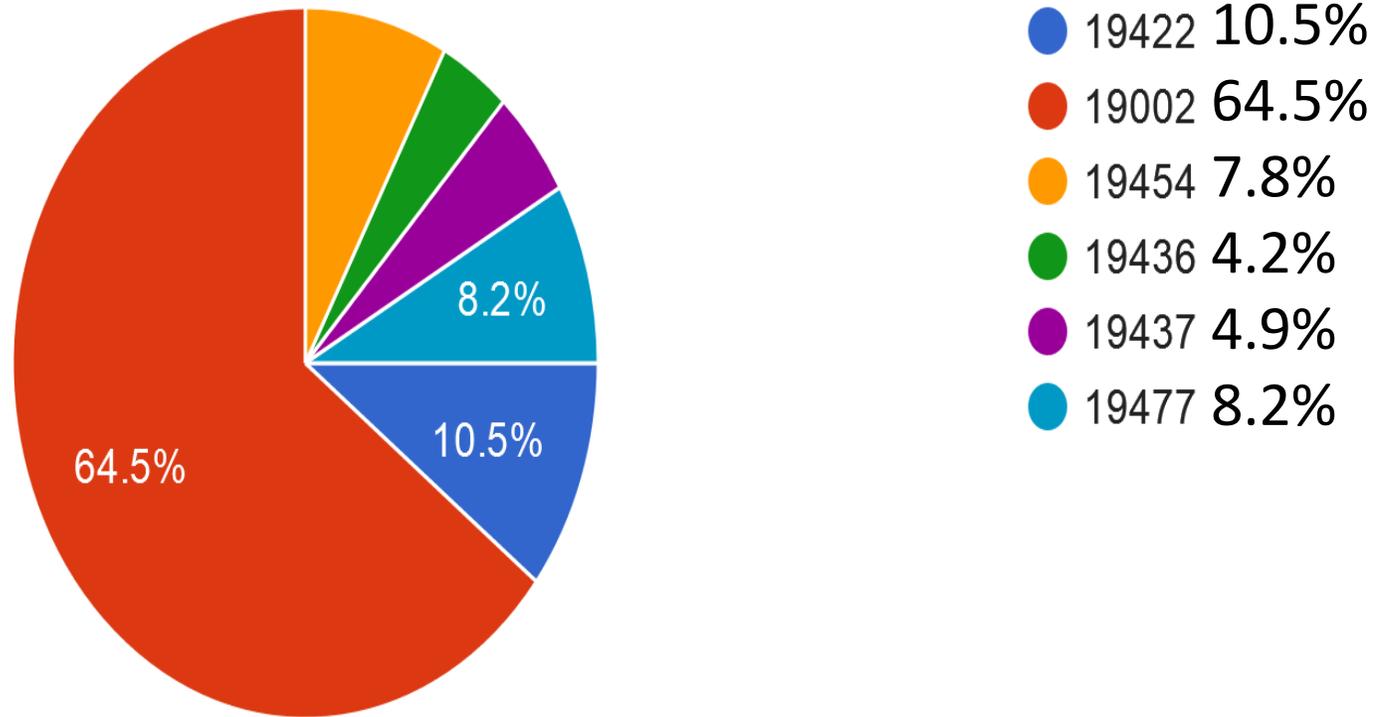
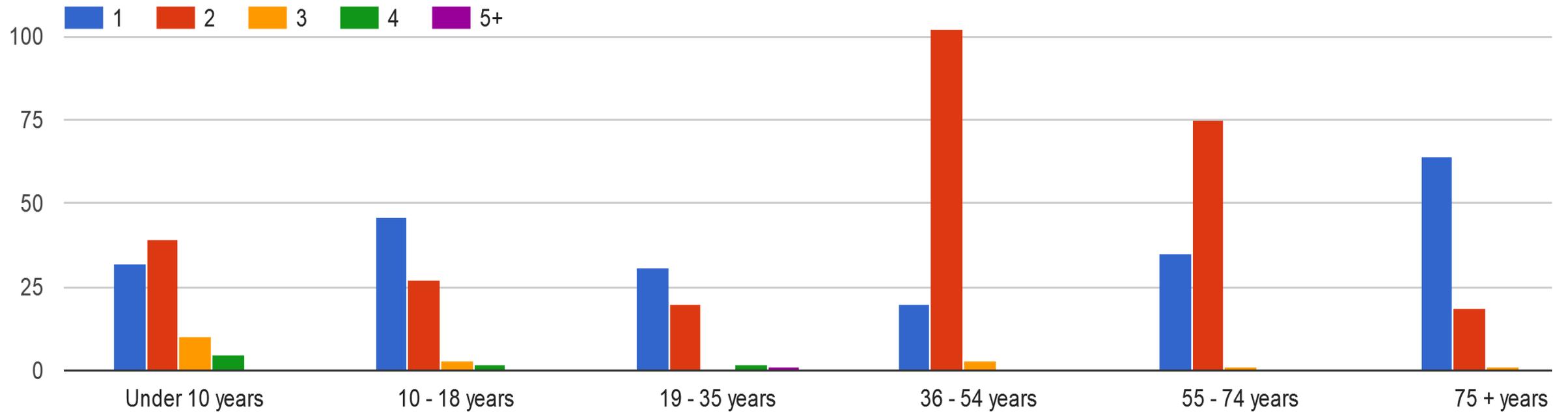


1. As a resident of Lower Gwynedd which of these zip codes do you use?

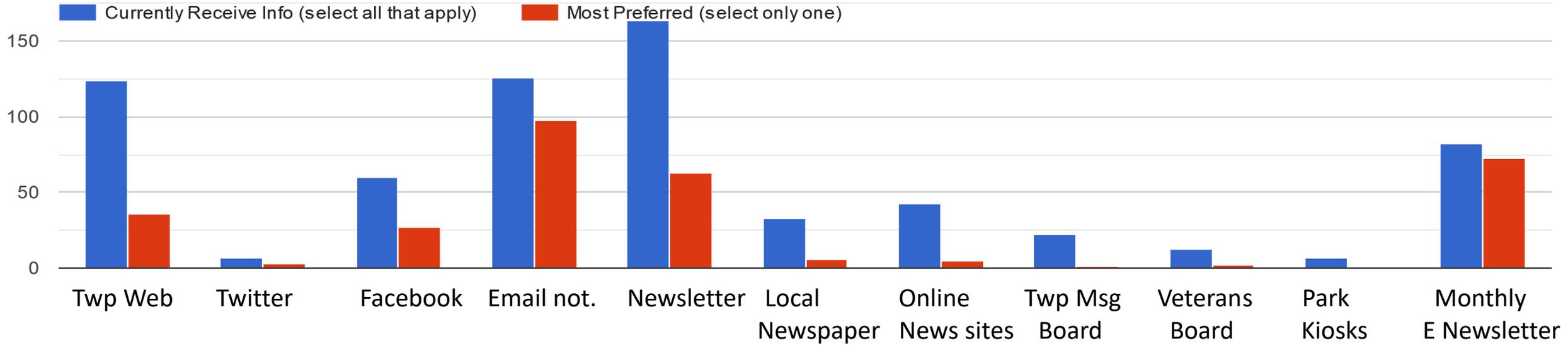
304 responses



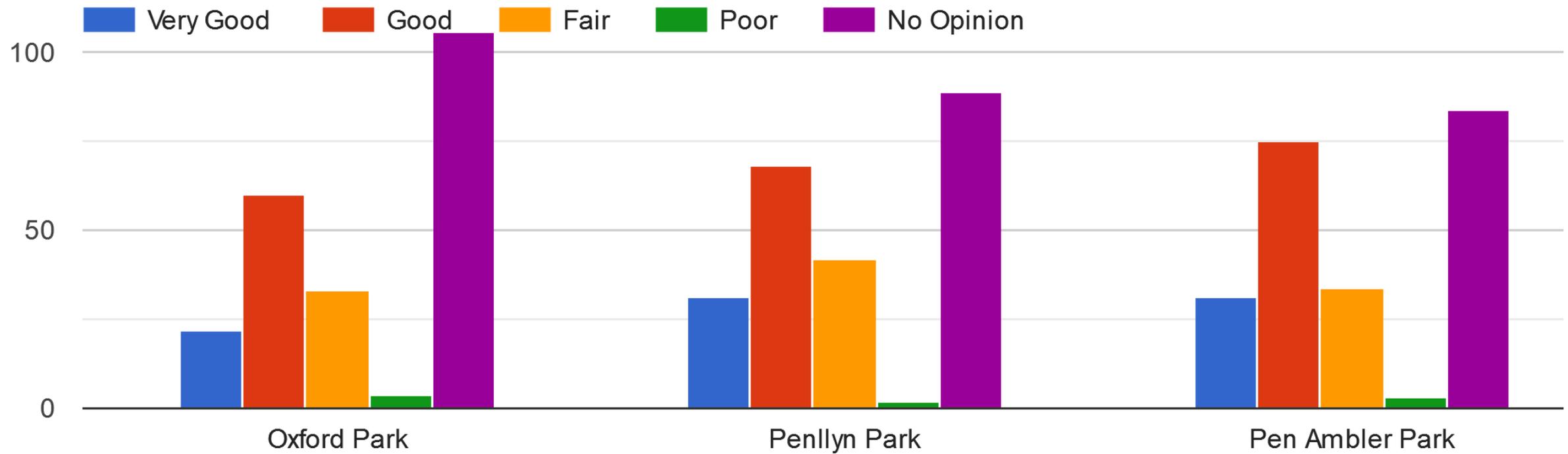
2. Including yourself, how many people in each of the following age groups live in your household?



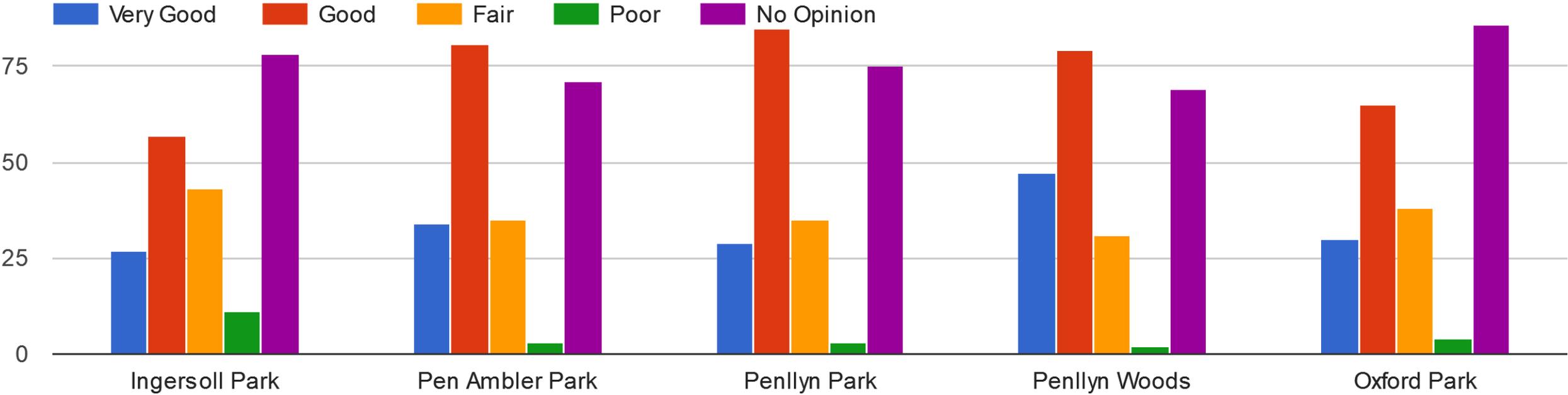
3. Please check the ways you CURRENTLY receive information and how you would MOST PREFER to receive information provided by the Township.



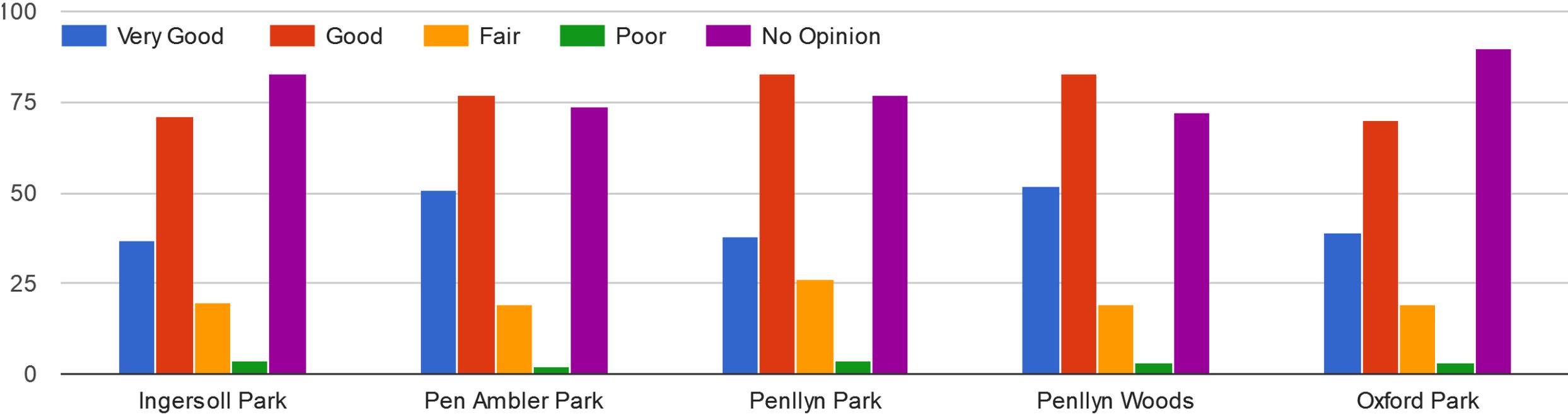
4. Please share your overall rating of playgrounds in the following Township Parks.



5. How would you rank the landscaping of the parks?

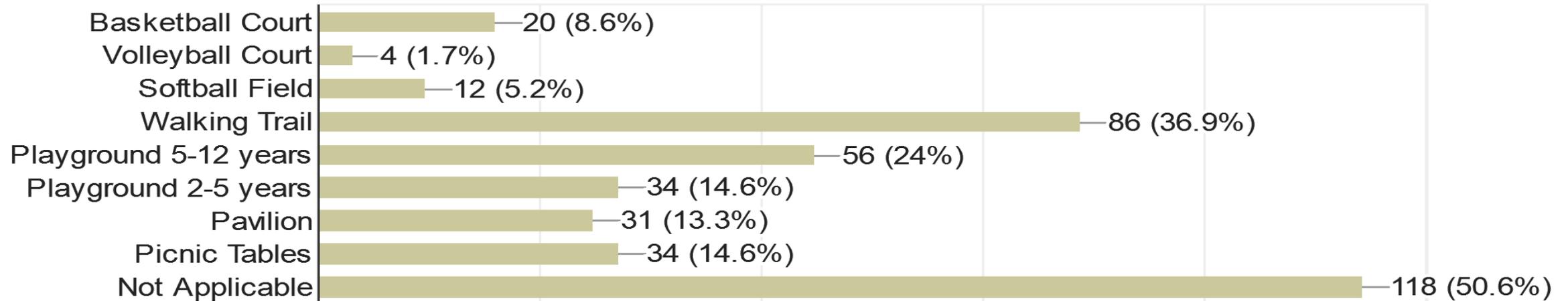


6. How would you rank the cleanliness of the parks?



7. What amenities do you use at Oxford Park?

233 responses



Write in Comments:

Pavilion Can be a bigger size

Concerts

Fields where there is a concert

Wish we had pickleball courts

Bathrooms

Grass Areas

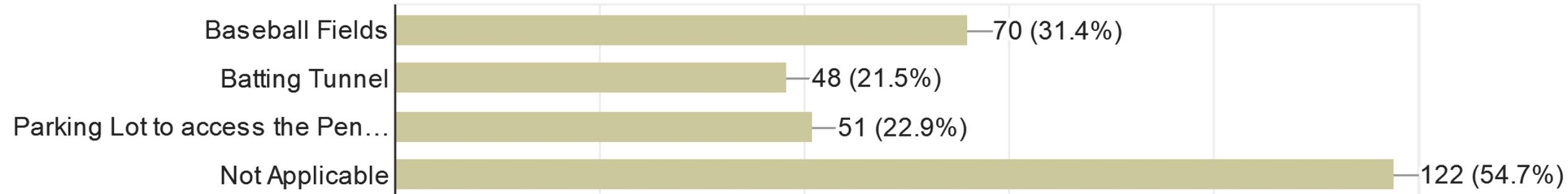
Summer Concerts

Summer Concerts

Outdoor Concert series, thank you

8. What amenities do you use at Ingersoll Park?

223 responses



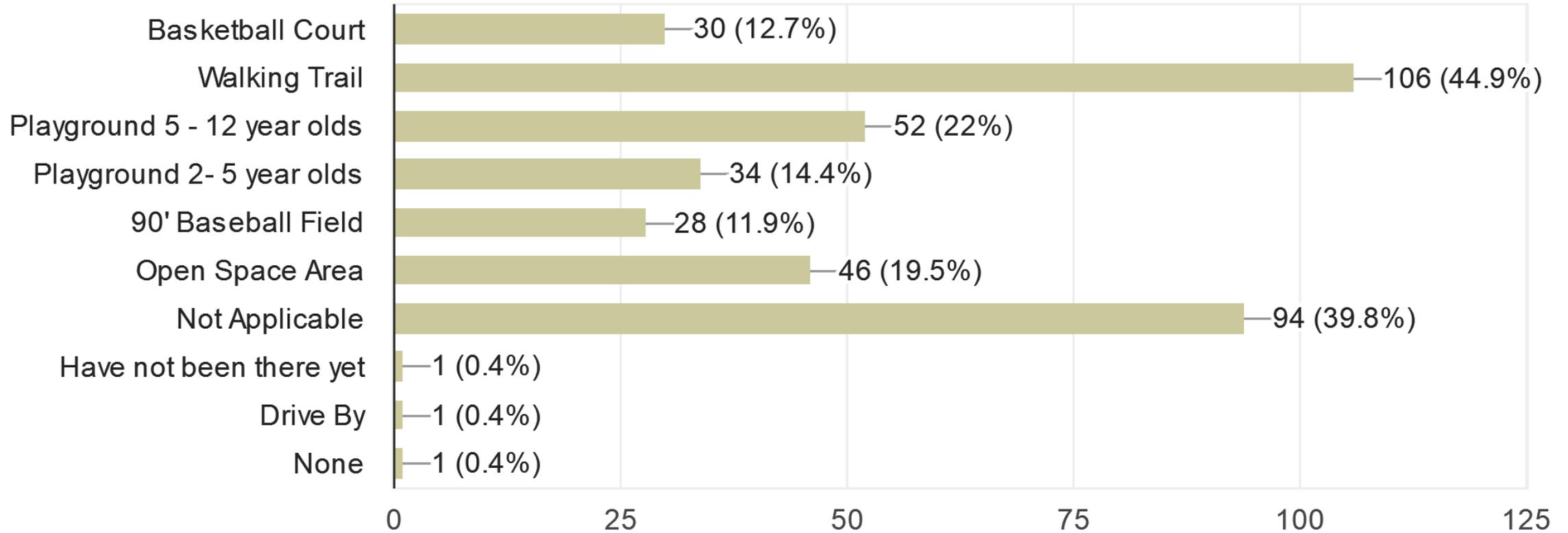
Write in Comments:

Please put in bathroom with running water! Please put in more grass vs stones!

Drive by

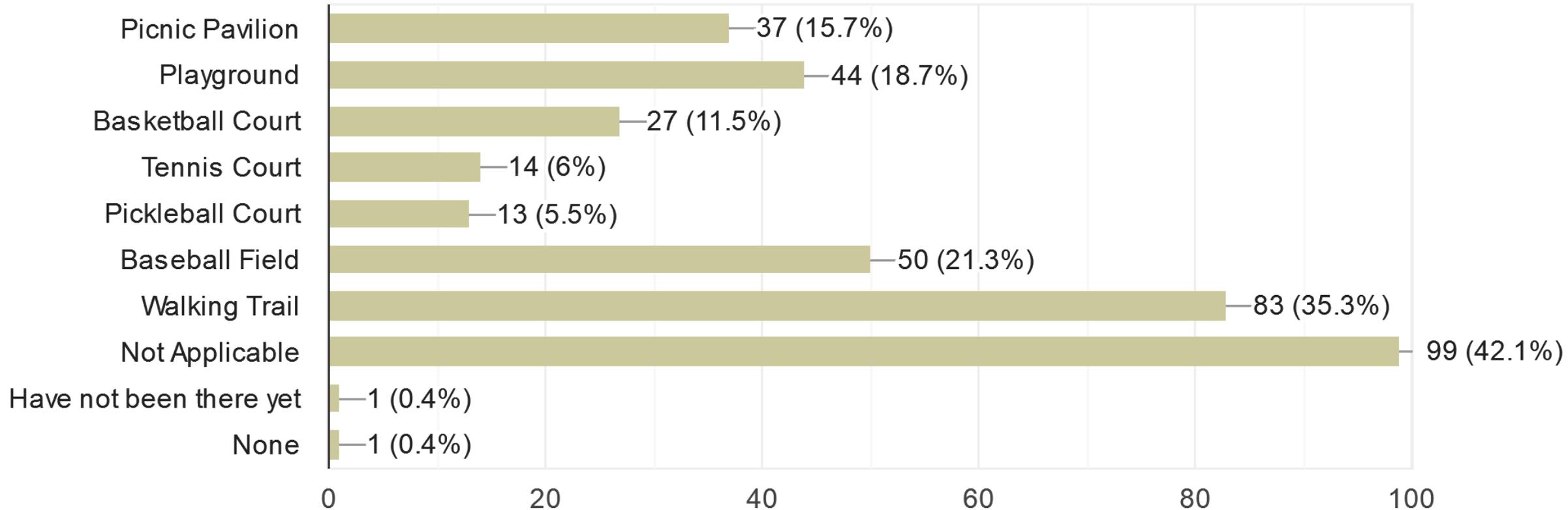
9. What amenities do you use at Pen Ambler Park?

236 responses



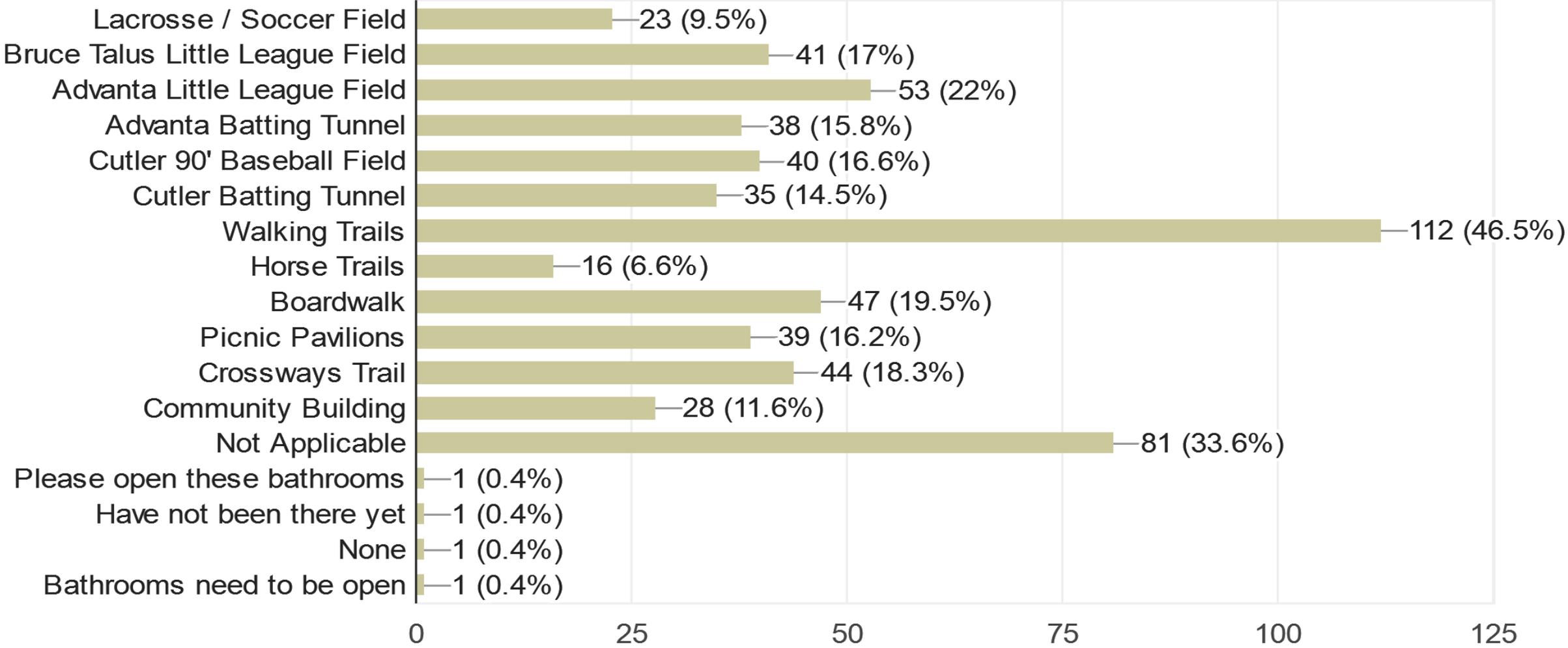
10. What amenities do you use at Penllyn Park?

235 responses



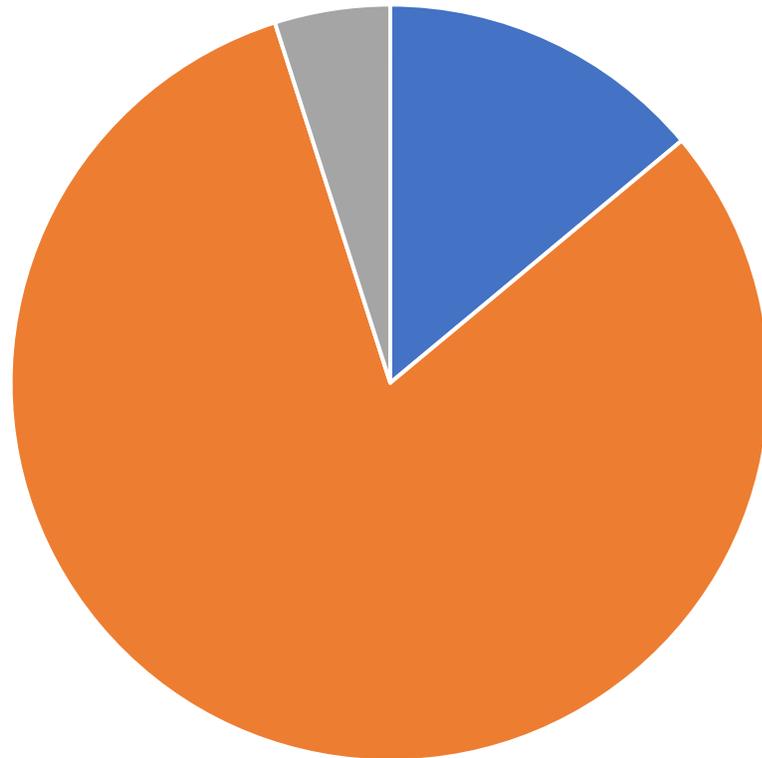
11. What amenities do you use at Penllyn Woods?

241 responses



12. Penllyn Woods has Community Building to rent for parties and small group gatherings. Have you ever used it?

249 responses



■ Yes 13.7% ■ No 79.5% ■ Not Applicable 4.8%

Write in Comments:

Never heard about it

Unaware of this

When the township allows Lower Gwynedd Little League to use it, which is limited.

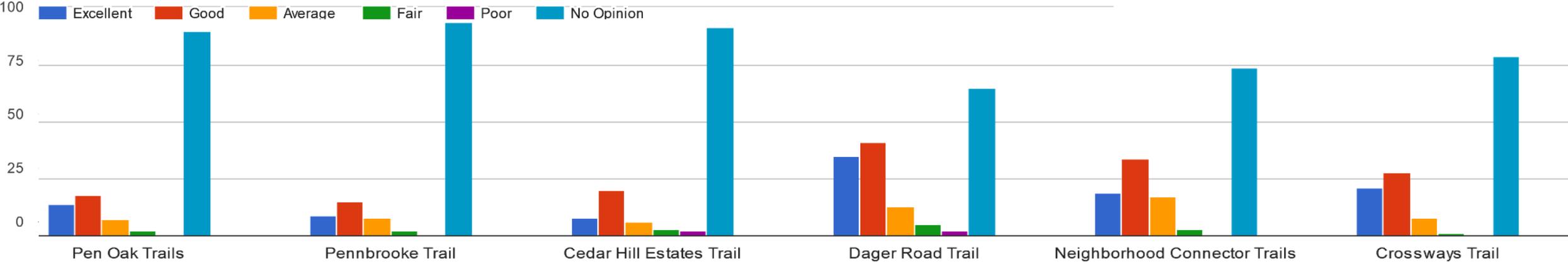
Always closed or locked. There was a guy who worked there years ago, and used to keep it locked as he worked there.

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13. Which Trails do you use and how would you rate them?

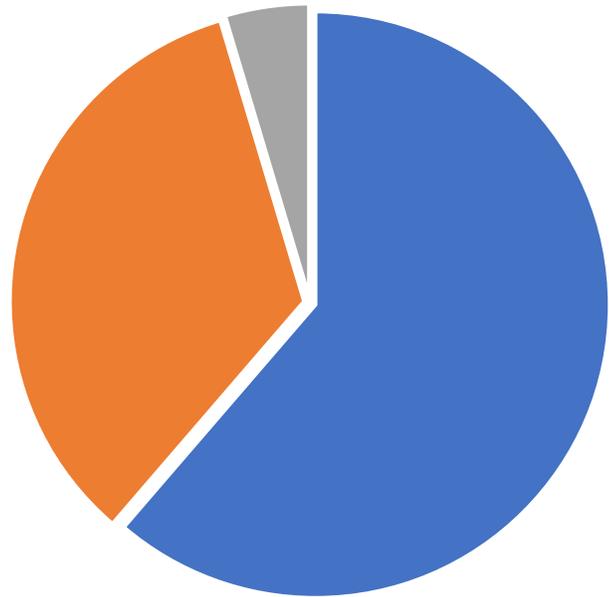


13. Which Trails do you use and how would you rate them?



14. How would you characterize your OVERALL satisfaction with the trails?

232 responses



■ Satisfied 57.3%

■ Somewhat Satisfied 31.9%

■ Not Satisfied 4.3%

Write in Comments:

Don't often use trails

Never used them

extremely satisfied

don't use them

Green ribbon trails are great, could use some focus/improvement but overall great

Do not use

Not needed

Wish there were walkable connections to trails in the lorien drive area and nearby streets

No opinion - we recently moved here but hope to visit parks soon

Haven't used them

never used

The Wooded Pond trails are okay but the pond itself needs attention.

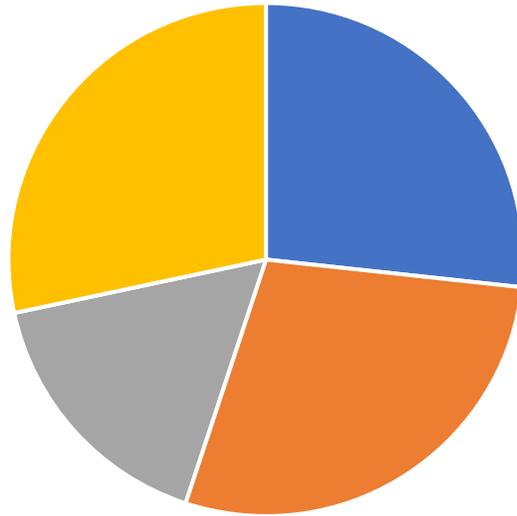
Trails could be wider in this pandemic world. Wasn't an issue when constructed, obviously, but they feel tight now with so many more people on them.

Don't use the trails

improved signage would help to follow the trails.

15. Do you or a member of your household participate in any other recreation programs?

183 responses



- Private Club 36.1%
- School Activities 38.3%
- Church 22.4%
- YMCA 38.3%

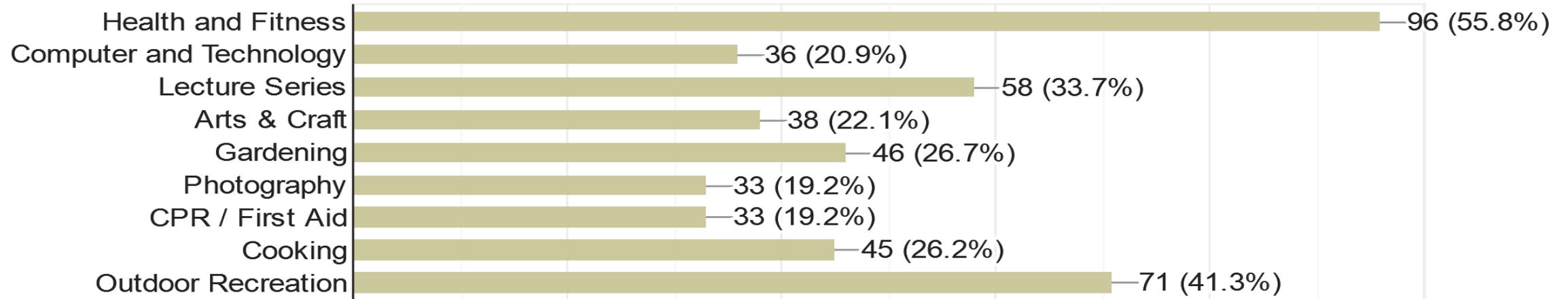
Write in Comments:

LGLL
Club Sports
Synagouge
CubScouts
Horseways events and Wissahickon Trails events
Hiking with Wissahickon Trails (WT) formerly WVWA
None at this time
Children participate in youth baseball, soccer and basketball
neighbor townships because LG offers none !
Synagogue' Fitness Center
Gwynedd Estates Fitness programs
Gwyned Estates
at sprinh house estates
classes at CCRC
organized programs at our community
Wissahickon Trail Events

Becoming Center pool
Whitpain Camp and children programs
LG little league
Pickleball in Ambler and Horsham
Whitpain Rec programs
Ambler Senior Activities Center
Go to neighbor towns for pickleball
Children participate in youth baseball, soccer and basketball
Swimming at new center
Horsham Pickleball; Ricciardi Park Pickleball
Lower Gwynedd Little League
LGLL
Other parks and rec programs upper Dublin and Whitpain offer many
activities and events that LG does not
Lower Gwynedd Little League
Lower Gwynedd Little League
volunteer groups
LGLL

16. What type of Adult / Senior Programs would you like to see added?

172 responses



Write in Comments:

Civics

Pickleball

Free Concerts Year Round

Pickleball

Pickleball

Pickleball

Pickleball for my wife

Pickleball

Pet events / gatherings

Cards (majong)

Tai Chi

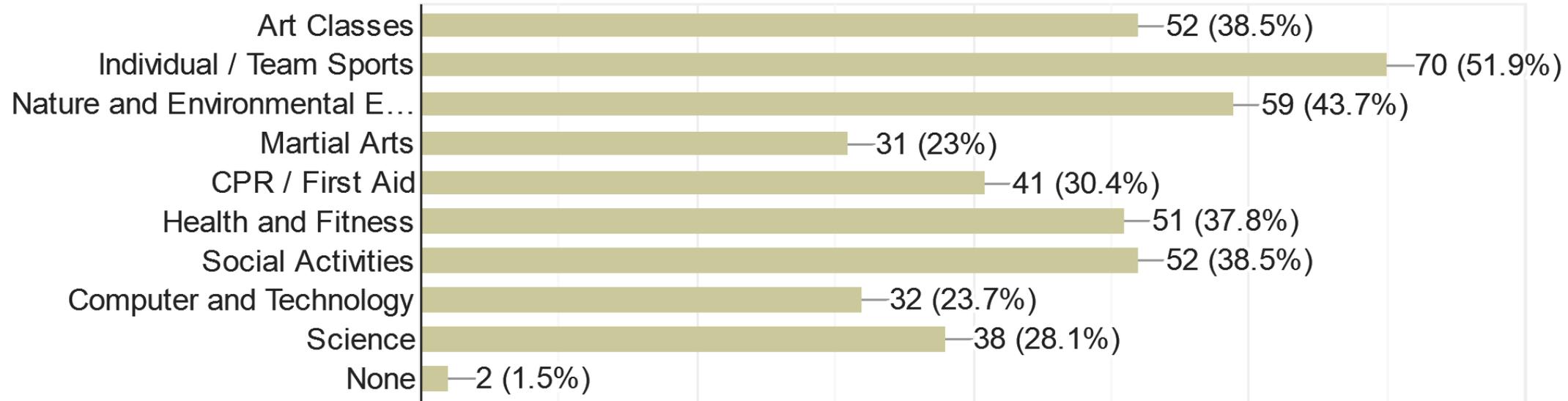
Pickleball

I get most of my activities from Gwynedd Estates

Activities for seniors 75+

17. What type of Youth / Teen programs would you like to see added?

135 responses



Write In Comments:

After school enrichment program

Summer Camp and activities for weeks off from school

Civics

None

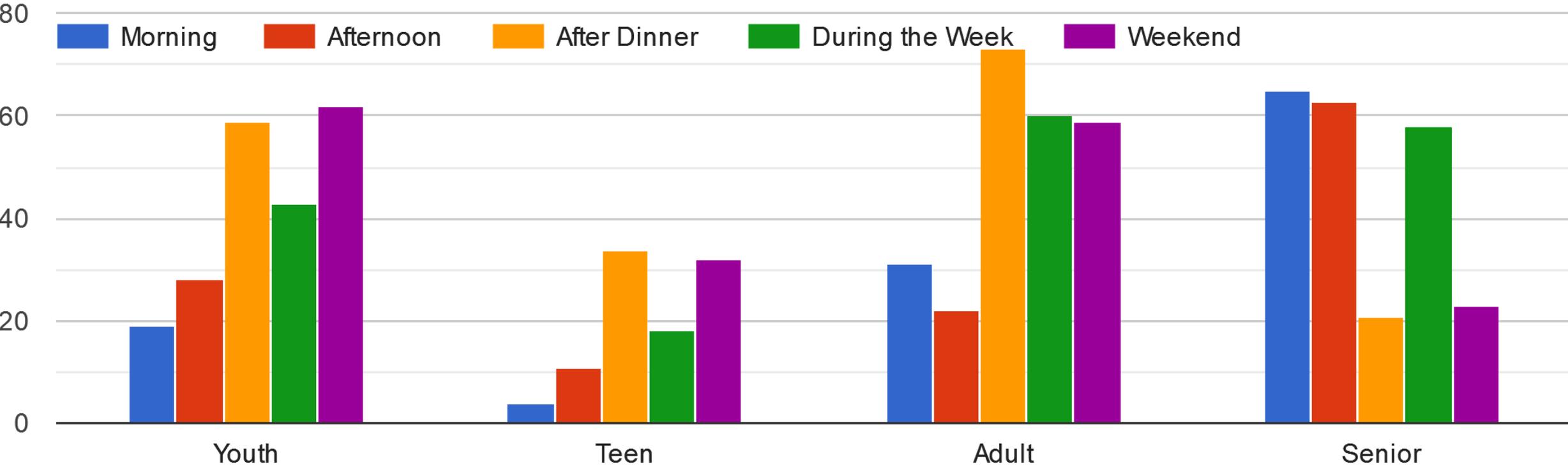
Mini Soccer 6 on 6 instead of 11 on 11

Softball

Baseball facilities need updating. Whitpain constructed 2 brand new fields and Ingersoll doesn't have bathroom with running water.

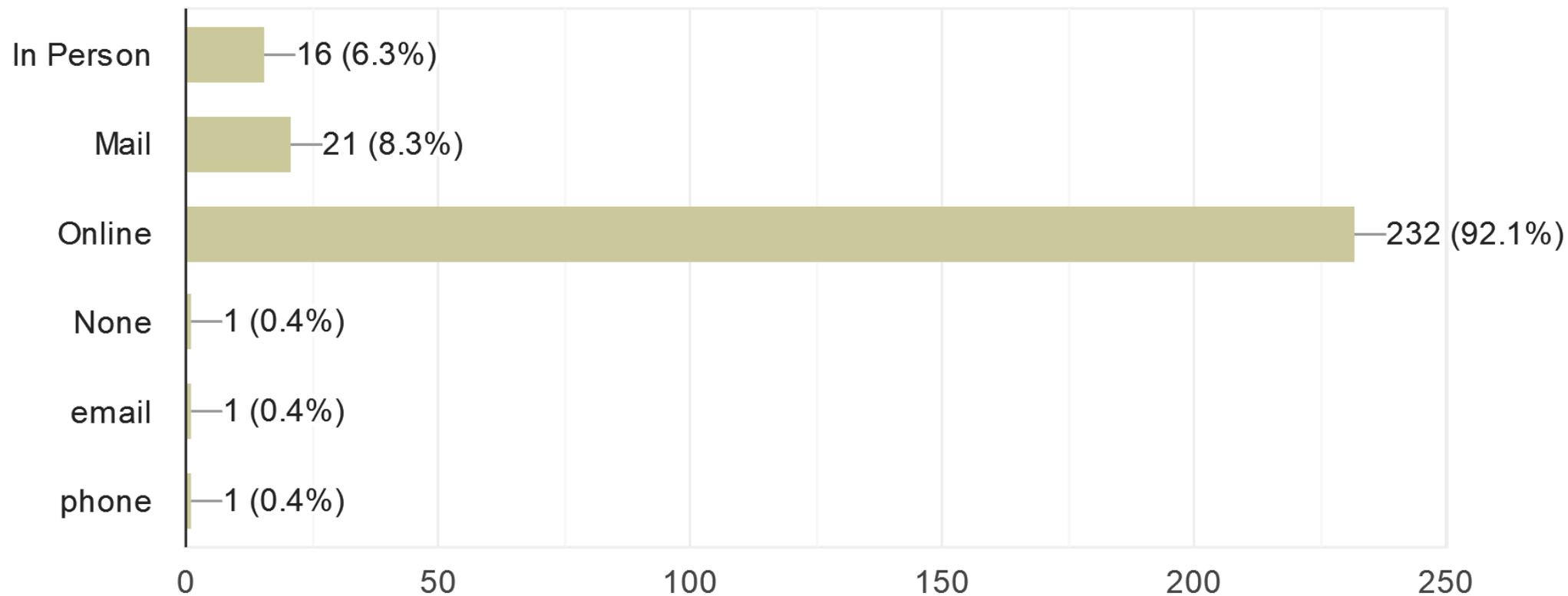
Dugouts showing age and the wood serves as home to bees.

18. What time of day would you be more inclined to participate in a program?



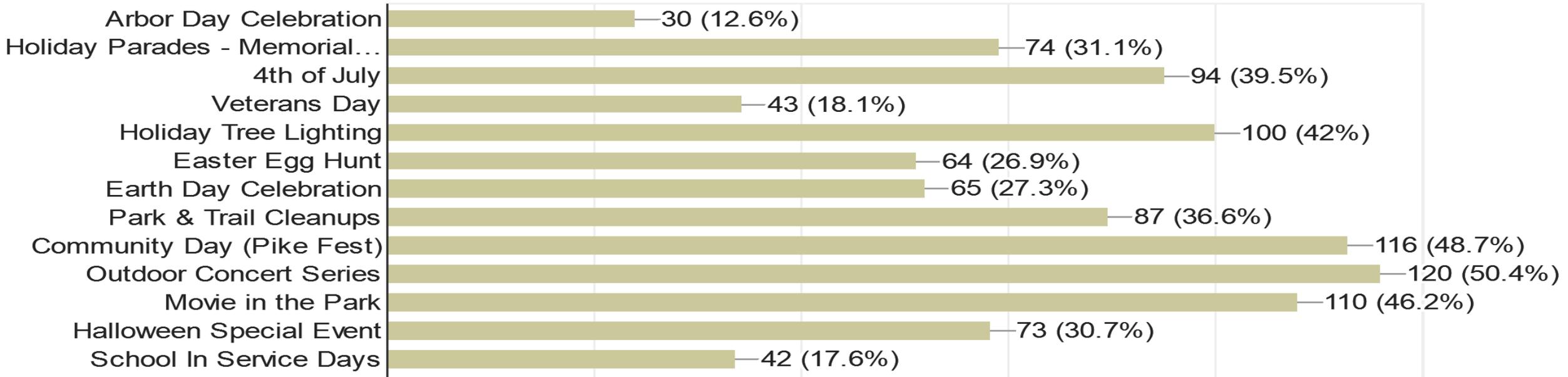
19. How do you prefer to register for programs?

252 responses



20. What type of Special Events would you like to see added?

238 responses



Write in Comments:

Restaurant Week

Juneteenth

A Christmas tree lighting. Thank you

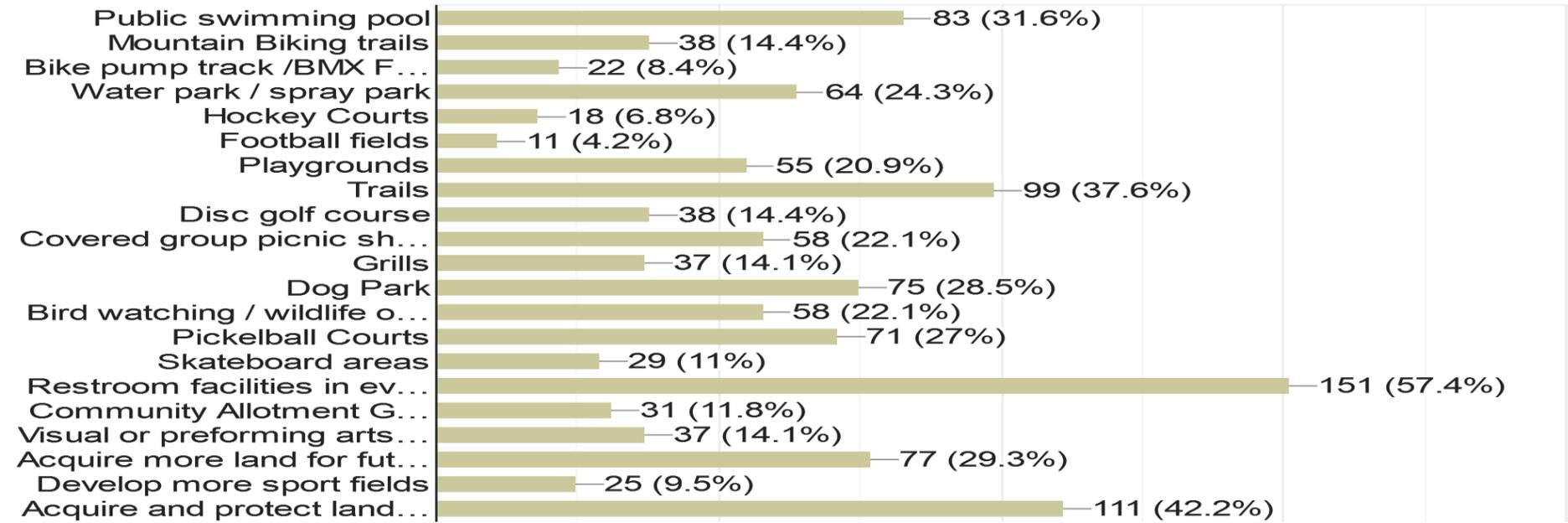
Not needed

I think any and all would be wonderful but at 90 I probably won't participate

Resume any that were cancelled due to the pandemic

21. Which, if any, of the following amenities should the Township consider offering?

263 responses



Write in Comments:

Develop more sports fields

None

Restrooms in every park

Trail that are more easily linked together,

With better parking and ease of access.

Please preserve all remaining undeveloped land for

Public use and natural areas.

Not needed

Soccer and mini-soccer

Open space makes the Township unique. Stay away from

Flag lot development. Township should purchase land like whitpain

Does to keep it out of the hands of developers who don't care about

Maintaining uniqueness of community or overcrowding.

Add more boardwalk-type paths or a deck overlooking the pond at Advanta field.

There are amazing opportunities for nature watering bather were but it's hard to see over the grass.

Bathrooms for public use

Don't create a pool

Restrooms at baseball fields and better snack stand at Ingersoll.

Access to public restrooms and snack bar at Penllyn Woods during sports season

Wisslax and LGLL have desperately needed access to the building in Penllyn for years.

Bathrooms are necessary at Ingersoll parents, kids, grandparents, families use these facilities

More soccer fields. Lower Gwynedd has lopsided investment in baseball facilities

More frequent outdoor concerts for 1.5 hours

Indoor pickleball and badminton courts for winter

Access, parking and signage

Please bring back the township camp.

We love that lower Gwynedd township doesn't spend taxpayer money on lots of unnecessary amenities. Please keep our taxes low.

Whitpain Township appears to offer a lot for youngsters. Lower Gwynedd does not.

Movie nights in Oxford park will be great.

Love the trails here would appreciate more connectors, particularly a way to cross between Penllyn Park / Ingersoll / Pen Ambler.

It is quite dangerous to cross under railroad tracks on Penllyn BlueBell Pike! The GRT is not an option to do this.

Overall more effort needs to be directed to youth sports fields and programs. Specifically:

The little league baseball facilities need some significant attention and support. The participation rate is dwindling and a first class facility would help reenergize.

Also bathrooms are a basic need in most parks.

It's embarrassing when we host teams from other towns and Ingersoll doesn't have a bathroom. And penllyn woods bathroom is always closed.

Let's get more opportunities to bring the community together, more networking opportunities, and meet people who work for the township.

I am speaking about things in addition to Pike Fest. Let's keep the engagement going .

I would also like the township to use text messages to get the word out such as events, trash, recycle, etc.

More trails and sidewalks/walkways to link residential neighborhoods to shopping and trails / recreation - we currently need to drive to them and would prefer to walk or bike to them safely. Also sidewalks in existing communities would be nice to avoid walking in streets.

I see the landscaping crew often at Penllyn Park when I walk my dog. They are very friendly and do a great job.

Some of the playground equipment could use an update. I travel to other townships for better equipment

Parks & Rec, you are doing a horrible job wasting our money. Get your act together!

We have Penllyn Park & Woods-would like to see a park on other side of town-old Siemens Bldg

Thanks for the survey

Please add more stones / gravel to walking trails. Prune vegetation that interferes with trails. Enforce / remind dog walkers to pick up poop.

I am a fan of the township and the park and rec staff (Sandy)

I've been an Evans Road resident for 24 years and have been running in the area for that long.

The Treweryn and Trewellyn trails have been used a great deal during the pandemic and could stand better maintenance, especially Treweryn, which gets washed out.

Your office was responsive to my request to mow a path at Trewryn towards Sumneytown Pike. The closing of the Gwynedd Mercy campus has had an impact on running routes.

I understand that the Siemens property may be put on the market. Priority should be made to connect the Trewellyn and Trewryn trails across this property.

This is key! I have strong opinions on the LG running trails. Thanks for all you do!

Public bathrooms in the parks take highest priority!

More connector bike paths to get around the township

You should also encourage no mow month(s) in the summer to protect the environment & provide more food for pollinators.

Protecting wildlife and the environment is more important than manicured lawns.

I am concerned about the ongoing cost of building and maintain all of the above

We have some of the best and beautiful spaces in our township but not all are utilized by the residents.

I think it's a matter of knowing what we have and how to use them especially the ones that are not on the main arteries of the township.

Our facilities are awesome .

Focus on trail upgrades and bathrooms are biggest areas of opportunity. Overall the township does a great job, thanks for all you do!

Sandy Freight is amazing at her job

I do not use the parks hence my not applicable to those questions.

If the township feels it needs to support one movement with a flag for a month, think about the support the police flag, stop abortions sign, American flag for national holidays.,

Restroom facility at Ingersoll Park would be very meaningful to the youth and parents; the P&R Director (Sandi Feight) and Parks Superintendent (Mitch Kulp) are phenomenal

Given the wealth of this community, we have disappointingly few amenities for public use (compared to our neighbors like Whitpain and Horsham).

Not sure why much of the above is needed.

Too many people with dogs unleashed. Is there anything that could be done about that?

thank you for asking

Splash parks are the greatest

Like to see Township analyze number of players using available fields(baseball,soccer,football) and courts (tennis,pickleball, basketball) per 100 residents.

Township is probably neglecting soccer and pickleball.

Sorry couldn't be more helpful but we are too new to provide a better response

Penllyn woods is large and should have several Pickleball courts, a large and varied nice playground fir children more like

Whitpain townships wentz run park and Doylestown Central Park- Lower Gwynedd's penllyn woods is a disappointment after all the

about it being created 30 years ago- it's hidden from the public , has poor signage and road access and doesn't offer much for children or adults of the township

Pickelball court inside high school collage if possible!

It is embarrassing and honestly very disrespectful that we don't have working bathrooms at the Ingersoll Baseball fields in this day and age.

Plenty of young children, grandparents and plenty others need the use of a working bathroom. This park is being used regularly by the LG little league and the township and all of its wealth cant spare to install a working bathroom? I can go to a poor neighborhood in the City and find a bathroom, why cant the township do what is

morally and ethically right. Please find a way to get this done immediately. From what I understand, the LGLL itself has been trying for years to make this happen but the township has been the problem. Please, we are not asking much here, it is the year 2021.

The Ingersoll baseball fields need to have permanent bathrooms in place. The use of portable bathrooms is an embarrassment to the little league and the community.

Visitors to the fields from other townships laugh at the amenities compared to what they have. Bathrooms should also be opened at Penllyn Woods. It's unfair for any females that visit the park for baseball games and they have no place to go. The boys are using the woods, which neighbors may not care for.

Ingersoll Baseball Fields are in need of restroom facilities - I would love a place to cleanly and safely use a restroom, change diapers, etc.

Restrooms in the parks would be wonderful. More open space and connected trails would also be great. LOVE the idea of community garden.

I hope to use parks more in the future

I feel there is a need for at least four pickleball only courts to be built in Lower Gwynedd Township. The courts need to be easily accessible to the public and away from any residential homes. The interest in the sport increases every day. I would love to see the courts built on the current YMCA site on McKean Road. Gwynedd Mercy might also want to consider installing courts for community use.

Would really like a restroom facility added at Ingersoll Park Baseball Fields.

Permanent restrooms at Ingersoll fields would be top priority. Very difficult with young kids to have to use a single portapotty. Many guests from other areas always comment on surprise that there is not one there. Access to restrooms at Pennlyn Woods for LG Little League season would be extremely helpful as well. Pavement of connecting neighborhood trails - gravel erodes during storms causing dangerous conditions.

We participate in Lower Gwynedd Little League and the lack of bathrooms at the facility is embarrassment. There is nothing at all for fans, players, or coaches at Ingersoll except for a single port-a-john that is a total joke. Also, we were told this past season (spring) that we weren't allowed to use the bathrooms at the fieldhouse at penllyn woods, yet there were several camps at the complex all summer long where the bathrooms were in use. It is sad when you go to the other areas within our district and see these really nice baseball facilities and then you come to ours and the only thing we have going for us are the fields. Something needs to be done about the bathroom situation at penllyn woods (allowing the use of the bathroom) and there needs to be a more permanent solution at ingersoll.

Ingersoll should have restrooms. Penllyn restrooms should be available during Spring-Fall during the day for practice and games

Ingersoll needs permanent bathrooms. Teams from other areas all have permanent bathrooms and it reflects poorly on our township.

Ingersoll needs a permanent bathroom. Pennlyn Woods needs the building with bathrooms to be open and accessible.

Ingersoll baseball fields:

1) Permanent rest rooms would be great

2) grass cutting on the fields with greater frequency. There have been several times in the past couple years where it is too high in the infield and outfield and it affects the game.

Ingersoll park needs permanent restrooms, a new snack stand building, and the gravel/rocks need to be removed and permanent paving/concrete added.

The Pennlyn complex bathrooms need to be open when there are sporting events happening, we spent most of the summer with baseball players and family members peeing in the woods because there was no where else to go Consider adding vending machines for water or sports drinks since there are so many events in that park.

The playgrounds at the parks could use some equipment upgrades, namely oxford park. The parks should have bathrooms, as well. Mondauk common in upper dublin does a great job with their bathrooms and cleanliness. A spray park would be a welcome addition. Importantly, the township needs to offer more programs and events for kids. We have to go to other townships for parades, easter celebrations, Christmas celebrations, 4th of July fireworks, etc. it makes no sense to me why LG offers none of this. Cancelling pike fest again this year was just another huge disappointment. Thank you.

Would love to see bathrooms at Ingersoll Baseball field. I spend countless hours at the field for my son's baseball games and would really prefer a permanent facility and not a porta potty.

Additionally, a permanent facility would be more accessible for the senior members and members with disabilities in our community that want to come out and enjoy the games.

I believe the field has enough usage to warrant a permanent restroom.

Penllyn park bathrooms- they were closed the entire spring sports season. It was DISGUSTING watching people peeing EVERYWHERE and in sight of the children, spectators, etc.

You have people using all the fields all day and people using the park and just peeing in plain sight- forcing women, men, children, pregnant women!- to pee in the grass and trees and then go back and play ball or interact without washing hands. The bathrooms should be OPEN! It was so unsanitary and disgusting to watch person and after person just peeing all over the park in plain sight since the township didnt open the bathrooms. We live in lower Gwynedd- the bathrooms should be open and people not peeing everywhere at will, especially exposing themselves in front of kids.

Additional support for local baseball, including better bathrooms would be greatly appreciated.

Permanent Bathrooms installed at Ingersoll Park are badly needed and year-round access to the Pennlyn Woods bathrooms at the field house are needed. Ports Potties are very unsanitary and township should prioritize permanent bathrooms at parks and year-round access to those.

yes, restrooms!

Bathrooms are essential at all of the parks and have become more imperative during COVID.

The building at Penllyn has been stagnant at best for the 7 years I have been involved in sports in this area. It's a great resource that is completely underutilized and can create opportunities.

Add bathrooms to Ingerso

It would be great if there were permanent restrooms at all parks especially the baseball fields

Ingersoll park needs more batting cages and bathrooms

It was very frustrating that the restrooms were not open at Penllyn Woods this spring. Otherwise we love the township parks and trails.

There are lots of young children in the Penllyn neighborhood, it would be great to have weekend events geared toward young kids.

Please consider adding permanent restrooms to Ingersoll and keeping the clubhouse and restrooms open for the whole baseball season at pennlyn woods

Trails are the best! Please continue maintaining them! So nice to be able to walk to shopping and errands and for exercise and dog walks in nature " makes our community a great and healthy place to live, for all ages. Thanks for all you do :)

Bathrooms not Potties at Ingersoll. It would be used greatly

Restrooms are essential

Restrooms are essential

Permanent bathroom at Pennlyn park

I use the Green Ribbon trail system and the one next to Gwynedd Mercy. Don't recognize the names above.

Ingersoll fields need a bathroom desperately.

Can you re-open the bathrooms in Pennlyn Woods?

It would be great to have functioning bathrooms at Ingersoll fields for baseball season.

Make park ordinances more specific & publish periodically.

More bathrooms at park facilities please!

I didn't know we had so many parks!

Overall, good parks and rec. As mentioned, township decision-makers put too many resources toward baseball facilities. We need a more equitable use of space for many different sports.

I already answered a survey, but I thought of something else. LG Township should consider taking over the fireworks display that the Kiwanis used to put on. It was greatly missed this year.

Maybe offer to partner with Kiwanis to do it?

Thank you very much for your support of equestrian trials throughout the Township!

Open the restroom facilities more often. Why have them if they are almost never open? Seems like LGT has the money to keep them clean by hiring a part time helper during the spring,

summer and autumn seasons. An official Dog Park would be welcome too!

The parks are beautiful!! Thank you to the group who maintains them!!

I think LG parks are perfect! Don't ruin with water parks and other trashy things!

Please continue to keep up the Parks... Great for Lower Gwynedd

would like signage to direct to nearest trail at all E/E points: too many non-contiguous trails

Eliminate fireworks

Would be great to have a safe way to cross - on foot or while walking a bike - intersection at Sumneytown Pike and Beth Pk and Norristown Rd. We have beautiful places to access but our traffic is hazardous to bike riders and pedestrians. It is even tough to cross Penllyn Pk on foot at Wood Bridge , and at Gypsy Hill Rd, and at Sturgis. Would be terrific to walk safely from Penllyn Pk to the big shopping plaza (cvs, Whole Foods etc). It is positively dangerous and I drive ridiculously short distances.

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Just looking for ways to volunteer to help maintain the trails, and perhaps fix the dams on treweryn creak

Plenty of trails and playgrounds (and school tennis courts). More courts for other racquet sports.

Integrate Wissahickon Creek trails with Township offerings, eg. map of combined trail system.

I moved here from Buffalo NY straight into a retirement community 4.5 yrs ago. I have no experience with the Lower Gwynedd Parks & Recreation, I know the Township has a very good reputation.

Thank you for inquiring, not using facilities at this time.

I'm a resident at a retirement home and not a good informer. Hope to see more of your parks.

I presently live in Gwynedd Estates so many of these questions do not apply to me. I do recognize the importance of making Lower Gwynedd a welcoming community and your efforts to achieving this! I hope to take advantage of your many facilities!

I would like the trails to improve access to hybrid and trail bike by improving filling in some eroded surfaces.

It may be that I know Penllyn Park and Penllyn Woods by another name.

Grateful for living in the Township love the many trees along roads on a daily commute, clean air and restful while in traffic.

Younger people than I should decide what families need most.

Have bus transit to and from parks for seniors and handicap people.

Why did you remove the one pickleball court in the Township? How many complaints were recorded?

Repaint the pickleball lines

Hopefully rides would be available for people who don't drive.

Thank you for asking

Our children are very important and need safe, educational things to do to keep their active minds and bodies busy

I make myself available only for an occasional trail walk which seemed to be maintained satisfactory.

Please bring back Pike Fest, it was a nice event to attend.

Enjoy the concerts at Oxford Park, thank you

I really enjoy all the trails in the township ~ thank you for the work you do to keep them in good condition and safe.