to assist in planning	10/17/2015 11:45 PM
125	Bring in those that worked there for years and get their opinions . Perhaps you have , Those making the plan need t know what has & has not worked .	10/17/2015 9:12 PM
126	We were there last month and enjoyed ourselves but we were sad at the state of the historic area. I would like to see this revived along with the new adventure areas.	10/17/2015 7:28 PM
127	Pump track could also offer alternatives for locals and. SML vacationers.	10/17/2015 3:55 PM
128	An RV Campground is needed in Roanoke. There are no RV parks within a 60 mile radius of Roanoke that I would take my grandchildren to. This is a sad situation for such a beautiful city..	10/17/2015 3:19 PM
129	Nope	10/17/2015 1:26 PM
130	I enjoy explore park	10/17/2015 12:21 PM
131	Concerts!	10/17/2015 11:34 AM
132	Air commercials asking for input and let the public know what's going on.	10/17/2015 10:48 AM
133	We have plenty of strenuous hiking trails on the Blue Ridge Parkway. We could use something that's accessible for all ages and physical abilities, and still be able to see the beauty of the area. (And we liked the original Explore Park concept with the various building/teepees with educational demonstrations of historical lifestyles.)	10/17/2015 10:23 AM

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134	Please consider the need for a suitable stargazing location at Explore Park: It must have shielded, full cut-off fixtures. Then use bulbs at 50%, maybe even 33%, typical incandescent wattage rating. Shielded fixtures will significantly reduce glare, allowing pedestrians to much easier see their surroundings. Personal safety will be increased. The idea is to achieve "the right amount of light, directed at the right place, at the right time" If LED fixtures are use: Should have a correlated color temperature rating of 3000K or less. More than 3500K is not good because it is too blue. Overlook A great place for families to toss a blanket and watch for fireflies and the first stars appear overhead. It is a great place to hold public stargazes, such as viewing a total lunar eclipse. Nighttime lighting's affect on the behavior of wildlife: Bats Birds Fireflies Nocturnal mammals	10/17/2015 10:18 AM
135	Thanks	10/17/2015 6:03 AM
136	ADVERTISE! Something that many Roanoke County parks and recreation amenities lack.	10/16/2015 10:04 PM
137	You need a motorhome park. A place for people who don't live close by or in the area to be able to stay and enjoy your hiking and biking trails and the beauty of your County.	10/16/2015 10:02 PM
138	I was there when it started - and you still have SO much potential! A tourist destination and a place that could draw copious amounts of bike enthusiasts (and THEIR MONEY!) year-round.	10/16/2015 6:40 PM
139	Nope	10/16/2015 6:00 PM
140	Keep it natural	10/16/2015 3:16 PM
141	More attention given to current bike trails. Lack of attention has cause people to stop going	10/16/2015 1:47 PM
142	Add a dog park	10/16/2015 11:06 AM
143	Accessibility is very important - right now the park is much more accessible to out of towners via BRP than to area folks. At the very least the access should be improved on the road that comes in from Rutrough.	10/16/2015 11:02 AM
144	1. The Roanoke River greenway connector to Explore Park needs to be a top priority. 2. Full service RV camping is only found at Dixie Cavern, Salem Civic Center, Douthat and Smith Mountain Lake. The Roanoke Campground didn't succeed because it wasn't full service. Explore Park is in a perfect location and with the right amenities could make it work and fill a void for the area. 3. Allow night running/cycling again. That used to be Explore Park's niche because it was the only place that technically allowed it. 4. A big dream of mine would be to have a velodrome in Roanoke. Perhaps one could be constructed cheaply at Explore Park. They are not money makers but would fill a void since the closest velodromes are in South Carolina and Maryland (Ashville says they have one but it's not really a velodrome). A velodrome is something unique that would set us apart and if done along with a mountain bike skills park, campgrounds, cabins, brewery, etc it would make us a destination visitors would drive from all over enjoy.	10/16/2015 10:50 AM
145	If Explore park was a training center for activities like biking with a brewery present etc., it would attract more people more often	10/16/2015 9:45 AM
146	The past three years I didn't know the park was even open	10/15/2015 10:53 PM
147	It needs to remain as a place for serenity and seclusion, don't try to make this a water park! Please!	10/15/2015 9:00 PM
148	When my children were little, they loved the living history theme. We visited frequently. I now live alone. I visit occasionally to ride my mountain bik.	10/15/2015 5:24 PM
149	Affordable fun for children and adults.	10/15/2015 3:10 PM
150	Listen to the people, not the few rich families funding there pet projects	10/15/2015 2:42 PM
151	Question 3 was the hardest, because to me most of items on the list are important to the overall success of the park.	10/15/2015 1:11 PM
152	Thoroughly enjoyed the park the it was	10/15/2015 12:35 AM
153	Winter sports to take under consideration	10/14/2015 11:10 PM
154	I have three college age kids that go to places like Bryce Resort for mountain biking, Mountain Lake for zip line & ropes course, Crozet for festivals and all the breweries and Roanoke could easily bring young people in with these activities	10/14/2015 7:01 PM
155	amphitheater watersports, extra biking and hiking trails along with camping spots, and the park with simple swings, sliding boards and merry go rounds for children to play upon	10/14/2015 12:06 PM
156	I'd love for it to be similar to other attractions on the parkway such as the Peaks of Otter or Mabry Mill. More than just a park.	10/13/2015 6:40 PM
157	community support and planning. TV ads during evening news.	10/13/2015 6:29 PM

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158	Weigh the costs. Get majority to support taxes needed for all these grandiose schemes first. You failed in 1987 and yet you hope it will increase tourism. Before you spend our tax money you should know that it will pay for itself. You need majority of tax payers to agree to more taxes before you make any plans and then get them to agree that the plans are worth the cost and are going to pay additional cost to instantiate the plans. Get a budget okayed by tax payes before making any plabs!! Better! User fees to pay all costs of the park. More better let private investors do the park!	10/13/2015 1:03 PM
159	Explore Park needs to be a travel destination and needs to be improved. Roanoke County is missing out on the opportunity to gain revenue and to take care of it's citizens and allow children to go there and down the road to take their kids there.	10/13/2015 8:36 AM
160	add multiple disc golf courses!	10/13/2015 12:03 AM
161	Arts and history are a slim niche, I would focus too much in that area. A good brief lesson on the history would be great! But so much focus and detail doesn't keep the majorities attention.	10/12/2015 2:38 PM
162	I was actually recently looking for a venue for my daughter's 16th birthday party. She wanted a natural setting to have a campfire and a lodge to have a handful of guests spend the night and open space for corn-hole etc. I could find no place in the area. Subsequently ended up renting a home at Smith Mountain Lake but still wasn't exactly what we wanted. Lockhaven might have been appropriate but you have to be a member and it was very costly for a short 4 hour period of time.	10/12/2015 12:17 PM
163	zip lines	10/12/2015 11:58 AM
164	I would be happy to participate in summer workshops if scheduled	10/12/2015 11:32 AM
165	I miss the historic presentation at the park	10/12/2015 11:28 AM
166	More living history - ex. Indian	10/12/2015 11:10 AM
167	Keep up the good work. Experiment with different ideas	10/12/2015 9:36 AM
168	Would love to see equestrian trails and parking for horse trailers/ horse camping would be a huge help. Happy to help with input or planning.	10/12/2015 9:25 AM
169	I think of the American Frontier Culture Museum in Stuanton - something similar?	10/12/2015 9:17 AM
170	There is not a zip line or aerial local to us, so that would be a nitch for the county to look into. plus to have public programs every weekend (kids at day and adult programs after dinner) during the summer months would get people out and moving for the warm weather. A lodge with also organized activities or functions would keep people active for the winter months. Even if its an event on health and being active and explaining what the park offers and how to utilize its benefits.	10/12/2015 8:58 AM
171	Please DO NOT turn this into some "super park" with rides, etc as has been discussed. I feel that the NATURAL BEAUTY of Explore Park should be retained.	10/11/2015 9:51 AM
172	Need activities that people would want to do more than once such as water park, playground, a larger zoo, educational activities, restaurant, cabins, etc.	10/11/2015 12:14 AM
173	Just please try to preserve the quiet and beauty and sense of peace that one enjoys walking the trails at Explore Park. That is very special and hope that can be retained.	10/10/2015 10:36 PM
174	I will have my B.S. in May of 2016 and live very close to the park. I am interested in either working for Explore Park or bring an etrepreneurial idea to the Park.	10/10/2015 6:59 PM
175	I think explore park could be a major positive resource for our area if managed and promoted properly - adventure sports and outdoor activities primarily.	10/10/2015 4:50 PM
176	I think a bike trail access from the Greenway to the Explore Park would be great.	10/10/2015 11:10 AM
177	While developing it is important to retain the natural part as much as possible.	10/10/2015 8:47 AM
178	Same as question 7	10/10/2015 8:39 AM
179	Open to those who enjoy the outdoors. Educational lectures & hands-on educational activities.	10/10/2015 7:38 AM
180	Find something unique that sets us apart that no one else has in a 3 hour drive.	10/10/2015 5:22 AM
181	Dog park for parkway drivers!	10/10/2015 12:21 AM
182	Keep the area as natural as possible & not have attractions such as waterpark,	10/9/2015 5:09 PM
183	Lodge, cool restaurant, cabins, camp grounds, zip lines,	10/9/2015 3:10 PM

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184	As most of the considered activities are rightfully meant for younger people than my husband and I are. We explored Explore Park often with our children - about 35 years ago? - and had good times with them then. Now we hope you have something like a nice Café for us Seniors in addition to displays etc. that do not require much walking.	10/9/2015 2:32 PM
185	no	10/9/2015 12:02 PM
186	no	10/9/2015 11:57 AM
187	opening an atv trail	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
188	Just Make sure you update your website	10/9/2015 11:55 AM
189	Make it more modern, but do not go too in-depth to destroy nature to create a more modern looking park. The point of a park is to take in being outdoor.	10/9/2015 11:53 AM
190	No	10/9/2015 11:52 AM
191	Having a huge park, a bigger park than Longwood.	10/9/2015 10:26 AM
192	no	10/9/2015 10:18 AM
193	no	10/9/2015 10:17 AM
194	no	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
195	Yeah get some	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
196	add some fishing holes	10/9/2015 10:13 AM
197	make a pond or lake to fish at	10/9/2015 10:13 AM
198	wildlife	10/9/2015 10:11 AM
199	no	10/9/2015 10:11 AM
200	Nope.	10/9/2015 10:06 AM
201	no	10/9/2015 9:39 AM
202	Have more family activities or children and adult activities.	10/9/2015 9:37 AM
203	Make it fun.	10/9/2015 9:36 AM
204	Explore the park, find and determine plants and ANIMALS THAT YOU CAN PET	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
205	no	10/9/2015 9:33 AM
206	have more activities	10/9/2015 9:26 AM
207	No	10/9/2015 9:24 AM
208	To make a park that has a campground, places for sports and activities, playgrounds for kids, and lodging areas.	10/9/2015 9:17 AM
209	create a splash park for kids	10/9/2015 9:15 AM
210	no	10/9/2015 9:12 AM
211	Ghost Tours	10/9/2015 9:11 AM
212	No water parks or amusement parks on our parkway. Please preserve nature and the blue ridge parkway!	10/8/2015 6:59 PM
213	I have lived here 22 years and frequently wonder why Roanoke doesn't have a botanical garden. You can tell by the size of the parking lots at Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens in Boothbay, Maine how popular they are, thank in part to the events and activities held there, from restaurants to fairy festivals to botanical art classes. Wherever we travel I look for gardens to visit. If you need folks to help research the idea, please count me in. I will be retiring from teaching at the end of this year and would be willing to travel to research successful existing gardens, interviewing directors and writing up the studies. Just let me know: apfeiffer540@gmail.com. I have served on traveling research committees, have worked as a gardener at Maymont Park in Richmond (years ago) and also have experience writing grants. I would love to be part of this idea.	10/8/2015 12:10 PM
214	keep in mind the young adult crowd. Many things are family focused, want to focus on children. But the late 20 crowd if a great financial asset and often are left out of the mix.	10/8/2015 9:50 AM
215	Well maintained trails and camping.	10/8/2015 8:45 AM
216	While I like dirt trails I understand its not for everyone and others would like a paved loop as well. I also think there can never be enough parks for children to play at.	10/8/2015 12:23 AM

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217	Keep it natural. No amusement park!! Thank you for asking for my humble opinion.	10/7/2015 8:13 PM
218	Don't overdo it, please?	10/7/2015 8:08 PM
219	Build it and they will come. Need shell band for music. Doesn't have to be amphitheater. Think Central Park.	10/7/2015 4:02 PM
220	The Roanoke River in the Roanoke Gorge is a unique feature for Explore Park. Nowhere else in the valley has whitewater features that are can be paddled the majority of the year. The rock walls of the Gorge are also unique as the only roped climbing in the Roanoke Valley. Further developing those features will truly compliment the already great outdoor recreation opportunities in the Roanoke Valley.	10/7/2015 1:38 PM
221	I will soon be graduating from college and considering work in natural interpretive fields. Creating jobs in this area for similar career paths would attract young graduates looking for "green" jobs.	10/7/2015 11:38 AM
222	Nope	10/7/2015 10:55 AM
223	n/a	10/7/2015 10:20 AM
224	Cleanliness	10/7/2015 7:13 AM
225	No	10/6/2015 11:19 PM
226	Preserve the beauty of the land by offering opportunities for people of all walks of love to come and have a good time, weather that is hiking, biking, camping, a concert, a Nature walk, a wedding, or another event. There is no need for a "draw" that will impact the land, like a water park or a big retail area. Roanoke is a changed town since Explore park closed and people are seeking out great places to enjoy the outdoors.	10/6/2015 10:22 PM
227	Roanoke needs something fun and exciting...	10/6/2015 9:29 PM
228	Please don't overdevelop or turn into a retreat center with too many facilities. I love the natural beauty & city escape. Keep it natural.	10/6/2015 9:18 PM
229	Would be awesome to have another paved space to ride bikes. Greenwald is great but packed.	10/6/2015 8:22 PM
230	No	10/6/2015 6:48 PM
231	Might want to think about a skating rink or lacrosse fields or even whitewater kayaking simulation trainer.	10/6/2015 6:00 PM
232	Once complete and the process moves forward, please devote just as much time and energy into promoting the park. All the back and forth of the status or ownership of that park has created confusion. Until I visited for a work project not long ago, I assumed the park was closed. Also, MUCH better signage beginning from 81 all the way to the park. Current signage, even close on the Parkway, is confusing or non-existent.	10/6/2015 4:11 PM
233	Yeah. Don't have any of the Green Ridge people involved because that place is garbage	10/6/2015 4:07 PM
234	No	10/6/2015 2:50 PM
235	Build a theme park	10/6/2015 2:44 PM
236	Please make something that wpuld be enjoyable for everbody to hang out at. I Love how quite Roanoke is but it needs something for all ages to relax and to hang out with their friends and family at. Somewhere that you want to go to when you had a rough day or you want to meet up with some buddies and do soemthing.	10/6/2015 2:18 PM
237	Do something outdoorsy with it, and not just put up stores or Urban sites.	10/6/2015 2:16 PM
238	hello i'm sure you hear this from the surveys all the time but preserve nature don't destroy it do fun things with nature	10/6/2015 2:13 PM
239	Make sure it's clean and safe	10/6/2015 2:10 PM
240	REPLICA OF SHADOW MOSES ISLAND METAL GEAR METAL GEAR poptarts	10/6/2015 2:09 PM
241	no	10/6/2015 2:05 PM
242	I intend to retire to Roanoke or Salem in the near future and would be willing to volunteer my expertise related to traditional music and dance and environmental education to promote Explore Park. My wife and I played Appalachian music and danced there many years ago when the park first opened. There is a lot of potential-- it just needs to be promoted. Woody McKenzie mckenziemusic.com	10/6/2015 1:21 PM
243	no	10/6/2015 12:02 PM
244	Adding a zipline would attract many people	10/6/2015 11:57 AM
245	we need a zipline	10/6/2015 11:49 AM
246	N/A	10/6/2015 11:47 AM
247	keep as much green as you can	10/6/2015 10:49 AM

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248	Campground with accessible fishing for everyone would be greatly needed. Overnite lodging would also be great. What a diamond in the rough we have right here in the middle of our city. Use it wisely for ALL.	10/6/2015 10:43 AM
249	no	10/6/2015 10:38 AM
250	Just make it very enjoyable	10/6/2015 10:26 AM
251	A mixture of many different activities would be nice including trails for bikes and hiking and campgrounds and river access and then a skatepark somewhere as well	10/6/2015 10:22 AM
252	put a paintball area, water park, amusement park, and zip line and ropes course	10/6/2015 10:20 AM
253	Give people the tools and ability to explore nature.	10/6/2015 10:19 AM
254	Water & sewer-both counties-more than one entrance-History, heritage, cultural? Horses? County fairs? School groups? Omnibus to transport people through the park noting important areas and topics-Conference area, community room, Good entry sign that would entice Parkway visitors to go into the park	10/6/2015 10:14 AM
255	dinsey	10/6/2015 10:04 AM
256	Allow people to bring horses to ride.	10/6/2015 9:26 AM
257	Please keep the area near the river walkable and not too crowded,, but more accessible. If you build a high population area like a water, park, or restaurant, please dont compromise the natural rec areas.	10/6/2015 8:02 AM
258	I just want to thank you for considering my input!	10/6/2015 8:02 AM
259	Can't wait to see what you guys do!	10/6/2015 12:14 AM
260	Horse people pay good money to be able to ride and camp. We share the trails at carvins cove with the bikers.	10/5/2015 10:39 PM
261	We are campers, and we know so many people who want to camp and/or enjoy the outdoors close to home. With busy schedules, how wonderful it would be to have a safe, clean,and beautiful park to enjoy near to home. Camping with hookups and a lodge or cabins would be ideal. Throw in a great restaurant and some fun activities for the kids, and I believe you would have a wonderful vacation destination.	10/5/2015 6:51 PM
262	1) Electric Vehicle Charging Stations - Electric vehicle owners will plan their travel around the availability of charging stations. They have apps and websites to tell them where to go. If future electric vehicle technology includes small or mid-sized RVs then having EV charging stations would attract tourists who are planning their vacations around recharge opportunities. 2) Film Industry - Explore Park is a good outdoor "set" for movies filmed in Virginia. Installing or storing infrastructure important to the film industry (i.e. equipment that would be hard to rent or transport) would help encourage more moves to be filmed there. This could produce a "Dirty Dancing Effect" in that people still travel to Mountain Lake because of that one movie. That is effective PR! 3) A "Blue Ocean Strategy" <a href="http://www.blueoceanstrategy.com/">http://www.blueoceanstrategy.com/</a> style approach would be beneficial. Have a unique offering to attract tourists.	10/5/2015 3:49 PM
263	Expand driving access points	10/5/2015 3:49 PM
264	Be sure that whatever is developed is self sustaning financially	10/5/2015 3:41 PM
265	Bring the Resource Authority Land (old landfill) into Parks & Rec management for recreational purposes	10/5/2015 3:14 PM
266	Do not do a Dollywood	10/5/2015 3:07 PM
267	Preserve and improve the 18th century historical early settlement.I am paying attention to EP and tracking it's progress. First and foremost of all was to preserve the history of our region. Historial homes and buildings were dismantled and restored there with great expense. I pray this is not forgotten. If we do not remember our history we will be doomed to repeat it's mistakes. I am friends with an original planner. His concern is that we do not abandone the 18th century historical settlement that was reconstructed there. Do all to attract those living in the area to volunteer to keep the historical part ongoing and to draw tourist to share the history of Appalachian from those traveling up and down the parkway. If common sense modeling is needed, look to the Frontier Cultural Museum near Staunton. I love that museum.	10/5/2015 2:59 PM
268	Trolley system to the Star & Roanoke would be a big attraction for RVs who don't have means of local transportation	10/5/2015 2:32 PM
269	Treehouse style lodging would be incredible and is an idea that seems to be catching in popular culture. There is nothing like this anywhere in the region. <a href="http://www.treehousepoint.com/">http://www.treehousepoint.com/</a> Even if overnight accommodations aren't feasible, a big tree house themed playground for children in connection with a zip line park would seem to be a great draw for regional tourism.	10/5/2015 1:07 PM
270	A basketball court would be amazing. It would be nice to have the court decorated with some sort of decal to let people know this is for Explore Park.	10/5/2015 12:39 PM



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271	It would be nice to have the ultimate mountain biking, hiking, and canoeing/kayaking site up there with campgrounds, cabins, and maybe a lodge. This could become an awesome outdoor retreat center to either stay there overnight or spend a day.	10/5/2015 12:28 PM
272	Explore park has a ton of potential if you stop catering to the extreme sports crowd. Build a family destination.	10/5/2015 12:18 PM
273	no, I like it the way it is used, just could use some work	10/5/2015 10:12 AM
274	Explore Park should become the premiere location for outdoor's festivals in the valley. Consider adding Valley Metro Trolley service to the park as demand increases.	10/5/2015 9:45 AM
275	Please budget for enough staff. The first few years, people will need to relearn about the area.	10/5/2015 9:11 AM
276	save the bees	10/5/2015 9:03 AM
277	Botetourt county needs to connect to the greenway	10/5/2015 9:01 AM
278	provide a high-end restaurant	10/5/2015 8:53 AM
279	I do not agree with constantly building over the nature we have around us, but since that's all Roanoke seems to be doing, I say use the natural resources around us instead of wasting a bunch of money on stuff that people can't even enjoy. The way to get people over there is to make something nonexpensive, that everyone can enjoy.	10/5/2015 8:48 AM
280	none	10/5/2015 8:44 AM
281	keep the nature with it	10/5/2015 8:44 AM
282	nope	10/5/2015 8:43 AM
283	rollercoasters	10/5/2015 8:42 AM
284	just leave it or make a giant bee hive to save the bees SAVE THE BEES	10/5/2015 8:42 AM
285	Whitewater park and biking trails. keep it preserved. easy on the retail. also keep it reasonably price if possible (river and trail access)	10/5/2015 12:48 AM
286	Please keep it as natural as possible!	10/4/2015 8:06 PM
287	Even though I do not have children living in my household I enjoy sharing the opportunities with out of town family, friends, neighbors and visitors to the area.	10/4/2015 8:02 PM
288	Explore park has a lot of potential. The Raonoke Valley is known for its outdoor activities and beautiful scenery. So keeping that in mind. More hiking trails, mountain bike trails, and camping will bring in a lot more people from out of town.	10/4/2015 7:27 PM
289	sell it if you can find a fool to buy it	10/4/2015 6:33 PM
290	no	10/4/2015 4:08 PM
291	Better preservation and maintenance of the Historical Area. We've already lost the Native American Village, and I'd hate to see the original historic buildings go as well.	10/4/2015 3:09 PM
292	I think it should be an outdoor adventure park. Rock climbing, kayaking and canoeing, ziplines, obstacle running course, mountain biking, hiking, camping and brewery/restaurant for overnighter.	10/4/2015 1:23 PM
293	Communicate with the local equine community for resources, and creative planning.	10/4/2015 1:16 PM
294	Please include horses. Refer to AQHA statistics for money spent on recreational trail riding. Inputs are fairly small compared to manned centers and paving destroys the habitats just to get the equipment in.	10/4/2015 12:03 PM
295	Horse trails with camping area and stalls	10/4/2015 11:32 AM
296	Please maintain a cohesive mission in line with all Roanoke parks, and not alter what's already great by trying to be too different than the other parks because each Roanoke park should have the same goal; provide a retreat from the everyday "concrete race" and facilitate the visitor's appreciation of nature.	10/4/2015 10:31 AM
297	Make sure to utilize the river access / location	10/4/2015 10:24 AM
298	The combination of a dam with a downstream section of white water river could be a great recipe for a white water park that could draw adventure seekers (rafter, kayaker a, etc) from near and far. Developing this resource as well as lodging (camping, cabins, etc) could draw significant tourism to Roanoke.	10/4/2015 7:39 AM
299	Museum --- local arts and crsfts, demonstrtrions	10/4/2015 7:39 AM

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300	Educational is wonderful but we have so much downtown. We need family to be active outside and low to no cost. I now live in Lynchburg and was shocked to find out they have better parks and trails than Roanoke does when I left there. I love Roanoke but the parks are nothing compared to Lynchburg.	10/4/2015 6:56 AM
301	Look to other local Parks, Rec. and Tourism Depts. for programming ideas, partner with Va Horse Council for History on Horseback rides, expand present Green Hill Park Equestrian Advisory Cmte to Roanoke County Parks, Rec., and Tourism Equestrian Advisory Cmte.	10/4/2015 6:50 AM
302	Explore Park could be a prime resource for natural education and conservation. I would hate to see it spoiled by trying to turn it into an amusement park.	10/4/2015 6:13 AM
303	keep it clean	10/4/2015 2:55 AM
304	Kayak, canoe rental, outfitters, shuttles between float points. A regional draw for out of town kayakers - google Gauleyfest in WV.	10/3/2015 11:01 PM
305	Please don't lose the beauty of the place with too many buildings. Nature is always relaxing, and beautiful.	10/3/2015 9:49 PM
306	Do as much as you can that will offer the most to the community and visitors to our region.	10/3/2015 8:55 PM
307	Love to see equestrian trails and facilities	10/3/2015 7:42 PM
308	You really should include equestrian trails. Most riders are very respectful, willing to help with trail maintenance, and are looking for more places to ride as there are limited places to ride in comparison to what one finds for hiking, biking, etc.	10/3/2015 7:33 PM
309	Make it somewhere you would want to bring people	10/3/2015 6:24 PM
310	Please don't make it overly commercialized and keep it affordable. Leave the water park idea at Green Ridge and keep it natural at Explore Park	10/3/2015 5:20 PM
311	On a purely selfish basis I'd rather see you spending what money you have and assets you already have on developing the Roanoke County side of the park and leave Bedford County as an animal preserve.	10/3/2015 2:01 PM
312	Don't put all your eggs in one basket. Keep a central theme, don't partition it into a tacky quasi amusement park.	10/3/2015 1:53 PM
313	I have extensive experience regarding the wide interest in the night sky across age groups in the Roanoke Valley. Explore Park offers a tremendous potential resource in addressing this interest. With suitable open space to which cars could be driven and parked, and with fully shielded, controllable lighting in and around this space, the Park's location near to the City's and County's population centers would be unique for our area.	10/3/2015 12:14 PM
314	don't take 10 years to get this done..make a plan and get it completed	10/3/2015 11:47 AM
315	The idea of local goods and vendors is huge! A brewery and restaurant would really bring folks in	10/3/2015 10:39 AM
316	It needs to be something that encourages not only families but singles as well to visit	10/3/2015 9:39 AM
317	It is an untapped resource. There is so much potential, there are bolted climbing routes, a river that could be a great white water attraction. Numerous trails for biking and hiking, easy access to Roanoke and Smith Mountain Lake. The valley does not need another amphitheater, art center or museum. We need outdoor recreation other than the Greenway. Which its popularity should show the need for an outdoor recreation center!	10/3/2015 9:12 AM
318	Side away from the typical waterparks like Bush Gardens and Kings Dominion, make something that isn't seen often, keep the nature and the layout of the land! Keep the historical areas too possibly group them together? As a child we went on many field trips here for that purpose and its one of the reasons i love the Explore Park! Consider offering night event such as star gazing.	10/3/2015 8:27 AM
319	Keep it as natural and untouched as possible!	10/2/2015 11:10 PM
320	Need safe quiet trails for horseback riding.	10/2/2015 9:08 PM
321	Night time events Grand kids count	10/2/2015 8:45 PM
322	Put in a great disc golf course and update mtn bike trails	10/2/2015 7:08 PM
323	An averaged priced restaurant, with a large outdoor dining area overlooking the river. Also a covered pavilion for events in any weather.	10/2/2015 6:40 PM
324	Just don't make it cheesy like dolly wood or gatlinburg	10/2/2015 4:12 PM
325	Yes. Do NOT waste money on things that aren't needed. Don't add frills that won't benefit anyone, but look good on paper. Don't let people with "power" influence the master plan decisions; listen to the citizens.	10/2/2015 2:16 PM
326	We would love to have bike paths for pleasure biking that is not paved!	10/2/2015 1:30 PM

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327	Since the Roanoke BRP closed the campground last year, there's no good camping in the area. There really is a need for tent sites and a bath house. We've used the one on the BRP many times for coming to events in Roanoke and staying the night there instead of driving all the way home to the NRV.	10/2/2015 12:28 PM
328	Cleanliness! There is so much trash in this river!	10/2/2015 11:29 AM
329	Keep it as natural as possible. Our region is becoming known for outdoor recreation and the beauty of the outdoors. We want it to be accessible but not commercialized.	10/2/2015 11:28 AM
330	I also love the education. It was a great field trip	10/2/2015 10:50 AM
331	Please do not develop into any single family residences. this should remain a public area with terrific public attractions. This is a beautiful area with nice mature vegetation, trails, etc. and is in my opinion a positive draw away from the city of 10- minute drive.	10/2/2015 10:37 AM
332	No gimmicks, like a water park. Park should be centered on the natural surroundings of the area. Capitalize on the river. You have flatwater (beginning of SML) and freestone river right in same area. Cleanliness and environmental awareness/education could be improved. Leave No Trace signs. Overnight camping would be great. Full RV hookups, platforms and primitive tent camping. A "backcountry" trail with a hike-in only campsite would be great. Also, connect to the Bedford Co. parcel across the river. An archery range would be great as well.	10/2/2015 10:36 AM
333	Connecting the greenway from downtown out to the park would be awesome.	10/2/2015 10:18 AM
334	Do not repeat what was done before that obviously did not work at all- create a natural park that allows city folks to experience the beauty of what we have here---no goofy tricks or gimmicks	10/2/2015 9:49 AM
335	Keep National Chains and Larry Vander Maten's out of Explore Park	10/2/2015 9:48 AM
336	We have beautiful natural resources. We need to create areas to highlight them and encourage their use. We routinely book kayak tours, nature tours and hike when traveling, all would be great in Roanoke.	10/2/2015 9:37 AM
337	No	10/2/2015 9:22 AM
338	Preserve the natural areas as much as possible. Restore the historic buildings. I work 5 miles from Explore Park in another park and we continually have to explain to people that there is no longer camping at Roanoke Mountain, therefore, no close-to-the-city options for camping exist. This is the top unmet need, in my opinion, for outdoor recreation and tourism in the area. If you do nothing else...please, please create camping opportunities at Explore!	10/2/2015 9:06 AM
339	NO	10/2/2015 8:31 AM
340	Have the engineer that designed the National Whitewater Center in Charlotte NC. Design Whitewater features throughout the Roanoke River Gorge.	10/2/2015 7:59 AM
341	I'll help with disc golf course construction!	10/2/2015 7:20 AM
342	Explore park has a unique combo of river frontage and terrain-- sticking with a primary mission of outdoor activities makes sense, but not with all the hubub a zipline/adventure park would bring. We don't need it to be a circus. I'm all for development of businesses, but they should be environmentally aware and blend into the nature theme of the park. Breweries and wineries would be welcome, as would some sort of equipment rental outfitter.	10/2/2015 6:51 AM
343	Horse camp. Your trails are beautiful including the old landfill. I participated in the ACTHA event and just loved it.	10/2/2015 5:50 AM
344	Model after the many parks in Northern VA. There is always something going on at one of their parks.	10/1/2015 11:53 PM
345	Build it and they will come	10/1/2015 11:45 PM
346	I hate it when local governments spend all this money on surveys you've got smart folks working at the county, you can do this on your own.	10/1/2015 11:32 PM
347	I would love to see horse trails and adequate parking for horse trailers.	10/1/2015 10:32 PM
348	Hire me.	10/1/2015 10:25 PM
349	Better trails towards the spillway area of Niagara dam that are well maintained and easy to walk on while having a kayak on your shoulder	10/1/2015 9:59 PM
350	As a mom of two, it would be great to have a water feature/ spray grounds. Most other cities have this feature, and roanoke is lacking. Would be very popular. Also paved trails for strollers would be awesome.	10/1/2015 9:29 PM
351	Having a nice mix of things that are fun for kids but also interesting/fun for adults. Used to visit explore park often as a child but it's been a long time. I didn't even know anything went on there anymore. Remember to come up with a good marketing plan for locals!!!	10/1/2015 9:20 PM
352	More educational/ family oriented programs	10/1/2015 9:10 PM

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353	Although I would love to see something done that would bring jobs and revenue to the area, i would be very much apposed to anything that would take away from the natural beauty of the area, especially the river. That is a beautiful, very fun section of the river and I would hate to see it altered in any way.	10/1/2015 8:46 PM
354	Looking forward to what is in store	10/1/2015 8:45 PM
355	I am willing to help in any way i can to put an 18 or 36 hole professional disc golf course in Roanoke.	10/1/2015 8:17 PM
356	Make like to make it an adventure and recreation based park	10/1/2015 8:10 PM
357	This could be the epicenter of upper Roanoke River eco-tourism river adventure	10/1/2015 7:53 PM
358	The location is wonderful on the BRP however the traffic is horrible. Unless the BRP starts cracking down on commuters any Road Cyclist that camps there are unlikely to return. Roanoke BRP commuters really ruin our stretch.	10/1/2015 7:20 PM
359	food and shops	10/1/2015 6:42 PM
360	Roanoke could be an East Coast leader in combining outdoor play and recreation activities with beautiful mountains, woods and waterways. Explore Park is an opportunity for a unique treasure for this region that can improve the quality of life, attract talent and investment, as well as tourist dollars. Don't just build one more average water park, one more average zipline, one more playground, ball field, etc. Let's build a comprehensive recreation area that incorporates, capitalizes and teaches people about the awesome natural world of the Blue Ridge for people of all ages and abilities. It would be great to have a resource where any Roanoke kid can help build a log cabin or a fort, learn to kayak, catch frogs and snakes, climb some rocks, fish/float/wade/ a river, explore the woods, and learn to appreciate and love the natural resources we are blessed with in SWVA. Think Berkeley's Adventure Playground on a huge scale and with a naturalist twist.	10/1/2015 5:27 PM
361	Regulations on dumpsters in the flood plane upstream. Keeping the river and it's banks clean, is essential to the park, and our town.	10/1/2015 4:56 PM
362	Please consider the equestrian community, trail riding at Explore Park would fill a gaping hole in the area and would be a huge hit with lots of participation!	10/1/2015 3:37 PM
363	None	10/1/2015 3:33 PM
364	More trails and campsites would bring in mountain bikers that have no where to camp now. We (locals) get asked all the time where to camp close to riding and we have no good answer.	10/1/2015 2:46 PM
365	Great area for horseback riding	10/1/2015 2:29 PM
366	We need a World class Disc Golf course to bring in people from surrounding states for big tournaments.	10/1/2015 1:57 PM
367	Horseback riders do not harm the trails and provide valuable help with the upkeep, i.e., Carvins Cove.	10/1/2015 1:26 PM
368	Many friends would love to see an area for equestrian camping, perhaps with stalls to rent.	10/1/2015 1:22 PM
369	Disc golf is the biggest up and coming sport. It would really bring people from out of town to come see the area and play the course. I personally think it really is what Roanoke needs as there are not many at all in the area and I would be willing to help	10/1/2015 1:07 PM
370	This is an amazing gem that can be a huge asset for this area. glad we are figuring out how to make it the best. I use Explore Park for biking/hiking now and love it.	10/1/2015 12:59 PM
371	The Va Outdoors Plan statistics need to be considered in seeing what activities are participated in and what ones are needed.	10/1/2015 12:55 PM
372	put in a whitewater park, it would be great for roanoke and southwest virginia	10/1/2015 12:50 PM
373	Many horse back riders use Carvin's cove and come a great distance to use the beautiful trails there and share with the bike riders. Multi use trails are needed in the area and bikes and horses can coexist.	10/1/2015 12:22 PM
374	Include equestrian access to park. Currently the closest campgrounds are Fairy Stone Park in Henry County and Douthat Park in Allegheny/Bath County. Other than Carvins Cove - there are no other trail systems to ride that are safe during hunting season.	10/1/2015 12:04 PM

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375	As a club we have so many good ideas about getting the community involved with the sport of Disc Golf. Some of these ideas include: Build 3-4 Championship Level courses in the Roanoke valley in order to hold a world championship competition in the next 5-10 years. This would bring massive revenue to the area, and new residents/players. Loyal players often base their residence on where greatly rated courses are located. This can be done, but we have to install 3-4 18 hole courses before the PDGA will consider letting us host a tournament of that magnitude. With the Greenfield Disc Golf Course not far down the road in Botetourt, having another course located at the Explore Park would take the region that much closer to this goal. Getting the local schools involved and form a high school leagues so kids/young adults can start the sport early compete in a Disc Golf Rec league against their peers in their schools and the surrounding schools. This can also apply to Colleges of local universities.	10/1/2015 11:45 AM
376	I do think that the park would benefit from having large outdoor concerts. If they were to happen at all, they should be local to regional acts, not national acts. Traffic would become a problem with huge crowds, and it would make it more difficult for people not attending a concert to access the bike trails, water, etc. I think all of the historic buildings should remain, and tours of them would be cool. Tent camping sites that are wooded and semi private would be an excellent attraction that I would use often. As far as the construction of features for freeride bike trails, I know several individuals, including myself, that would be willing to volunteer to work on them. All of the freeride trails at Carvin's Cove were built and are maintained by volunteers.	10/1/2015 11:33 AM
377	There so much opportunity at explore park and its sad that there is all this beautiful land is not being used to its fullest potential	10/1/2015 11:22 AM
378	need an area for families to camp. Equestrians to camp and ride.	10/1/2015 11:22 AM
379	Very excited that Explore Park is getting revived!	10/1/2015 11:18 AM
380	Please include horseback riding in your planning. Trail riding is a very popular past time among retired folks and others as well. There are many clubs looking for good, safe places to hold trail rides.	10/1/2015 11:01 AM
381	Jobs	10/1/2015 10:11 AM
382	Please consider a living history aspect.	10/1/2015 9:36 AM
383	I am the communication director for VTEch's College of Natural Resources and serve on the Va Assoc for Parks Board. Staunton River State Park has just become certified as a Dark Sky. I believe Explore Park is also dark enough to get that designation and I believe it could be a valuable asset for you all to do this. I was the public affairs specialist who worked on the Explore Park project for the Blue Ridge Parkway and would be happy to be involved in this.	10/1/2015 9:34 AM
384	A website and facebook page that is linked from other government and local sources such as B.R.B.C and others.	10/1/2015 9:16 AM
385	Trails paved and non paved that connect the park with greenway systems in Roanoke. A trail from mill mnt. Roanoke mnt to park	10/1/2015 9:02 AM
386	Dog park	10/1/2015 8:13 AM
387	less buildings, more natural settings	10/1/2015 5:56 AM
388	I would love to have historical interpretation return to Explore Park. My memories of my childhood experiences of these aspects of Explore Park are treasured. I would love to be involved in or an observer of historical interpretation as it was previously conducted in Explore Park. There are few sites that offer such a rich cultural and historical experience and its return would be an asset to our region. If it were available I would enjoy bringing my friends, both local and visiting, to Explore Park. I would have liked to have attended a community meeting in person to join in this dialogue but unfortunately the nearest location holding a meeting, Green Ridge Recreation Center, is doing so during hours in which I am at work.	10/1/2015 1:39 AM
389	Please preserve the beauty and nature of the area and do not develop it and destroy the nature aspect! Also, all of those historical buildings should be maintained and interpreted. It is criminal to ignore the history of this region!!!	9/30/2015 10:11 PM
390	connect to the greenway. would be an awesome place to finish a day of running or biking	9/30/2015 9:40 PM
391	Keep the glitter and electric equipment at bay. Have programs and activities that emphasize the natural beauty that exist there. Offer over night accommodations and a restaurant. Keep a common theme of simplicity and concentrate on the beauty of nature.	9/30/2015 9:31 PM
392	Question 3 needed your description of each- as in question 5. I had to go back and change my answers in 3 based on what I read in q#5.	9/30/2015 6:44 PM
393	Too bad you can't move it.. Kidding - it is kind of out of the day and as I said above it is creepy out there in the late evening. Are you going to fix the back entrance road? That's awful!	9/30/2015 5:31 PM
394	secure connections to the area greenways and BRP trails, become identified with all the other R V outdoor recreational resources.	9/30/2015 2:30 PM
395	For god's sake... leave the adrenaline fueled concepts behind. It will not work in Roanoke beyond year 1.	9/30/2015 1:52 PM

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396	Whitewater park	9/30/2015 12:57 PM
397	No	9/30/2015 12:40 PM
398	Roanoke City and Salem have been doing a great job with the Greenway .. Roanoke County nothing. It really is sad. You need to keep the trails and make this about the outside.. If the GO festival could be here that would be amazing!! Races like the Knight Crossing that bring 1500 runners to the area and that is done in the Greenhill and Salem get the revenue.	9/30/2015 12:28 PM
399	see Snow Summit Bike Park see Whistler Bike Park google ecuador skybike	9/30/2015 11:35 AM
400	green way needs to go all the way to the park - don't focus on drive in traffic.	9/30/2015 10:57 AM
401	Have a variety from this list, activities for young, old and in-between. and handicapped accessibility is a must.	9/30/2015 10:56 AM
402	Restaurants and shopping added to the beauty of Explore Park	9/30/2015 10:49 AM
403	Reconstruction of stored buildings such as the Barnett house.	9/30/2015 10:20 AM
404	I know young adults who moved here for the recreation but left after a couple of years because that sort of thing doesn't receive as much weight in our town because the average age is much older than most. Well a new generation is trying to move in and bring their out of town money. The amphitheater, while forced at its location, is but a start in the right direction. I feel positively about our new editions like the taubman museum, it's worthless things like new fast food restaurants that this town doesn't need.	9/30/2015 9:56 AM
405	RVpark	9/30/2015 9:51 AM
406	Not sure if it's been done as I haven't been there this year, but please rebuild the Indian village	9/30/2015 7:33 AM
407	Please look at what Onondaga Lake Park has to offer. We went there once and wished Roanoke had something like it. We had the best day. The paved paths had ladies pushing their babies in strollers. We rented the 4 person Quadricycle, it was two benches under a canopy on 4 wheels and pedals for the passengers. You'd need to make the paved paths level for these bike ;) Wouldn't want a "runaway quad-bike" going downhill fast situation. Onondaga Lake Park really has something for everyone, dogs too!	9/30/2015 2:03 AM
408	I was seriously disappointed to have the original park shut down. So much time and money had been invested by interested employees and volunteers to build a wonderful representative of our history. To see it fold up and fall away from public access was such a shame. I would love to see it brought back to life again to teach what was so important to who we are today.	9/29/2015 8:24 PM
409	Let's just do something with that property! How about re-opening the other entrance?	9/29/2015 7:32 PM
410	Gift shop with nice souvineers for the BRP as well as local artist sales. Something like the BRP center near Ashville.	9/29/2015 4:10 PM
411	PLEASE MAKE THE TRIP TO TANGLEWOOD PARK to get awesome ideas. I think they have 1100 acres. I go there (it's my DESTINATION!) at least 6 or 7 times a year.	9/29/2015 2:30 PM
412	Do not neglect the living history sites. That is what made Explore so beloved in the first place. With proper management, I strongly believe they could once again bring the public in droves. Which would benefit these other attractions mentioned here (trails, etc)	9/29/2015 1:52 PM
413	Keep a lot of green spaces and hiking	9/29/2015 10:59 AM
414	People with young children want a playground, and a paved or smooth surface walking trail (ability to push a stroller). a splash park (see Knoxville Zoo) would be a huge draw. sometimes the full pool experience is too much for young kids.	9/29/2015 10:46 AM

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415	<p>I am older so my choices are certainly different than if I were younger. I actually typed a bit of a letter that I am going to paste here. I will attend one of the meetings for input on Explore Park and do the survey when it becomes available but because I feel so strongly about this part of my input, I am going to do it this way too in hopes that someone takes time to "hear" it. This needs to be BOTH a community use area and a tourist area. I want to spend most of this letter addressing one item that can be both. Roanoke is billing itself as an outdoor mecca both locally and as a destination and rightly so. What it is not doing to make that possible for those outside the valley is to provide a facility for overnighting. Folks coming to Roanoke for its scenery and outdoor facilities do not want to be cooped up in a hotel in the middle of the city. I would like to make suggestions for a campground that can be used for those locally who like to camp, those coming to Roanoke for tourism, and overnight campers traveling the Parkway or US 220 (future I73). This latter group makes the campground financially viable especially during the week. Ideas for a modern facility: • full hookups with 30 and 50 amp service. This eliminates the need for upkeep for multiple bathhouses as "self-contained" units will not need them. A bathhouse would be used mostly by tent campers and smaller RV units. • shared electric and water for tent sites. Tent campers want to be able to charge their phones or to run a fan. One such station could probably serve several proximally located tent sites. • level, paved sites including pull-through and back-in types. The initial paving will eliminate future maintenance due to gravel or mud. • no fire pits. These create their own issues and increase daily maintenance needs. (Chantilly Farms in Floyd has rental portable fire pits and many people carry their own some of which is run on propane.) • variable reservation methods. This is VERY important. State parks take reservations but campers pick their spot when they get there which does not allow for varying sizes of RVs nor for friends to camp beside each other. Conversely, making all of the sites ones you pick out ahead of time causes them to be under-used. Example, I want to come to Roanoke and stay a week but several overnight campers have booked one night during that week and thus tied up multiple sites. This makes it impossible for me to get consecutive days in the same spot. One park in Georgia I used mixed these methods. There were groupings: 1. specific sites that could be booked ahead of time and some of these were back-in and some pull-through (actually I think these might have been done by length needed...for example, over 25' and less than 25') 2. non-specific site reservations; i.e. the RVer has a reservation but picks the site when he/she arrives. Again these are grouped for size units. This makes it possible to get consecutive nights but without having to do it so far in advance. • check out on Sundays is 4:00 PM (weekenders get full weekend). Checkout other days is 12:00 P.M. and check-in is 1:00 P.M. which helps travelers. • three camp host sites at the entrance to the campground. This allows for full time coverage of the campground such that hosts are properly compensated and making it likely that quality people are always available. This brings me to Tanglewood Park in Clemmons, NC which I would like to reference. Sites were built on part of an old campground so they are not level but much of what that campground does and certainly its location with so much to do and yet close to commercial venues makes it a favorite destination for us. Explore Park has the potential to have similar advantages. A friend and I pull campers to Tanglewood as often as we get a chance. Explore Park cannot be a Tanglewood but I would encourage Explore Park developers to look at what makes this park such a high use one by community and tourists. There are large open fields that can be used for multiple activities (Green Hill did a good thing by leaving a similar area). It should not become an athletic facility; Starkey Park fills that need. I see the Pavilions (not picnic shelters) being rented for birthday parties and reunions. There is a B&amp;B in the old manor house and rustic cabins by a small lake. School field trips use an educational area. The list goes on because it is so large and such an established park but talking to Tanglewood administrators about what has been advantageous and not beneficial would be a good idea. This is Roanoke County's opportunity to work with an area of natural beauty that is also near SW Virginia's largest metropolitan area. Let's make both of those accessible with the way this park is developed. Thank you for allowing input. Vaneta McAlexander vmcalexander@cox.net 540-874-4168</p>	9/29/2015 10:25 AM
416	<p>Look at what Bedford has done with their parks. Big green space with the needs of mountain bikers, runners and day hikers are being met. Here is a chance to create something awesome, please take your time and think everything through. The parkway is gorgeous. Our rivers, I think are our most underused resource. Create a space where adults can go and have fun but kids can come and enjoy the day. Outdoor activities are what makes our community great! Look to parks in Colorado and Washington state. They get it. We can do that here too!</p>	9/29/2015 10:23 AM
417	<p>Benchmark other natural public and private parks/resorts with similar resources that are unquestionably successful.</p>	9/29/2015 10:05 AM
418	<p>My husband and I have gone to walk the trails before and we felt like the area was "vacant" and honestly felt a little unsafe down near the river. There was a lot of trash and it was overgrown. I think improving staff visibility and making it more family friendly could help alleviate some of these problems.</p>	9/29/2015 10:03 AM
419	<p>I would love to see Explore Park grow but not to the point that it becomes a crowded commercial destination.</p>	9/29/2015 9:33 AM
420	<p>Look at Maymont Park in Richmond. It is WONDERFUL! Historical home, carriage rides (we could do hayrides), nature walk, gardens, and they have a great nature center (like an aquarium) with fish, turtles, and otters (animals found in our area). Farm area with petting zoo for the kids. Would be neat to have holiday decorations like Maymont Park does at Christmas. Places I enjoy going back to again and again include Busch Gardens for its nature, beauty, thrill rides and kid attractions, The amphitheater on the Outer banks puts on a really good play and makes a lot of money selling tickets!! Also, really... take a day trip to Maymont Park. We could do something similar (only without the mansion). Make it fit in with the historical buildings we already have. It could be fun for all ages.</p>	9/29/2015 8:31 AM
421	<p>#5 asked me to rank what I would use. This forces me to rank items that I would not use.</p>	9/29/2015 8:13 AM

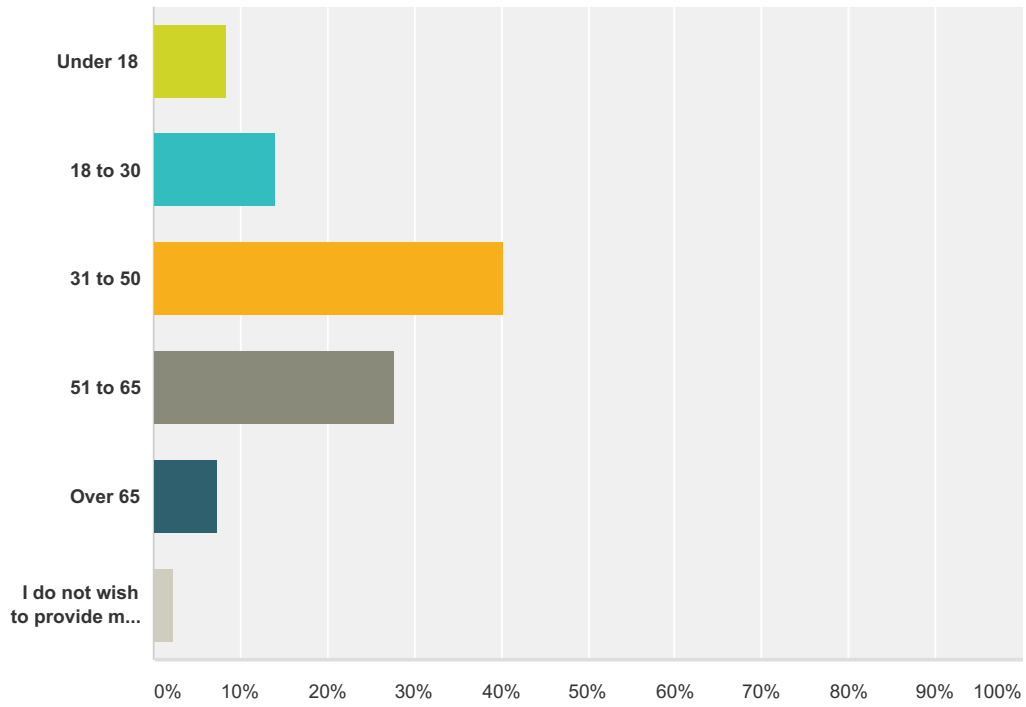
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422	Keep it free, unless it's something you need to rent or a guided activity.	9/28/2015 8:27 PM
423	do not be afraid to charge for boating , kayak, canoe access . recreation is not for everyone , do not raise taxes for those who do not participate, look at what the city and water authority have done a carvins cove, we who use it fund it. low taxes is what keeps citizens in a community.	9/28/2015 5:18 PM
424	Enhancing river access and providing picnic and event facilities near the river.	9/28/2015 4:35 PM



### Q11 What is your age?

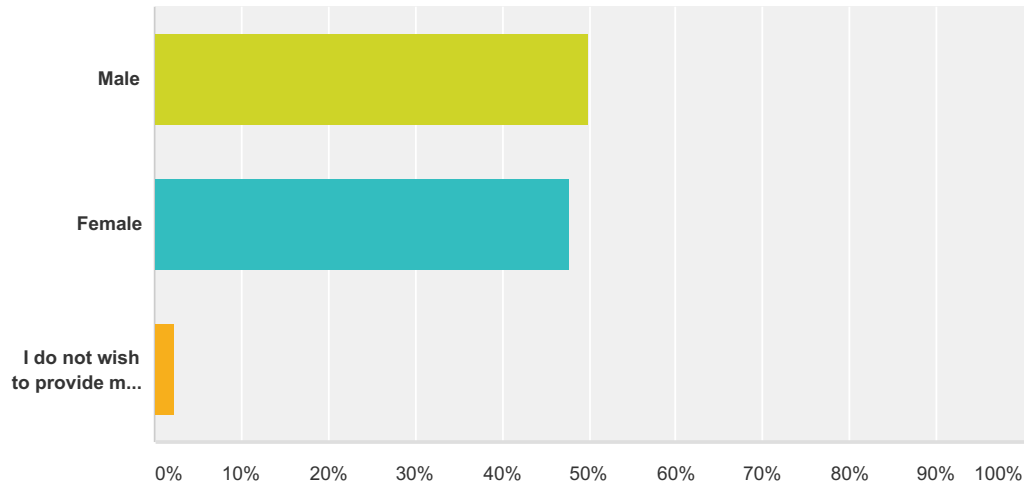
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Answer Choices	Responses
Under 18	8.34% 94
18 to 30	14.02% 158
31 to 50	40.37% 455
51 to 65	27.68% 312
Over 65	7.36% 83
I do not wish to provide my age	2.22% 25
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### Q12 What is your gender?

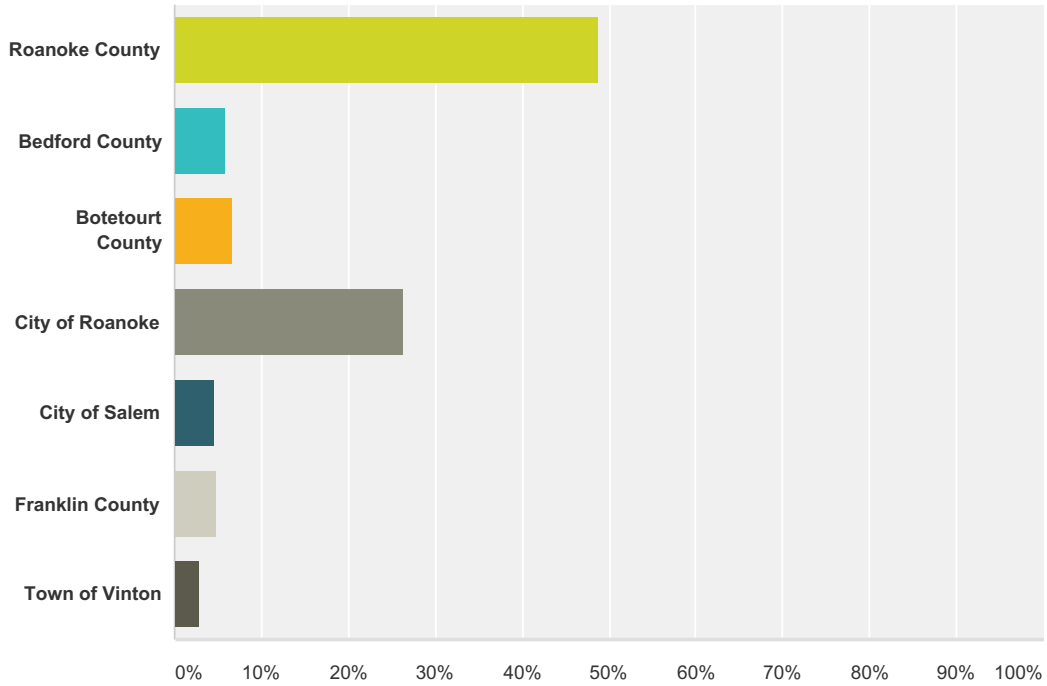
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Answer Choices	Responses	
Male	49.96%	558
Female	47.81%	534
I do not wish to provide my gender	2.24%	25
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,117</b>

### Q13 Where do you live?

Answered: 1,023 Skipped: 113



Answer Choices	Responses
Roanoke County	48.78% 499
Bedford County	5.77% 59
Botetourt County	6.74% 69
City of Roanoke	26.30% 269
City of Salem	4.59% 47
Franklin County	4.89% 50
Town of Vinton	2.93% 30
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,023</b>

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2	Dublin Va	10/28/2015 6:17 PM
3	Gretna, VA	10/28/2015 11:37 AM
4	Montgomery county	10/28/2015 11:19 AM
5	Summerfiled, NC	10/28/2015 8:06 AM
6	Radford	10/27/2015 10:17 AM
7	Las Vegas NV. But my parents live near explore park	10/27/2015 12:13 AM
8	franklin co	10/26/2015 1:02 PM
9	Lynchburg, VA	10/25/2015 1:40 PM

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10	Buncombe County	10/23/2015 3:19 AM
11	Asheville NC	10/23/2015 2:06 AM
12	Ohio	10/22/2015 8:44 PM
13	SF	10/22/2015 7:46 PM
14	Martin, TN	10/22/2015 5:48 PM
15	out of state	10/22/2015 4:22 PM
16	New River Valley	10/22/2015 2:40 PM
17	Asheville Nc	10/22/2015 2:15 PM
18	Asheville, NC	10/22/2015 12:07 PM
19	I live in Roanoke 1999-2014. I now live in Greensboro, NC	10/21/2015 5:07 PM
20	City of Richmond	10/21/2015 1:29 AM
21	Washington State with relatives in Roanoke	10/21/2015 12:31 AM
22	Lynchburg	10/20/2015 10:59 PM
23	Princess Anne, MD	10/20/2015 10:22 PM
24	PA!	10/20/2015 10:00 PM
25	California	10/20/2015 9:46 PM
26	MA	10/20/2015 9:26 PM
27	Austin, TX but Roanoke native	10/20/2015 10:37 AM
28	Other family members in Eastern Va and Ky and we have met at Pipestem.	10/19/2015 9:46 PM
29	Charlotte, NC (from Roanoke, VA originally)	10/18/2015 9:20 PM
30	I live in Hunting Hills Subdivision	10/18/2015 1:34 PM
31	Local resident residing in NYC and working in the luxury hospitality brand development industry	10/18/2015 10:12 AM
32	Mt. Pleasant	10/18/2015 8:40 AM
33	Craig County	10/18/2015 7:52 AM
34	Florida - Son lives in Roanoke.	10/17/2015 3:19 PM
35	Amherst, va	10/17/2015 1:26 PM
36	NJ	10/17/2015 1:11 PM
37	Blacksburg	10/17/2015 6:03 AM
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39	Atlanta, GA	10/16/2015 6:40 PM
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41	Blacksburg	10/16/2015 9:45 AM
42	Bastian VA	10/16/2015 9:22 AM
43	Chesterfield County	10/16/2015 7:53 AM
44	Arlington, VA - moved from Roanoke 3 years ago but return often	10/15/2015 9:07 AM
45	I also own a house in Patrick county near Philpot Lake	10/14/2015 7:01 PM
46	border Roanoke City Roanoke County Mount Pleasant	10/14/2015 12:06 PM
47	Loudoun County	10/12/2015 8:48 PM
48	Frequent visitor of Roanoke (former resident)	10/12/2015 2:20 PM
49	Lynchburg	10/12/2015 11:32 AM

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50	Amherst County	10/12/2015 9:17 AM
51	My family is from Roanoke.	10/10/2015 8:11 PM
52	africa	10/9/2015 10:14 AM
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56	Montgomery County	10/7/2015 11:13 PM
57	REPLICA OF SHADOW MOSES ISLAND METAL GEAR METAL GEAR poptarts	10/6/2015 2:09 PM
58	Lynchburg	10/6/2015 1:21 PM
59	Live on Windy Gap Mountain. Very close.	10/6/2015 10:43 AM
60	Botetourt Co	10/5/2015 1:52 PM
61	City of Lynchburg	10/5/2015 10:44 AM
62	asheville, nc	10/5/2015 6:50 AM
63	Henry Co, but travel to Roanoke	10/5/2015 6:30 AM
64	Blacksburg	10/4/2015 3:02 PM
65	Charlottesville, Va	10/4/2015 9:33 AM
66	Montgomery county	10/4/2015 7:43 AM
67	I work in Roanoke, and use the ROA Greenway and Carvins Cove several times each week.	10/3/2015 11:01 PM
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73	Eastern va	10/3/2015 7:17 AM
74	Christiansburg	10/3/2015 12:36 AM
75	Henry County	10/2/2015 10:09 PM
76	Augusta county	10/2/2015 7:08 PM
77	Concord, NC	10/2/2015 4:40 PM
78	Born in Roanoke 67 yrs ago, plan to move back soon	10/2/2015 3:46 PM
79	Kentucky	10/2/2015 1:45 PM
80	Radford City	10/2/2015 12:28 PM
81	Right by the Parkway. I drive it weekly.	10/2/2015 11:49 AM
82	Blacksburg	10/2/2015 11:45 AM
83	floyd county	10/2/2015 9:49 AM
84	I own a business in Roanoke	10/2/2015 9:06 AM
85	Lynchburg, but planning to move to either Roanoke or Salem within 1 year.	10/2/2015 7:12 AM
86	Pulaski	10/2/2015 7:04 AM
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97	Out of state but frequently travel thru the area	10/1/2015 12:13 PM
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101	employed by Town of Vinton	10/1/2015 10:48 AM
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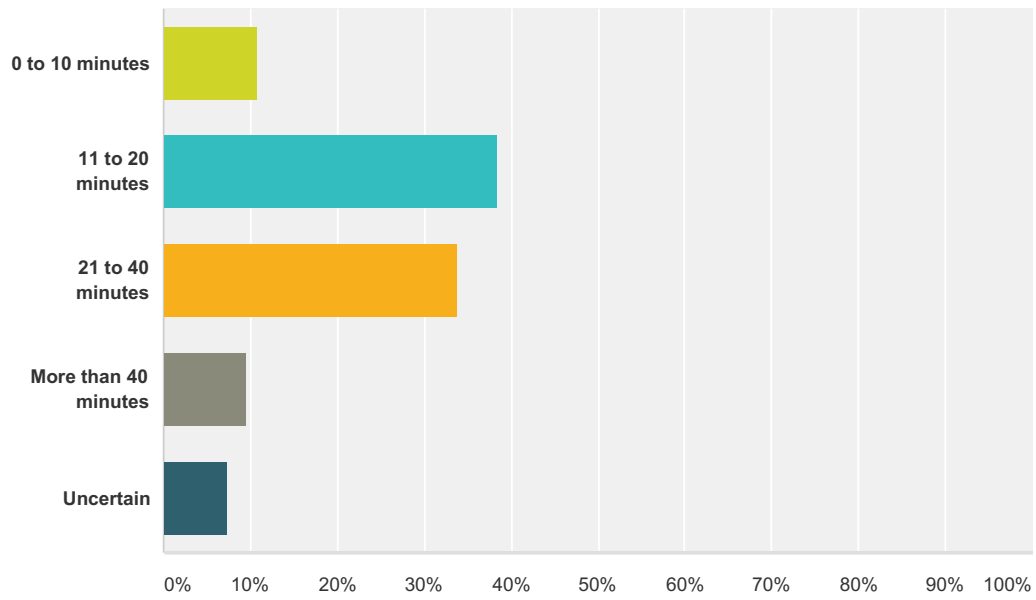


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### Q15 How far do you have to travel to get to Explore Park?

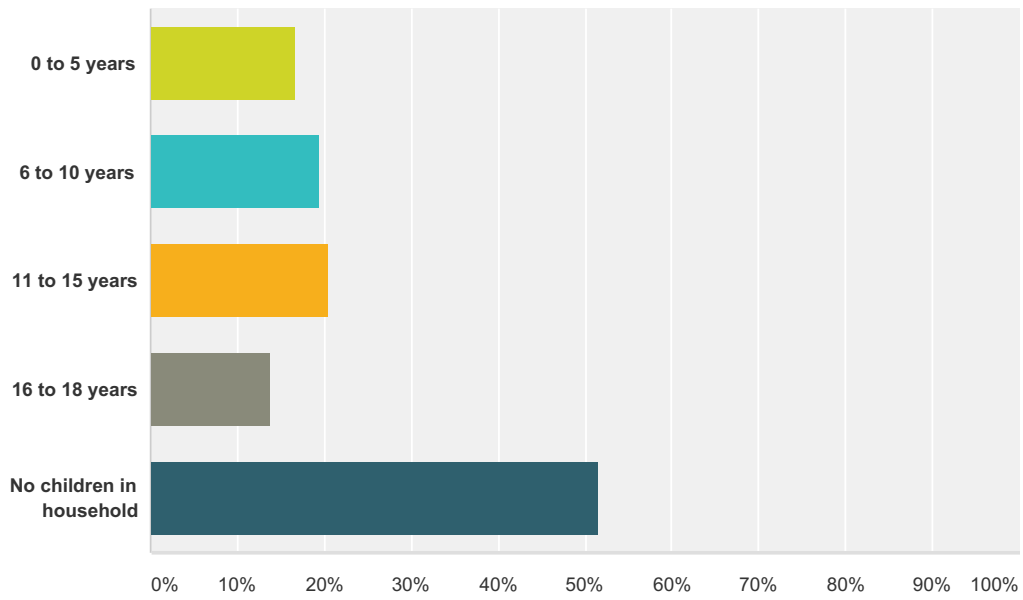
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Answer Choices	Responses	Count
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11 to 20 minutes	38.39%	430
21 to 40 minutes	33.75%	378
More than 40 minutes	9.64%	108
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### Q16 What are the ages of the children in your household? (Check all that apply)

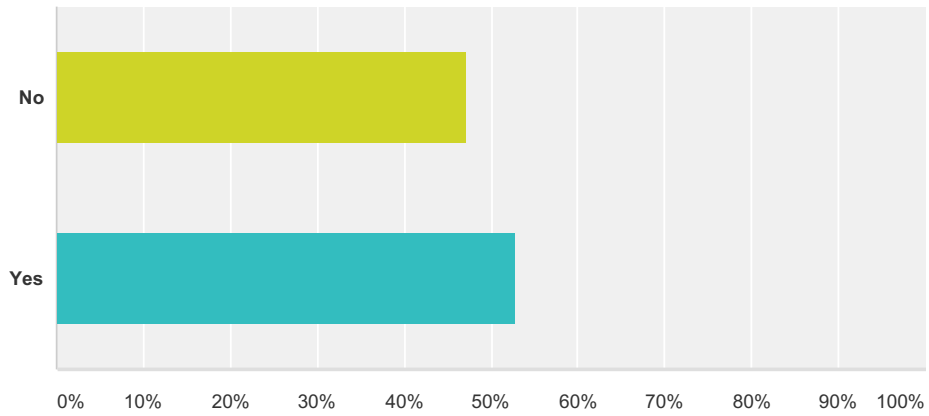
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Answer Choices	Responses	Count
0 to 5 years	16.79%	185
6 to 10 years	19.33%	213
11 to 15 years	20.42%	225
16 to 18 years	13.79%	152
No children in household	51.54%	568
<b>Total Respondents: 1,102</b>		

### Q17 May we contact you for further clarification of these responses?

Answered: 1,097 Skipped: 39



Answer Choices	Responses	
No	47.13%	517
Yes	52.87%	580
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,097</b>