

Athletic and Recreation Facilities Needs Survey Summary Report Towns of Hamilton and Wenham, MA

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ATHLETIC AND RECREATION FACILITIES NEEDS SURVEY SUMMARY REPORT

TOWNS OF HAMILTON AND WENHAM, MA

Background. One of the keys to the development of a comprehensive recreation needs assessment for the Towns of Hamilton and Wenham is to assess the perceptions of community stakeholders relative to the recreation services, programs, and facilities available to them. In order to complete such an assessment, Gale prepared, fielded and analyzed a recreation needs survey and conducted two (2) sensing sessions with various recreation stake holders.

In the web-based survey, residents of the Towns were asked to complete a Hamilton/Wenham Recreation Questionnaire. A complete copy of this questionnaire is provided as *Enclosure 1*. A total of 390 survey responses were received.

Below is a summary of the survey responses followed by conclusions.

Question 1 – Do you or your family currently use the Hamilton/Wenham recreational facilities?

As reflected in the results at *Enclosure 2*, an overwhelming 85.9% of the participants responded that they did currently utilize the Towns' recreational facilities. This percentage equates to 335 of the 390 total questionnaire participants responding with a yes. A large number of Hamilton and Wenham residents take advantage of the many recreational opportunities afforded to them by the Towns.

Question 2 – What town do you currently reside in?

Given the options of Hamilton or Wenham, it is apparent that residents of Hamilton outnumbered residents of Wenham in survey participation. Out of the 390 responses, 68.2% indicated that they reside in Hamilton.

Question 3 – Have you or your family members participated in any of the following recreational activities this past year?

Out of all the options that were provided, the highest numbers for recreational activities participated in Hamilton and/or Wenham were for the following:

- Soccer
- Baseball
- Walking



- Basketball
- Biking
- Running
- Sledding
- Tennis

Out of all the options provided, the highest numbers for recreational activities participated out of Town were for the following recreational activities:

- Skiing (Downhill)
- Hiking
- Swimming Lessons
- Fitness Training
- Tennis
- Biking
- Walking

Out of all the options provided, the highest numbers for recreational activities that respondents would like to participate in Hamilton/Wenham were for the following:

- Arts & Crafts
- Horseback Riding
- Ice Skating
- Tennis
- Fitness Training
- Swimming
- Culinary Arts
- Skiing (Cross Country)

Based on the above results, it appears that the Towns provide a broad spectrum of recreational activities that are being taken advantage of by residents. Some of the top responses for participation in in-town activities include soccer, baseball, walking, basketball, and biking. While this indicates that participation levels in active recreation are high, it may also be an indication that passive recreation opportunities are not taken advantage of or are more conveniently offered out of Town.

The highest numbers for recreational activities participated out of Town include skiing (downhill), hiking, swimming lessons, and fitness training. These activities could be due to personal preference rather than opportunities not being afforded within Town limits. However, it may be an indication that residents are unaware of facilities for these activities, the facilities are inadequate, or the facilities do not meet a certain standard for use.

The recreational activities documented as those that participants would like to participate in within the Town vary in type, but the majority are for passive recreation activities and/or activities that do not necessarily require traditional field space. Several of them (arts & crafts, fitness training, and culinary arts) indicate that such passive recreation opportunities may not be conveniently afforded in Town. A number of these activities could already be carried out within Town, or at least have the potential to be carried out. Programs like culinary arts could potentially be offered at the Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School as a continuing education-type series, or could be offered at such venues as the Community House or through rented space offered through the Recreation Department. Tennis can be played at the Patton Park or Pingree Park Tennis Courts. Ice skating can be done at Weaver Pond and swimming done at the pool, both in Patton Park. The question that remains is why the survey respondents have not identified these opportunities. Is there a lack of reliable information, or do they perceive that the facilities and programs offered do not meet their needs?

Question 4 – What organized athletic activities do you or family members participate in?

An overwhelming majority (73.7%) indicated that they participate in Youth Organization Sports (Little League, Youth Soccer, and Youth Baseball). The second most common response was Recreation Sponsored Activities (32.2%), followed by Middle School Intramurals and High School Sports, and lastly None (15.7%).

While the results are not surprising, the respondents confirmed that Organized Youth Sports are maintaining a high level of participation within the Town. The responses for participation in Recreation Sponsored Activities are an indication that while there is room for improvement, the participation level for Recreation activities is not insignificant.

Question 5 – If you have not attended any of the Recreation Department’s activities or community events in the past year, please check the following reason(s) why.

The majority of responses to this question (39%) listed that they were not aware of programs. This response, followed by the second most common response of “Date/Time Not Convenient” at 34.1%, indicates that the Recreation Department may need to assess its advertisement and scheduling protocols to ensure that residents have the opportunity to take advantage of Recreation Department programs.

Other top reasons listed were “Too Busy” or “Not Interested”, which seems to be more of a personal preference rather than a criticism or suggestion to the Recreation Department’s programs.

12.8% of respondents indicated that cost is the reason for not attending the Recreation Department's activities or community events. While this is not one of the leading responses, it should remain a consideration in fixing fees for existing and future programs.

There were eighteen (18) participants who responded with "Other" reasons why they did not participate fully in town recreation programs. Perhaps the most telling of the "Other" responses dealt with children being too young to participate. This suggests that there may be underserved populations for the toddler to pre-school age group.

Question 6 – What source of communication/media would you use to find out about events and activities going on in Hamilton and Wenham?

The participants were asked what sources of communication they used to find out about recreational events and activities going on in Hamilton/Wenham. Top sources were the Recreation Department website and email blasts, as well as local print and online newspapers, with a 67% and 56% response rate respectively. The remaining responses seem to be of similar popularity, such as the Town website, Recreation Department booklets, direct mail, fliers from school, and word of mouth.

It is apparent that the Recreation Department shall maintain its website and email blasts, as it appears to be the most acknowledged source of public information. However, it is also evident that the use of fliers, booklets, word of mouth, and direct mail shall be maintained, as a significant number of respondents (100+) tend to use these sources to find out about events and activities going on in Hamilton and Wenham.

Question 7 – For each of the following resources, please indicate if you or your family members have utilized them for recreation in the past year.

Question 7 was intended to determine which recreation facilities within the Towns are used the most. The response to this question clearly establishes that the most widely used Town-owned recreation facilities are playgrounds and the conventional active recreation athletic fields. Four (4) such complexes (Pingree Park Playground and Ball Fields, Patton Park Playground and Ball Fields, Iron Rail Fields, and Donovan Field) were by far the largest vote getters. Another resource with a majority of responses was Bradley Palmer State Park, located in Hamilton and Topsfield. While other passive recreation opportunities were provided as options, Bradley Palmer State Park out-rated the local passive recreation opportunities provided at Chebacco Woods, Cedar Pond, Pleasant Pond, and the Donovan/Sagamore Trail. While this is significant, it is understood that the facilities at Bradley Palmer State Park are not Town-



operated, and are maintained, marketed, and operated by the State.

Between 60%-85% of all respondents used all four (4) of these athletic field complexes. This underscores the results of the demand quantification provided in the Facilities Assessment Report.

It is interesting to note that the facilities cited to be least used by the participants are the West Wenham Basketball Court, Tennis Court and field, the DPW Field, Pingree Park Tennis Courts, Cedar Pond, and the Donovan/Sagamore Trail. The low use of the West Wenham Park and the DPW Field are consistent with the demands provided in the Needs Assessment Report. This is an indication that these facilities are in need of redevelopment to provide opportunities that may be more in demand and better meet the needs of the communities. The relatively low use of the Pingree Park Tennis Courts may be an indication of their condition and serviceability, however it may also be related to the availability of the courts. It is interesting to note that in Question 3, it was evident that a majority of respondents opted to play tennis out of Town, and a majority also indicated that they would like to play tennis in Hamilton/Wenham. It is apparent that the tennis facilities within the Towns may not be meeting the needs of the potential users.

Question 8 – If you responded NO to any locations on Question #7, please take time to indicate the reason why you did not use or visit the facility.

Below is a list of the sites, along with the most listed responses as to why participants did not use this facility.

Patton Park Tennis Courts – don't play tennis; play tennis at a club

Patton Park Ball Fields – no need to; don't play baseball; kids too young

Patton Park Playground – needs improvement/upgrades; not age-appropriate; too young

Patton Park Swimming Pool – poor condition of bathrooms/changing rooms; pool too small; seating areas too small; outdated facilities

Patton Park Outdoor Basketball Court – do not play; too young; not interested

Weaver Pond at Patton Park – not interested; not sure of purpose of use; too many geese

Pingree Park Tennis Courts – don't play tennis; use Patton; not aware/unsure of availability; play tennis elsewhere



Pingree Park Ball Fields – do not play baseball; not sure of schedule

Pingree Park Playground – no young children; needs updating

Recreation Center Gymnasium – unaware; not familiar with it; don't know when it is available; need more court space

Recreation Center Meeting / Activity Room – unfamiliar with this; not sure what it is used for; no need

Recreation Center Fairhaven Field – unfamiliar with this; not interested; no need

Recreation Center Playground – no longer age-appropriate; no need

Donovan Field – no reason to; not participating in these activities

West Wenham Field – unsure of location; not aware; not appealing; bad location; not convenient

West Wenham Tennis Courts – use Patton; unfamiliar; location too far away; not appealing; not convenient

West Wenham Outdoor Basketball Court – not familiar with location; don't play basketball; no parking; better courts elsewhere; not well maintained; not appealing

DPW Field – unfamiliar; location unknown; poor condition

Iron Rail Fields – nothing scheduled there; don't play soccer; not for public use; needs toilets and a playground

High School Fields – nothing scheduled there for my children; no need

Middle School Fields – play elsewhere; not interested; kids too young; poor condition

Cutler School Field – not interested; no need; nothing scheduled there

Buker School Fields – not interested; no involvement; use Cutler or Pingree

Winthrop School Fields – poor condition; wet; use Buker/Pingree/Cutler instead; no need

Hamilton Council on Aging Building – not age-appropriate; no need

Wenham Council on Aging Building – not needed; too young

Gordon College – not aware of programs; nothing scheduled there; no need; not interested

Gordon College Bennett Center – not aware; not sure of family activities; should have swim program there

Chebacco Woods – no need; not interested; not familiar; do not know what is available there

Cedar Pond – unsure of location; no need

Pleasant Pond – not aware; needs new sand and raking; needs a dock

Donovan / Sagamore Trail – unaware; no sign; bugs/mosquitoes/ticks; no need

Bradley Palmer State Park – no need; not interested

There are a number of trends that can be gleaned from these results:

While many respondents indicated that they either have no need, no interest, or do not participate in the specific activities, several respondents indicated that they are unaware of the facilities, the scheduled uses, and the availability. Several respondents provided critiques of the facilities, which is helpful to gain an understanding of the perception of the facility condition.

The facilities that respondents indicated an unawareness of programs and/or availability include Pingree Park Tennis Courts, Weaver Pond, Recreation Center Gymnasium, Recreation Center Meeting/Activity Room, DPW Field, West Wenham Park, Gordon College, Chebacco Woods, Cedar Pond, Pleasant Pond, and the Donovan/Sagamore Trail. It appears that several of the passive recreation opportunities available in Hamilton and Wenham are either not publicly advertised, or do not provide enough information as to their availability and permitted uses.

The facilities that received responses pertaining to their condition were Patton Park Playground, Patton Park Swimming Pool, West Wenham Outdoor Basketball, DPW Field, Middle School Fields, Winthrop School Fields, Pleasant Pond, and Donovan/Sagamore Trail. The responses for the Patton Park Swimming Pool provided several areas where the participants felt were lacking, including the condition of the restrooms and changing areas, the small size of the pool, the size of the pool deck, and the outdated facilities. Respondents for the remaining facilities indicated that either the condition of the fields were poor (DPW Field, Winthrop School), it was not well maintained (West Wenham),

needs renovations (Pleasant Pond), and there are too many mosquitoes/ticks (Donovan/Sagamore Trail.)

Question 9 – Do you think the following groups have sufficient recreational opportunities in Hamilton and Wenham?

In previous questions, there appeared to be a trend that suggests that recreation programs are targeted toward school age children and that community members “outgrow” the recreation program, or that there are not enough programs for the toddler through preschool age children.

47.6% of respondents indicated a perception that Toddlers (1-3) have sufficient recreational opportunities in Hamilton/Wenham. However, this does not indicate that the majority feel that there are not enough opportunities, as 40.2% of respondents indicated that they “Don’t Know” if opportunities are sufficient for toddlers.

An overwhelming 75.5% of respondents indicated that they feel that school-age children are afforded sufficient recreational opportunities in Hamilton/Wenham.

Excluding the number of respondents who indicated that they “Don’t Know” the majority of those who answered the question felt that young adults (19-30) do not have sufficient opportunities. Nearly half of the respondents that responded “Yes” or “No” indicated that teenagers (13-18) do not have sufficient recreational opportunities.

While the results do not provide a clear answer as to which user groups may be underserved, it absolutely indicates that there is room for improvement. Based on the results, it appears that there may be a need for additional recreational opportunities for young adults and teenagers.

Question 10 – In general, what is your perception of the ADEQUACY and AVAILABILITY of athletic fields in Hamilton and Wenham?

An overwhelming majority (80.2%) of respondents feel that the athletic fields in Hamilton and Wenham are “generally well maintained, safe, and in good condition.” 18.8% of respondents feel that the athletic fields are “generally in marginal condition, barely acceptable/usable.” While this provides a bit of positive feedback, it is difficult to determine the percentage of respondents who are also users of the athletic fields in the Towns to determine the accuracy of their perceptions. It does indicate that nearly 20% of respondents feel that there is room for improvement of the adequacy and availability of the athletic fields in Hamilton/Wenham.

Question 11 – One of the ways to extend the use of existing fields is to provide athletic field lighting. The following fields are currently lighted

to some extent: Patton Park Little League, Patton Park Tennis & Basketball. In general, what is your opinion about the possible installation of additional athletic lighting at any of the currently unlit facilities?

The options provided as a response to Question 11 were “strongly in favor,” “somewhat in favor, if it is the best option to meet field needs,” “somewhat opposed,” and “strongly opposed.” Out of the 318 people who responded to Question 11, nearly 85% were either “strongly in favor” or “somewhat in favor.” Approximately 15% of respondents were either “somewhat opposed” or “strongly opposed” to installation of athletic field lighting. This provides a strong sense that their may not be a lot of opposition if, in fact, lighting were to be proposed at additional athletic fields in the Towns.

Question 12 – One of the ways to improve field condition and availability is the use of infilled synthetic turf. In general, what is your opinion about the possible installation of a synthetic turf field?

The options provided as a response to Question 12 were “strongly in favor,” “somewhat in favor if it is the best option to meet field needs,” “somewhat opposed,” and “strongly opposed.” Out of the 307 people who responded to Question 12, nearly 64% were either “strongly in favor” or “somewhat in favor.” Approximately 36% of respondents were either “somewhat opposed” or “strongly opposed” to installation of infilled synthetic turf. This provides a strong sense that although there may be some opposition if the Towns were to pursue installation of synthetic turf, the majority of those who responded to the survey indicated that they would be in favor. It is also typical that there are certain negative perceptions from those with no knowledge regarding synthetic turf fields that would likely be more positive upon being educated about the potential benefits of the installation of synthetic turf athletic fields.

Question 13 – If you favor consideration of a synthetic turf field, where do you think it should be installed to best meet community needs?

Of the 118 responses to Question 13, there were a variety of responses. The following is a summary of the responses:

Hamilton – Wenham Regional High School	52 Responses
Iron Rail	13 Responses
Pingree Park	13 Responses
Patton Park	13 Responses
Patton Estate	5 Responses

The remaining responses were for a variety of facilities, including Donovan, Fairhaven, Middle School, and DPW.

It is evident that a majority of respondents indicated that the High School field would be the best field to receive synthetic turf.

Question 14 - What age demographic do you fall in?

As one might expect, the vast majority, 93.4%, of the participants of this survey were adults thirty (30) to seventy (70) years old. The number of teenage (2.8%), young adult (0.9%) and elder (2.8%) respondents were so small as to make them statistically insignificant when looking at trends. In the future, the Town may want to conduct individual surveys targeted at these particular age groups, especially elders.

Given the fact that the vast majority of the responses appear to have come from adults in the age window for raising families, they skew the results somewhat and the survey results need to be interpreted accordingly. For example, while there seems to be a consensus that athletic fields are a high priority in the Town, the strong majority holding that opinion are parents of school age children for whom such facilities are vitally important. If 93% of the respondents were teens or young adults or elders, “voting” as a body, the results could be much different.

Question 15 – What recreational programs would you like to see added in the coming years for elders, adults, teens, youth, and toddlers?

The responses (131) to this open ended question were wide ranging and varied, however there were several strong trends that emerged. The largest overall responses were as follows:

Improve Patton Park Pool	18 Responses
Implement a Girl’s Softball Program	10 Responses
More/Improved Athletic Fields	8 Responses
More Programs for Toddlers through First Grade Age	7 Responses
Add Bike Lanes/Trails	7 Responses
More Exercise/Fitness Classes (Evening)	7 Responses
More Yoga/Pilates classes	6 Responses
More Adult Recreation Classes	5 Responses
Teen Programs	4 Responses
More/Improved Playgrounds	4 Responses
Skateboard Park	4 Responses
Trail Improvements	3 Responses
Programs for Children with Disabilities	3 Responses

While the responses were wide-ranging, it is evident that renovations to the Patton Park Pool are a priority for the majority of survey respondents. Following the pool renovations, most respondents indicated that implementation of a girls softball program, as well as additional or improvements to athletic fields. Several responses were in favor of yoga/Pilates classes and additional

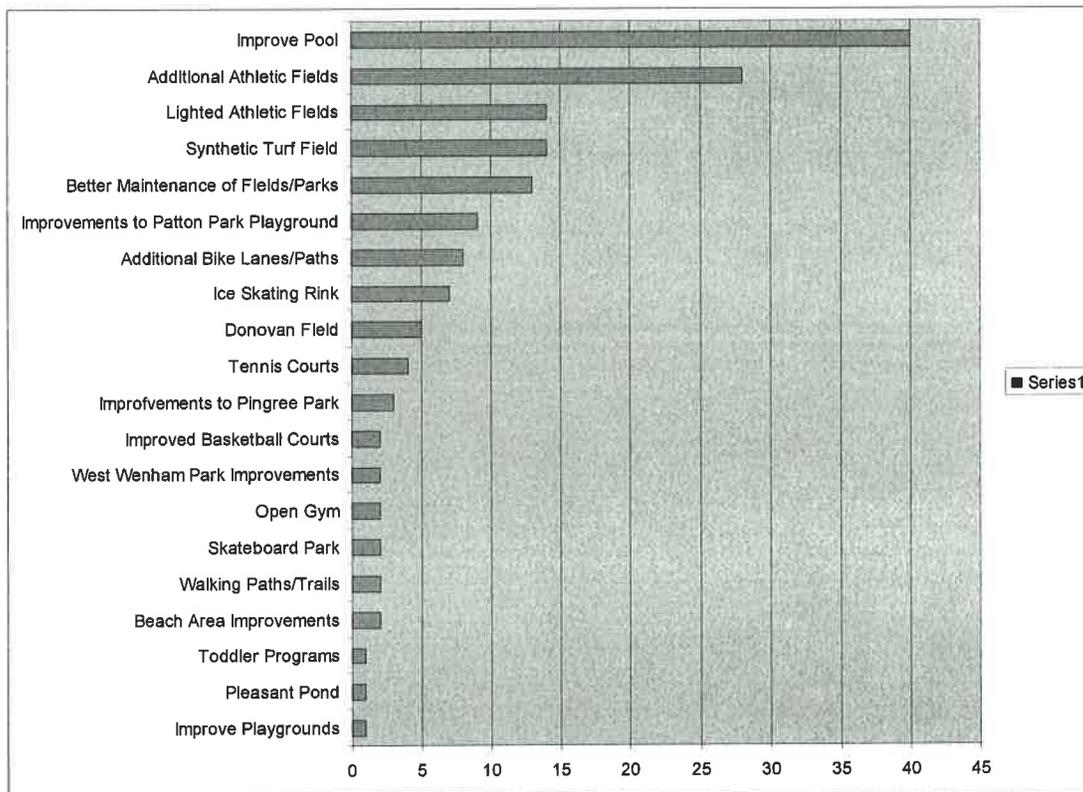
fitness classes. A need for additional playgrounds, teen programs, a skateboard park, biking trails, and enhancement to the trail network were included in the responses.

Question 16 – What are three (3) new or improved recreational facilities that you would like to see in Hamilton and/or Wenham?

This question provided the participants with a simpler more direct method of expressing their recreational facilities priorities. The results were consistent with the conclusions drawn from the pervious questions. A summary of the results follows:

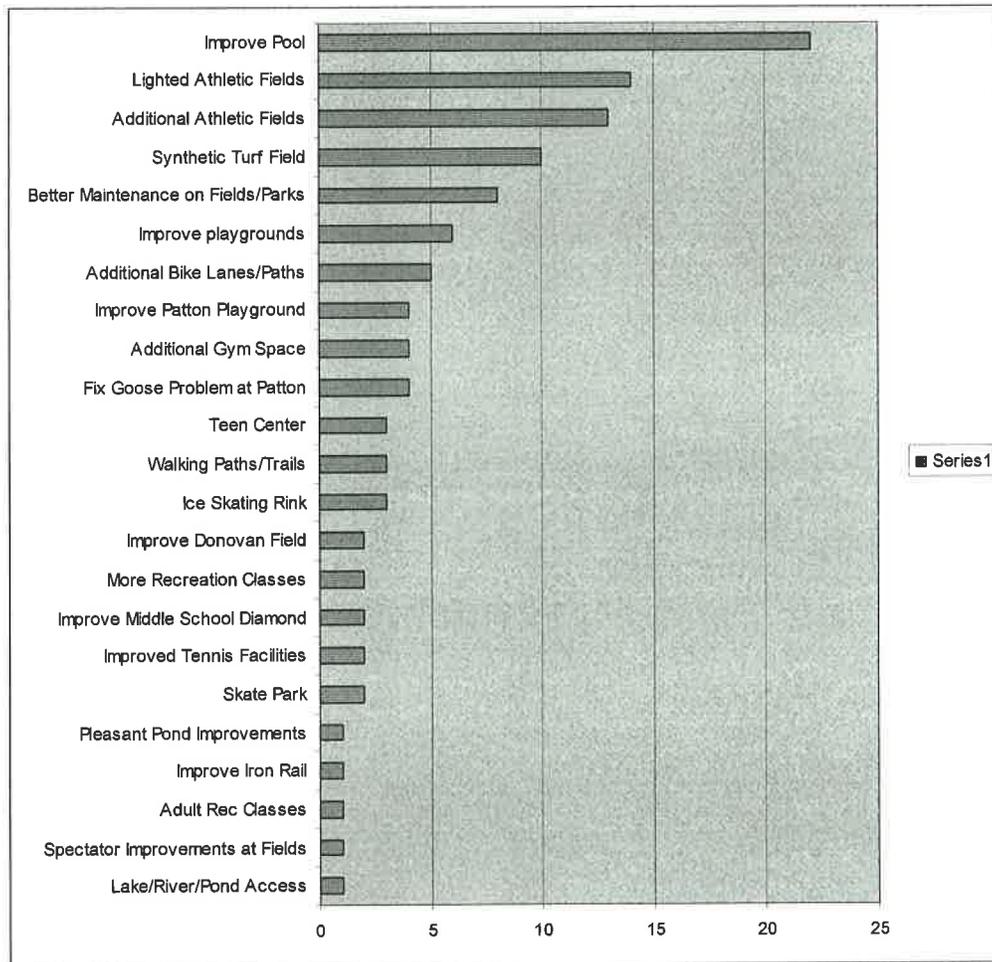
Priority 1

The most common responses for the highest priority for new or improved recreational facilities was the Patton Park pool, additional athletic fields, lighted athletic fields, installation of a synthetic turf field, better maintenance of facilities, improvements to Patton Park playground, and additional bike paths.



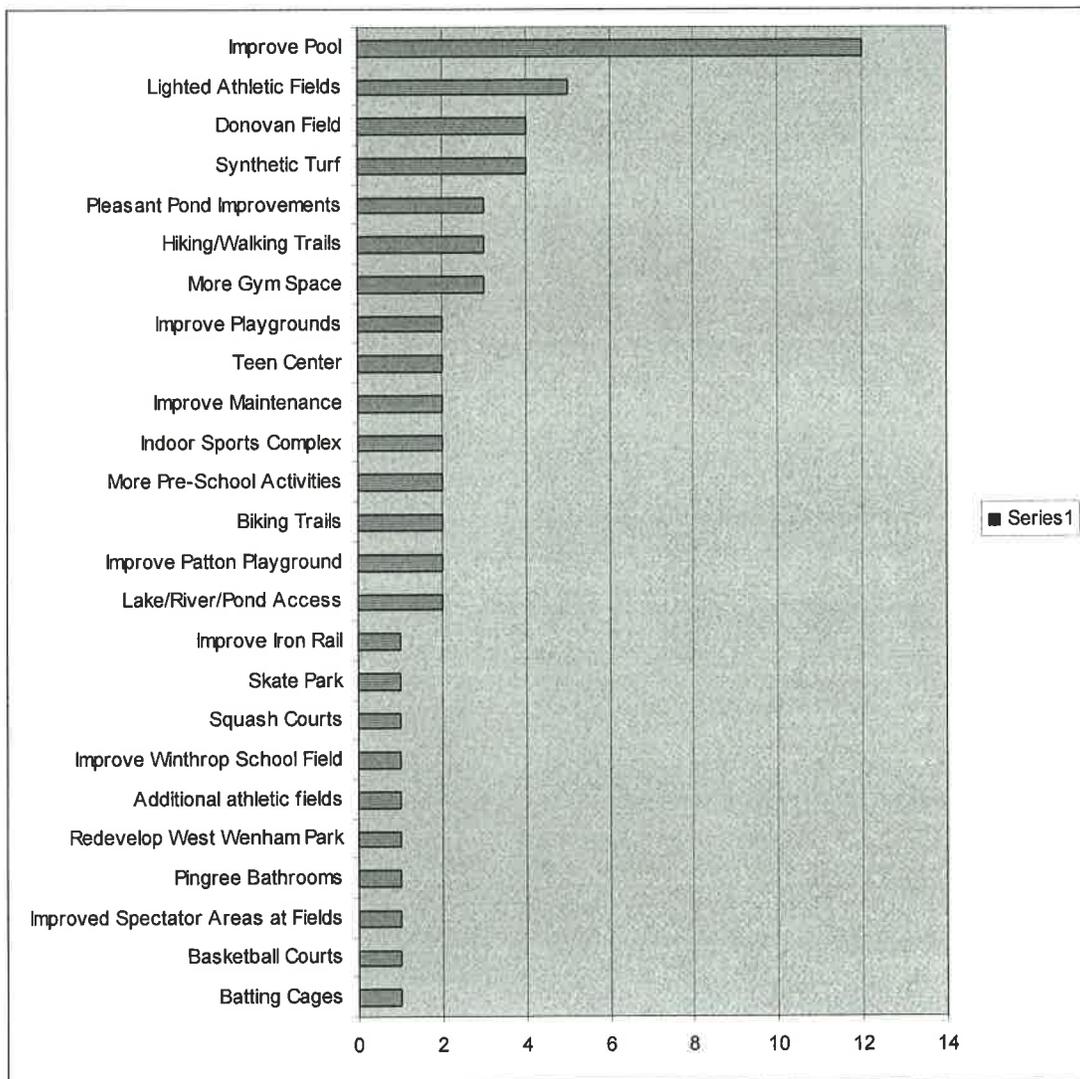
Priority 2

The most common response for the second highest priority improvements was for improvements to the Patton Park pool, followed by lighted athletic fields, additional athletic fields, installation of a synthetic turf field, better maintenance of fields/parks, improvements to playgrounds, and additional bike lanes/paths.



Priority 3

The most common responses for the third priority for new or improved recreational facilities were improvements to the Patton Park Pool, lighted athletic fields, improvements to Donovan Field, and installation of a synthetic turf field.



Based on the three (3) priority recommendations made by the survey respondents, the overall most common responses, ranked in order of responses received, are as follows:

- 1 – Improvements to the Patton Park Pool
- 2 – Additional Athletic Fields
- 3 – Installation of Athletic Field Lighting
- 4 – Synthetic Turf

The top priority is clearly pool enhancements. Beyond that, the next three (3) responses all relate to expansion of athletic field facilities by adding more, lighting them to extend hours, or installing synthetic turf to extend use.

Additionally, the responses to this question reinforced the notion that better maintenance protocols for the athletic fields are in need, as well as improvements to playgrounds, additional bike paths, and improvements to Donovan field.

Among the variety of responses that were not the most common, participants noted a need for more tennis facilities, a teen center, more open gym space, an ice-skating rink, and redevelopment of West Wenham Park.

Question 17 – Please rank each objective on a scale of one (1) to five (5) with one (1) being the most important and five (5) as the least important objective.

Create new parks: 3

Create a multi-use, multi-generational community recreation center: 3

Create additional athletic fields: 1

Create multi-purpose synthetic turf fields: 5

Create bike paths: 1

Create a dog park: 5

Create outdoor basketball courts: 4

Replace the existing pool at Patton Park: 1

Enhance recreational trail networks and/or publish information about existing trails (locations, trailheads, lengths, uses, restrictions, etc.): 1

Based on the most common rating for each recreational objective, it can be concluded which recreational objectives are most important to survey participants. Based on their responses, it is evident that the most important objectives are to create additional athletic fields, create bike paths, and replace the existing pool at Patton Park. The least important objectives appear to be installation of synthetic turf fields, a dog park, and outdoor basketball courts. The average rating of five (5) for creation of multi-purpose synthetic turf fields is a bit inconsistent with previous results, where installation of synthetic turf was ranked on the higher end of the priorities of the residents.

While it appears that these results are meaningful, it is also important to note that there were a variety of responses, and the most common response does not indicate a large majority. As an example, while a community center was ranked a three (3) with 23.6% of participants selecting that rank, a rank of one (1) had nearly 21% of votes. Therefore, while the common responses provide a point of analysis, the overall responses were highly variable.

Conclusions and Recommendations. With nearly 400 responses, the Hamilton/Wenham recreational needs survey provides valuable insight into the perceptions of the various recreational constituencies and stake holders. These conclusions may be somewhat skewed however, given the narrow demographics of the participants, with over 93% being adults, with only token participation by school age children, teenagers, young adults or elders.

The survey assessed attitudes, opinions and priorities in a number of different ways, and from question to question the trends, and hence the conclusions, were fairly consistent. As a result we believe there is strong consensus, at least within the sampled age group, in the following conclusions:

1. The most important perceived recreational need throughout the Towns of Hamilton and Wenham is for an improved pool facility at Patton Park. Based on the perceptions of the survey participants, the pool is outdated, undersized, unheated, has poor restroom and changing facilities, and does not provide adequate pool deck space. Additionally, it was noted several times that the hours, scheduled users, and age-appropriateness of the facility is not meeting the users' needs. It is apparent that a redevelopment strategy for the pool facilities in Hamilton and Wenham is a top priority.
2. The second most important recreational need throughout the Towns is for additional playing fields, both baseball fields and multi-purpose rectangular fields. The existing population of fields is inadequate to effectively meet current demands. It is recognized by most of the community that lights, allowing for extended use of existing fields may mitigate the shortage, however turf quality will suffer as increased play is accommodated on lighted, already overtaxed fields. In response to the field shortage, based on survey results, there is a widely held opinion that synthetic turf may be appropriate and supported at the existing high school game field.
3. There is a moderate demand for improved and/or additional trail facilities throughout the town to meet a number of needs, including hiking, walking, and biking for all age groups. Of these, the biggest concerns appear to be the need for bike paths and trails. There is a perception that sufficient off-road trails may already exist but they are perhaps poorly publicized, poorly marked, poorly mapped, or have inadequate trail head

facilities such as parking, signage, restrooms or shelter. Additionally, there appears to be a need for improvements to road signage for cycling. We recommend a dedicated project aimed at trail facilities publicity and improvements, and a commitment to providing safer cycling opportunities through signage and proper roadway marking. It appears that for relatively small expenditures, the Towns can respond to a well articulated demand.

4. While not as strong as the consensus related to additional field space and improved pool facilities, there is a strong demand in the community for expansion or enhancement of the recreational education programs, targeted mainly at adults, pre-school age children, and teens. There is common perception that the programs offered may be inconvenient in terms of scheduling, mainly for the adult groups. It appears that offerings for toddler or pre-school age children are lacking in availability. Although not articulated as well as the need for these two (2) age groups, it appears that the recreational needs of the teenage group may not be currently met.
5. It is apparent through both survey responses and results of the sensing sessions, that maintenance and upkeep of athletic fields and parks is often not sufficient and appears to be affecting serviceability of the Towns' field inventory. In response to a survey question regarding new or improved recreation facility, an overwhelming number of responses indicated that maintenance was required, rather than new or improved facilities. Based on the demand placed on the field inventory, it is nearly impossible to provide maintenance that will sustain the level of use currently placed on the fields. A more sufficient quantity of fields, as well as a consistent maintenance regimen, will allow for more adequate and available playing fields.
5. Throughout the survey, there was a consistent sense that tennis is more often played on private or out-of-Town facilities. However, the survey results also indicated in moderate quantity that the desire for tennis facilities in the Towns of Hamilton and Wenham does exist. Additionally, in several responses, the poor condition of the Pingree Park and West Wenham tennis facilities was noted. Based on this information, it can be concluded that there is a need for new or improved tennis facilities in the town of Hamilton and/or Wenham.
6. There is little support in the Town for either a dog park or skate park. While there may be individuals who support each of these potential developments with strongly held opinions, it does not appear that any of them garner much support.



The Recreation Needs Survey allows us to validate our conclusions in terms of recreational needs by assessing the perceptions of recreation users as compared to what the demand quantification results tell us. The next step in the Recreational Master Plan process is to determine the extent of the unmet needs and provide schematic solutions in the way of repair and redevelopment strategies, redistribution of demand, and recreational program enhancements better meet the needs of the recreation users in the Towns of Hamilton and Wenham.

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ENCLOSURE 1

Hamilton/Wenham Recreation Questionnaire

Question #1

***1. Do you or your family currently use the Hamilton/Wenham recreational facilities?**

Yes

No

2. What town do you currently reside in?

Hamilton

Wenham

Question #3

3. Have you or your family members participated in any of the following recreational activities this past year? (Select all boxes that may apply)

	Participated in Hamilton/Wenham	Participated out of Town	Would like to participate in Hamilton/Wenham
Arts & Crafts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Baseball	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Basketball	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Biking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bridge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Culinary Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Drama Programs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Environmental Programs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fishing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fitness Training	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Football	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gardening	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gymnastics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hiking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Horseback Riding	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ice Hockey	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ice Skating	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lacrosse	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Picnics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Running	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Senior Games	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Skateboarding	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Skiing (Cross Country)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Skiing (Downhill)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sledding	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Snow Shoeing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Soccer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Softball	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Swim Team	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Swimming Lessons	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tennis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tot Programs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Track	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Vacation Programs

Volleyball

Walking

Wildlife Viewing

Wrestling

Yoga

Other:

Question #4

*4. What organized athletic activities do you or family members participate in?

- High School Sports
- Middle School Intramurals
- Youth Organization Sports (Little League, Youth Soccer, Youth Baseball)
- Recreation Sponsored Activities
- None

Other (please specify)

Question #5

5. If you have not attended any of the Recreation Department's activities or community events in the past year, please check the following reason(s) why not:

- | | | |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Date/time not convenient | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | <input type="checkbox"/> No Children in my Home |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Too Busy | <input type="checkbox"/> Not interested | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Fitness |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Safety Concerns | <input type="checkbox"/> Not aware of program | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cost | <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Barrier (ADA) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | | |

Question #6

6. What source of communication / media would you use to find out about events and activities going on in Hamilton and Wenham?

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Local Print and Online newspapers | <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation Department Website/Email Blasts | <input type="checkbox"/> Word of Mouth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Town Website | <input type="checkbox"/> Direct Mail | <input type="checkbox"/> Council on Aging Newsletter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation Department Booklets | <input type="checkbox"/> Fliers from School | <input type="checkbox"/> Blogs, Facebook, etc. |

Other:

Question #7

7. For each of the following resources, please indicate if you have or your family members have utilized them for recreation in the past year.

	YES	NO
Patton Park Tennis Courts	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Patton Park Ball Fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Patton Park Playground	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Patton Park Swimming Pool	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Patton Park Outdoor Basketball Court	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Weaver Pond at Patton Park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pingree Park Tennis Courts	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pingree Park Ball Fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pingree Park Playground	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Recreation Center Gymnasium	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Recreation Center Meeting / Activity Room	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Recreation Center Fairhaven Field	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Recreation Center Playground	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Donovan Field	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
West Wenham Field	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
West Wenham Tennis Courts	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
West Wenham Outdoor Basketball Court	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
DPW Field	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Iron Rail Fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
High School Fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Middle School Fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cutler School Field	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Buker School Fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Winthrop School Fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hamilton Council on Aging Building	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wenham Council on Aging Building	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Gordon College	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Gordon College Bennett Center	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Chebacco Woods



Cedar Pond



Pleasant Pond



Donovan / Sagamore Trail



Bradley Palmer State Park



Question #8

8. If you responded NO to any locations on Question #6, please take time to indicate the reason why you did not use or visit the facility?

Patton Park

Tennis

Courts

Patton Park

Ball Fields

Patton Park

Playground

Patton Park

Swimming

Pool

Patton Park

Outdoor

Basketball

Court

Weaver

Pond at

Patton Park

Pingree

Park Tennis

Courts

Pingree

Park Ball

Fields

Pingree

Park

Playground

Recreation

Center

Gymnasium

Recreation

Center

Meeting /

Activity

Room

Recreation

Center

Fairhaven

Field

Recreation

Center

Playground

Donovan

Field

West

Wenham

Field

West

Wenham

Tennis

Courts

West

Wenham

Outdoor

Basketball

Court

DPW Field

Iron Rail

Fields

High

School

Fields

Middle

School

Fields

Cutler

School

Field

Buker

School

Fields

Winthrop

School

Fields

Hamilton

Council on

Aging

Building

Wenham

Council on

Aging

Building

Gordon

College

Gordon

College

Bennett

Center

Chebacco

Woods

Cedar Pond

Pleasant

Pond

Donovan /

Sagamore

Trail

Bradley

Palmer

State Park

Question #9

9. Do you think the following groups have sufficient recreational opportunities in Hamilton and Wenham?

	YES	NO	DON'T KNOW
Toddlers (1-3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
School Age Children (4-12)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Teenagers (13-18)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Young Adults (19-30)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Adults (30-70)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Elders (70+)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Children with disabilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Adults with disabilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Question #10

10. In general, what is your perception of the ADEQUACY and AVAILABILITY of athletic fields in Hamilton and Wenham?

- Generally well maintained, safe, and in good condition
- Generally marginal condition, barely acceptable/usable
- Generally poor condition, often unusable

Question #11

11. One of the ways to extend the use of existing fields is to provide athletic field lighting. The following fields are currently lighted to some extent: Patton Park Little League, Patton Park Tennis & Basketball. In general, what is your opinion about the possible installation of additional athletic lighting at any of the currently unlit facilities?

- Strongly in favor
- Somewhat in favor, if it is the best option to meet field needs
- Somewhat opposed
- Strongly opposed

Question #12 & 13

12. One of the ways to improve field condition and availability is the use of infilled synthetic turf. In general, what is your opinion about the possible installation of a synthetic turf field?

- Strongly in favor
- Somewhat in favor, if it is the best option to meet field needs
- Somewhat opposed
- Strongly opposed

13. If you favor consideration of a synthetic turf field, where do you think it should be installed to best meet community needs?

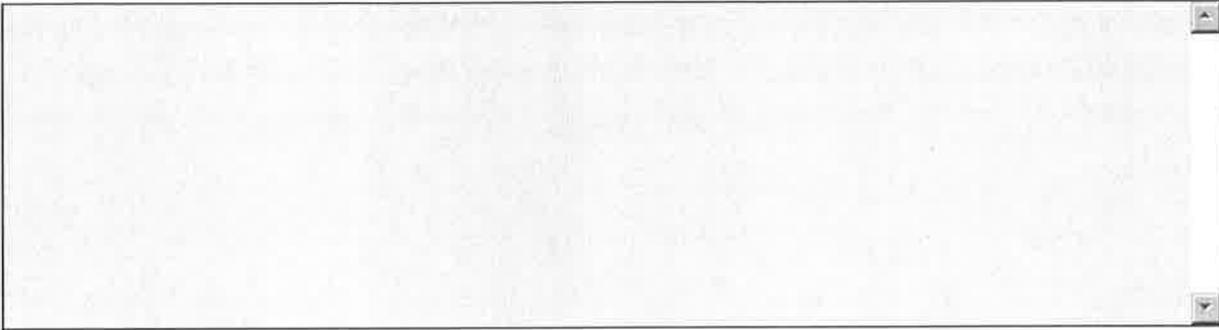
Question #14

14. What age demographic do you fall into?

- Teenagers (13-18)
- Young Adults (19-30)
- Adults (30-70)
- Elders (70+)

Question #15

15. What Recreational Programs would you like to see added in the coming years?



Question #16

16. What are three (3) new or improved recreational facilities that you would like to see in Hamilton and/or Wenham?

1.

2.

3.

Question #17

17. Please rank each objective on a scale of one to five with one being the most important and five as the least important objective. (1=Most Important; 5=Least Important)

	1	2	3	4	5
Create new parks	<input type="radio"/>				
Create a multi-use, multi-generational community recreation center	<input type="radio"/>				
Create additional athletic fields	<input type="radio"/>				
Create multi-purpose synthetic turf fields	<input type="radio"/>				
Create bike paths	<input type="radio"/>				
Create a dog park	<input type="radio"/>				
Create outdoor basketball courts	<input type="radio"/>				
Replace the existing pool at Patton Park	<input type="radio"/>				
Enhance recreational trail networks and/or publish information about existing trails (locations, trailheads, lengths, uses, restrictions, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>				

COMMENTS



ENCLOSURE 2

Questionnaire Results

1. Do you or your family currently use the Hamilton/Wenham recreational facilities?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		85.9%	335
No		14.1%	55
answered question			390
skipped question			0

2. What town do you currently reside in?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Hamilton		68.2%	260
Wenham		31.8%	121
answered question			381
skipped question			9

3. Have you or your family members participated in any of the following recreational activities this past year? (Select all boxes that may apply)

	Participated in Hamilton/Wenham	Participated out of Town	Would like to participate in Hamilton/Wenham	Response Count
Arts & Crafts	57.5% (61)	29.2% (31)	35.8% (38)	106
Basketball	89.7% (140)	16.0% (25)	10.9% (17)	156
Biking	82.9% (136)	35.4% (58)	16.5% (27)	164
Drama Programs	46.0% (23)	22.0% (11)	44.0% (22)	50
Fishing	44.4% (36)	59.3% (48)	24.7% (20)	81
Football	68.1% (47)	27.5% (19)	20.3% (14)	69
Gymnastics	39.7% (25)	47.6% (30)	30.2% (19)	63
Horseback Riding	31.3% (21)	31.3% (21)	55.2% (37)	67
Ice Skating	53.2% (66)	39.5% (49)	29.0% (36)	124
Picnics	79.6% (82)	43.7% (45)	16.5% (17)	103
Senior Games	66.7% (2)	0.0% (0)	33.3% (1)	3
Skiing (Cross Country)	52.9% (45)	44.7% (38)	38.8% (33)	85
Sledding	81.6% (111)	34.6% (47)	16.9% (23)	136
Soccer	93.7% (192)	20.0% (41)	7.3% (15)	205
Swim Team	50.0% (29)	37.9% (22)	22.4% (13)	58
Tennis	69.3% (104)	39.3% (59)	23.3% (35)	150
Track	75.6% (31)	9.8% (4)	24.4% (10)	41
Volleyball	60.0% (18)	16.7% (5)	43.3% (13)	30
Wildlife Viewing	77.8% (63)	51.9% (42)	22.2% (18)	81
Yoga	25.3% (21)	55.4% (46)	37.3% (31)	83
Baseball	90.7% (147)	10.5% (17)	11.1% (18)	162
Bridge	33.3% (2)	0.0% (0)	83.3% (5)	6

Culinary Arts	15.6% (7)	40.0% (18)	71.1% (32)	45
Environmental Programs	37.0% (20)	33.3% (18)	48.1% (26)	54
Fitness Training	40.8% (51)	53.6% (67)	27.2% (34)	125
Gardening	70.7% (53)	10.7% (8)	28.0% (21)	75
Hiking	66.9% (89)	56.4% (75)	18.0% (24)	133
Ice Hockey	64.2% (43)	35.8% (24)	28.4% (19)	67
Lacrosse	86.6% (103)	20.2% (24)	10.1% (12)	119
Running	91.7% (122)	28.6% (38)	12.8% (17)	133
Skateboarding	54.8% (23)	28.6% (12)	33.3% (14)	42
Skiing (Downhill)	22.0% (29)	72.7% (96)	13.6% (18)	132
Snow Shoeing	50.0% (40)	42.5% (34)	28.8% (23)	80
Softball	40.9% (9)	13.6% (3)	59.1% (13)	22
Swimming Lessons	23.8% (25)	64.8% (68)	30.5% (32)	105
Tot Programs	73.1% (19)	50.0% (13)	15.4% (4)	26
Vacation Programs	40.0% (22)	43.6% (24)	36.4% (20)	55
Walking	91.7% (143)	35.3% (55)	10.3% (16)	156
Wrestling	0.0% (0)	10.0% (1)	90.0% (9)	10

Other: 32

answered question	341
skipped question	49

Page 2, Q3. Have you or your family members participated in any of the following recreational activities this past year? (Select all boxes that may apply)

1	Music Man at the Community House	Apr 12, 2012 9:23 AM
2	Summer Camp! Have participated - will again.	Apr 5, 2012 7:20 PM
3	birdwatching!	Mar 26, 2012 5:54 PM
4	Birding (in H/W and elsewhere), recreational swimming (elsewhere)	Mar 23, 2012 9:59 AM
5	Would love to see a skateboard park - or an outdoor skating rink	Mar 22, 2012 7:23 AM
6	Subterranean Golf	Mar 21, 2012 6:02 PM
7	Running.	Mar 21, 2012 3:41 PM
8	Golf	Mar 21, 2012 11:03 AM
9	Summer camp	Mar 20, 2012 9:29 AM
10	Our family would love to see programs offered right after school. Winthrop School used to run a program that offered a range of recreational classes from gym games to cooking and kids could take the bus from their respective schools. It would be great to see the Rec. Dept. take the lead and partner with the schools to establish a fun and affordable after school program.	Mar 19, 2012 9:34 PM
11	Boating: participated out of town	Mar 19, 2012 4:59 PM
12	Do not like organised sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:11 PM
13	play pickup ultimate frisbee in town during spring & summer weekends	Mar 19, 2012 3:51 PM
14	Would love to see an art-type class like those at Mucky Kids (in Cambridge) done in the two towns!	Mar 18, 2012 7:34 PM
15	Open swimming pool for swimming with shallow end. Please expand the Patton park pool.	Mar 14, 2012 10:22 AM
16	Indoor soccer vs outdoor soccer	Mar 14, 2012 9:52 AM
17	Need better pool/ program	Mar 13, 2012 6:58 PM
18	Water aerobics at Gordon	Mar 13, 2012 4:49 PM
19	I checked "participated in town" for activities at locations such as Iron Rail Gymnastics and the Wenham Tea House.	Mar 13, 2012 10:56 AM
20	Street hockey and skating in town	Mar 12, 2012 11:04 PM
21	Interested in kids yoga	Mar 12, 2012 9:25 PM
22	Music	Mar 12, 2012 7:50 PM
23	Open Swim at Gordon College	Mar 12, 2012 6:32 PM

Page 2, Q3. Have you or your family members participated in any of the following recreational activities this past year? (Select all boxes that may apply)

24	Pilates--I would love the HW Rec Center to offer pilates. Also, it would be great if they offered more for children on Wednesdays as it is a half day. The kids could use a longer activity on those days.	Mar 12, 2012 3:56 PM
25	My daughters would love to try softball and have signed up twice but it had to be cx'd.	Mar 12, 2012 3:27 PM
26	Imagination Station. We LOVE it!	Mar 12, 2012 3:14 PM
27	Swimming at Gordon	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
28	Patton park camp	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
29	Rugby through Danvers in Spring and Manchester in Fall	Mar 12, 2012 12:57 PM
30	would love to see a ladies tennis program for the spring/summer- round robin format for 3.0-3.5 players	Mar 12, 2012 12:25 PM
31	Legos	Mar 12, 2012 12:10 PM
32	would love to have the pool redone. Yes, a big financial undertaking but it is such a waste that it is there and too small, no snack bar, no slide, no diving board, no chairs & unbrellas and it is too small. I also think kids 9 and old should be able to be dropped of at the pool	Mar 12, 2012 12:02 PM

4. What organized athletic activities do you or family members participate in?

		Response Percent	Response Count
High School Sports		19.3%	69
Middle School Intramurals		24.6%	88
Youth Organization Sports (Little League, Youth Soccer, Youth Baseball)		73.7%	263
Recreation Sponsored Activities		32.2%	115
None		15.7%	56
	Other (please specify)		44
answered question			357
skipped question			33

Page 3, Q4. What organized athletic activities do you or family members participate in?

1	YMCA (Swim)	Apr 11, 2012 8:29 PM
2	Youth Lacrosse and Special Olympic soccer	Apr 10, 2012 2:12 PM
3	SCOOP LACROSSE	Apr 9, 2012 7:51 PM
4	Poorly worded -- do you mean in H/W or in general? Also, you should never end a sentence with a preposition.	Mar 23, 2012 10:00 AM
5	personal use of facilities and trails	Mar 23, 2012 8:33 AM
6	Essex County Trail Assn. events	Mar 22, 2012 12:44 PM
7	AAU baseball	Mar 22, 2012 9:24 AM
8	Ipswich YMCA Youth Programs	Mar 21, 2012 10:35 PM
9	boys gymnastics, but in Wilmington	Mar 21, 2012 6:29 PM
10	High Power Rocketry	Mar 21, 2012 6:02 PM
11	Yoga, Ice Hockey	Mar 21, 2012 11:03 AM
12	Hamilton Wenham Senior Basketball League	Mar 20, 2012 9:30 AM
13	by myself	Mar 19, 2012 4:19 PM
14	Men' tennis league, Men's soccer league - SURVEY WRONG _ NEEDS OTHER BUTTON TO FILL OUT OTHER ANSWER _ NOT NONE	Mar 19, 2012 3:52 PM
15	Men's Summer Basketball League	Mar 19, 2012 3:48 PM
16	Adult sports	Mar 14, 2012 9:29 PM
17	touch football	Mar 14, 2012 6:20 PM
18	Adult soccer league	Mar 14, 2012 5:07 PM
19	preschool activities	Mar 14, 2012 10:23 AM
20	Toddler programs	Mar 13, 2012 10:01 PM
21	YMCA swim team. Karate	Mar 13, 2012 7:10 PM
22	Wenham tea house camp	Mar 13, 2012 6:59 PM
23	YMCA programs for adults	Mar 13, 2012 4:50 PM
24	YMCA programs	Mar 13, 2012 11:48 AM
25	Lax, indoor soccer, skiing, flag football	Mar 13, 2012 7:35 AM
26	competitive dance; karate	Mar 12, 2012 9:59 PM

Page 3, Q4. What organized athletic activities do you or family members participate in?

27	Youth Basketball	Mar 12, 2012 8:42 PM
28	dance	Mar 12, 2012 7:40 PM
29	youth LAX	Mar 12, 2012 6:43 PM
30	YMCA	Mar 12, 2012 6:18 PM
31	YMCA swim team	Mar 12, 2012 5:00 PM
32	Agawam Hockey Program	Mar 12, 2012 4:46 PM
33	Figure skating	Mar 12, 2012 4:43 PM
34	My husband does the Hamilton Basketball League	Mar 12, 2012 3:14 PM
35	Toddler programs: soccer, gymnastics	Mar 12, 2012 2:44 PM
36	Agawam Youth Hockey	Mar 12, 2012 2:29 PM
37	bowling league	Mar 12, 2012 2:08 PM
38	Mountain Biking	Mar 12, 2012 1:47 PM
39	Lacrosse	Mar 12, 2012 1:33 PM
40	Could we have sailing or water sports at Chebacco?	Mar 12, 2012 1:14 PM
41	rugby via rec depts in Danvers and manchester	Mar 12, 2012 12:57 PM
42	sports,activities at home or country club	Mar 12, 2012 12:55 PM
43	Taekwondo, YNS Sharks swim team	Mar 12, 2012 12:54 PM
44	running races	Mar 12, 2012 12:49 PM

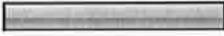
5. If you have not attended any of the Recreation Department's activities or community events in the past year, please check the following reason(s) why not:

		Response Percent	Response Count
Date/time not convenient		34.1%	56
Too Busy		26.2%	43
Safety Concerns		1.8%	3
Cost		12.8%	21
Transportation		0.0%	0
Not Interested		22.0%	36
Not aware of program		39.0%	64
Physical Barrier (ADA)		0.0%	0
No Children in my Home		15.9%	26
Personal Fitness		3.0%	5
Other:		11.0%	18
		answered question	164
		skipped question	226

Page 4, Q5. If you have not attended any of the Recreation Department's activities or community events in the past year, please check the following reason(s) why not:

1	My children are too young	Apr 12, 2012 9:23 AM
2	We have just recently moved to Hamilton about four weeks ago, however we've already taken advantage of the parks and recreation and plan to do so much more in the future.	Apr 10, 2012 12:44 PM
3	I think the cost of the block party BBQ is expensive	Apr 2, 2012 10:36 AM
4	what does the "Personal Fitness" mean?	Mar 23, 2012 10:01 AM
5	Some of this is not available in town	Mar 22, 2012 12:13 PM
6	my son is jsut under 3 so he has not been of the right age for us to participate - looking forward to being able to join more activities but I am a working mom so the timing of many of the events does not work for me.	Mar 19, 2012 8:41 PM
7	Children too young	Mar 19, 2012 4:18 PM
8	children not old enough for most programs. working during imagination station. not aware of adult programs	Mar 19, 2012 4:13 PM
9	Grandchildren are participate in many programs and we use trails and fields maintained by the REC dept. We are working on plans for new family REC activities on the Patton Property if the town accepts the gift.	Mar 15, 2012 8:09 PM
10	We have appreciated and enjoyed the Rec programs and hope that they are able to exopand and contiue.	Mar 14, 2012 12:17 PM
11	we have just switched over to public school and have not been aware of options available	Mar 14, 2012 8:21 AM
12	Cannot go at 5/6 am to boot camp...wish they have other times too later in the morning 4 days per week for longer than 1 hour	Mar 12, 2012 11:05 PM
13	most of the programs are only geared for public school children. afternoon programs start too early for kids in other schools to get there on time and I wish you would consider doing some programs during private school breaks as well- basketbetball- too many kids are in one gym at a time- would rather do Y basketball until my kids are old enough to do travel teams	Mar 12, 2012 3:04 PM
14	No toddler programs offered	Mar 12, 2012 2:45 PM
15	most programs geared for younger children	Mar 12, 2012 2:18 PM
16	I've have occasionally found that the town programs are extremely variable in terms of quality of instruction and/or facility and/or class size. I tend to look elsewhere first	Mar 12, 2012 1:19 PM
17	I work out at another gym but would love tohang at the local pool all summer with friends....but this one is in bad shape with too many rules!	Mar 12, 2012 12:03 PM
18	offerings of recent seem to be more gender-boy specific	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM

6. What source of communication / media would you use to find out about events and activities going on in Hamilton and Wenham?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Local Print and Online newspapers		55.7%	191
Town Website		32.1%	110
Recreation Department Booklets		30.6%	105
Recreation Department Website/Email Blasts		66.8%	229
Direct Mail		20.4%	70
Fliers from School		33.5%	115
Word of Mouth		32.9%	113
Council on Aging Newsletter		2.6%	9
Blogs, Facebook, etc.		13.1%	45
Other:		5.8%	20
		answered question	343
		skipped question	47

Page 5, Q6. What source of communication / media would you use to find out about events and activities going on in Hamilton and Wenham?

1	The Patch has been great for getting information out!	Mar 28, 2012 7:20 AM
2	Email lists.	Mar 22, 2012 12:18 PM
3	Patch	Mar 22, 2012 9:14 AM
4	Chronicle newspaper and Hamilton Wenham Patch online	Mar 21, 2012 9:31 PM
5	Town website is really bad	Mar 21, 2012 6:03 PM
6	Hamilton-Wenham Patch	Mar 20, 2012 7:55 AM
7	Bulletin post at the Library	Mar 18, 2012 7:35 PM
8	H-W Chronicle primarily	Mar 15, 2012 8:12 PM
9	Poster boards on the street	Mar 13, 2012 6:56 AM
10	patch	Mar 12, 2012 9:56 PM
11	Prefer on-line...Patch, Facebook, or email	Mar 12, 2012 6:19 PM
12	We live in Wenham but my kids go to private school. So I feel I miss a lot of the information that gets passed out in the schools!	Mar 12, 2012 5:07 PM
13	Private notice from Youth Football and Babe Ruth Baseball	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
14	HW Patch mainly and Facebook.	Mar 12, 2012 3:57 PM
15	email from the sport	Mar 12, 2012 3:16 PM
16	I favor e-blasts	Mar 12, 2012 2:10 PM
17	HW Patch	Mar 12, 2012 1:00 PM
18	fliers from school is great marketing	Mar 12, 2012 12:04 PM
19	Email is the best since my children do not attend the schools in town	Mar 12, 2012 11:43 AM
20	Patch online	Mar 12, 2012 11:36 AM

7. For each of the following resources, please indicate if you have or your family members have utilized them for recreation in the past year.

	YES	NO	Response Count
Patton Park Tennis Courts	53.6% (157)	46.4% (136)	293
Patton Park Ball Fields	64.5% (187)	35.5% (103)	290
Patton Park Playground	85.0% (256)	15.0% (45)	301
Patton Park Swimming Pool	45.5% (125)	54.5% (150)	275
Patton Park Outdoor Basketball Court	50.0% (133)	50.0% (133)	266
Weaver Pond at Patton Park	56.6% (145)	43.4% (111)	256
Pingree Park Tennis Courts	39.4% (102)	60.6% (157)	259
Pingree Park Ball Fields	70.1% (197)	29.9% (84)	281
Pingree Park Playground	81.9% (236)	18.1% (52)	288
Recreation Center Gymnasium	57.8% (155)	42.2% (113)	268
Recreation Center Meeting / Activity Room	36.2% (88)	63.8% (155)	243
Recreation Center Fairhaven Field	35.0% (84)	65.0% (156)	240
Recreation Center Playground	46.4% (115)	53.6% (133)	248
Donovan Field	66.4% (188)	33.6% (95)	283
West Wenham Field	14.8% (33)	85.2% (190)	223
West Wenham Tennis Courts	17.3% (39)	82.7% (186)	225
West Wenham Outdoor Basketball Court	6.0% (13)	94.0% (202)	215
DPW Field	29.2% (66)	70.8% (160)	226
Iron Rail Fields	61.5% (174)	38.5% (109)	283
High School Fields	48.6% (122)	51.4% (129)	251
Middle School Fields	49.6% (123)	50.4% (125)	248

Cutler School Field	52.0% (132)	48.0% (122)	254
Buker School Fields	58.3% (148)	41.7% (106)	254
Winthrop School Fields	53.5% (130)	46.5% (113)	243
Hamilton Council on Aging Building	12.7% (27)	87.3% (185)	212
Wenham Council on Aging Building	9.4% (20)	90.6% (192)	212
Gordon College	55.8% (148)	44.2% (117)	265
Gordon College Bennett Center	54.1% (144)	45.9% (122)	266
Chebacco Woods	53.8% (136)	46.2% (117)	253
Cedar Pond	16.5% (35)	83.5% (177)	212
Pleasant Pond	41.6% (97)	58.4% (136)	233
Donovan / Sagamore Trail	28.7% (64)	71.3% (159)	223
Bradley Palmer State Park	82.8% (236)	17.2% (49)	285
		answered question	332
		skipped question	58

8. If you responded NO to any locations on Question #6, please take time to indicate the reason why you did not use or visit the facility?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Patton Park Tennis Courts		41.7%	45
Patton Park Ball Fields		27.8%	30
Patton Park Playground		19.4%	21
Patton Park Swimming Pool		37.0%	40
Patton Park Outdoor Basketball Court		28.7%	31
Weaver Pond at Patton Park		24.1%	26
Pingree Park Tennis Courts		37.0%	40
Pingree Park Ball Fields		19.4%	21
Pingree Park Playground		14.8%	16
Recreation Center Gymnasium		24.1%	26
Recreation Center Meeting / Activity Room		32.4%	35
Recreation Center Fairhaven Field		21.3%	23
Recreation Center Playground		24.1%	26
Donovan Field		15.7%	17

West Wenham Field		56.5%	61
West Wenham Tennis Courts		50.9%	55
West Wenham Outdoor Basketball Court		50.9%	55
DPW Field		38.9%	42
Iron Rail Fields		26.9%	29
High School Fields		30.6%	33
Middle School Fields		26.9%	29
Cutler School Field		23.1%	25
Buker School Fields		17.6%	19
Winthrop School Fields		23.1%	25
Hamilton Council on Aging Building		45.4%	49
Wenham Council on Aging Building		45.4%	49
Gordon College		23.1%	25
Gordon College Bennett Center		25.9%	28
Chebacco Woods		29.6%	32
Cedar Pond		47.2%	51
Pleasant Pond		29.6%	32

Donovan / Sagamore Trail		38.9%	42
Bradley Palmer State Park		15.7%	17
answered question			108
skipped question			282

9. Do you think the following groups have sufficient recreational opportunities in Hamilton and Wenham?

	YES	NO	DON'T KNOW	Response Count
Toddlers (1-3)	47.6% (136)	12.2% (35)	40.2% (115)	286
School Age Children (4-12)	75.5% (225)	16.1% (48)	8.4% (25)	298
Teenagers (13-18)	31.2% (91)	29.8% (87)	39.0% (114)	292
Young Adults (19-30)	18.7% (52)	19.8% (55)	61.5% (171)	278
Adults (30-70)	44.2% (126)	28.1% (80)	27.7% (79)	285
Elders (70+)	23.7% (64)	7.8% (21)	68.5% (185)	270
Children with disabilities	5.6% (15)	10.4% (28)	84.0% (225)	268
Adults with disabilities	5.6% (15)	9.3% (25)	85.2% (230)	270
answered question				310
skipped question				80

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Patton Park Tennis Courts		
1	don't play tennis	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	Time	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
3	We don't play tennis	Apr 10, 2012 12:47 PM
11	Please change "Question #6" to "Question #7" above so it's not confusing. Also, why is the Community House not listed here or in Question 7?	Mar 23, 2012 10:07 AM
13	I don't play tennis	Mar 22, 2012 12:50 PM
15	do not play tennis	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
18	west wenham is in our backyard	Mar 21, 2012 9:09 PM
20	we play at pingree courts instead, or the ones by the tea house	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
26	no family members play	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
27	Don't play tennis	Mar 20, 2012 10:06 AM
30	dont play tenis	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
38	Don't know how to play tennis	Mar 15, 2012 9:38 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
45	do not play tennis	Mar 13, 2012 9:35 PM
47	dont play	Mar 13, 2012 7:04 PM
48	Don't play tennis	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
49	don't play tennis	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
53	no tennis players in our family!	Mar 13, 2012 8:32 AM
55	Play elsewhere	Mar 13, 2012 7:39 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	need tennis lessons	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	only for camp; don't know how to reserve for adults	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	play elsewhere, never know if available	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
63	New in town, didn't know about many of these options	Mar 12, 2012 7:53 PM

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64	We use the WVIS Courts in Wenham...They are new, close and well maintained.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
67	play at a club	Mar 12, 2012 6:22 PM
69	not aware of how to sign up	Mar 12, 2012 5:18 PM
70	dont play there	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
74	dont play	Mar 12, 2012 4:04 PM
75	Do not have enough friends who play tennis and would like more intermediate play. The lessons that are offered are for beginners and I am a more advanced player and like to hit the ball hard and don't have the patience nor the interest to play with beginners.	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
77	Don't play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
79	have another place to use tennis courts	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
81	don't play	Mar 12, 2012 2:47 PM
83	own tennis court	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
90	go to Pingree	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
93	Don't play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
94	Use courts at Gordon College as they are closer	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	dont play tennis (but others do, glad it's there)	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
97	don't play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 12:59 PM
98	play tennis at Country Club	Mar 12, 2012 12:57 PM
101	Dont play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 12:16 PM
105	do not play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
106	Children used during Patron Park Summer Camp; not sure on rules for my family to use outside that time.	Mar 12, 2012 11:46 AM
108	used WVIS courts	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Patton Park Ball Fields		
1	don't play baseball	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	Kids don't play baseball or football	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
5	not participating in associated activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
26	no family members play	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM

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27	No children living at home	Mar 20, 2012 10:06 AM
30	dont play ball	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	no reason to	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
38	Children aren't at that level of baseball	Mar 15, 2012 9:38 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
48	Don't play baseball	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
49	no need	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	play soccer not baseball	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
60	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
61	son not of age	Mar 12, 2012 8:53 PM
64	we haven't played baseball...the schedule is not published in advance, so you never know what you're getting into, but you have to sign-up 6 months in advance.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
69	do not play ball	Mar 12, 2012 5:18 PM
70	we did play there	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
77	No longer playing baseball	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	kids don't play baseball	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	kids too small for the playing field	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
81	don't play	Mar 12, 2012 2:47 PM
83	no baseball players	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
86	No family members play these sports	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
94	Have avoided Patton given considerable goose droppings all over the park	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	dont play football or baseball (but others do, glad it's there)	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
107	Q8 should have populated ONLY locations the survey taker indicated they did NOT use. Seeing the whole list again is too confusing.	Mar 12, 2012 11:39 AM

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108	not playing	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Patton Park Playground		
6	we have visited, but the playground is unsafe, outdated and not a valid attraction	Apr 5, 2012 7:26 PM
9	Needs improvement/ we go but my kids don't like it compared to others	Mar 24, 2012 8:39 PM
13	no children at home .	Mar 22, 2012 12:50 PM
27	No children...	Mar 20, 2012 10:06 AM
32	no small children in household	Mar 19, 2012 4:32 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
34	Playground equipment is in desperate need of update and expansion	Mar 19, 2012 3:44 PM
39	Children too old	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
48	My kids have outgrown it	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
49	children are too old for the toddler playground equipment	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	kids too old	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
61	not as much to do	Mar 12, 2012 8:53 PM
76	No longer age appropriate for my child	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Children have outgrown playground	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
81	too run down	Mar 12, 2012 2:47 PM
90	go to Pingree	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
91	kids too old	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
94	Same	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	my children are grown	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
108	used Pingree or WWIS	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Patton Park Swimming Pool		
1	no time	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	Have our own pool	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
5	Small; limited access hours; unaware of lesson programs; unheated(?) for kids	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM

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6	conditions are pretty bad, bathrooms are disgusting, and pool is freezing - no seating or areas to lay down!	Apr 5, 2012 7:26 PM
7	Swimming pool and surrounding area is too small to accomodate visitors. It should be larger.	Apr 2, 2012 6:27 PM
9	Does not look appealing	Mar 24, 2012 8:39 PM
10	Pool and facilities are extremely outdated and look pretty gross so I take my family to the beach or to other pools instead of Patton pool. Hamilton desperately needs a new town pool that suits ALL ages. Kiddy pool, snack bar, etc would be a great addition. If the pool was updated I would bring my family all the time in the summer. I would also be happy to pay an annual fee. Hamilton is losing a bunch of families to clubs and other pools during the summer day and by redoing Patton pool, could keep some of the families local.	Mar 23, 2012 9:23 PM
13	I swim at Chebacco Lake	Mar 22, 2012 12:50 PM
18	yuck	Mar 21, 2012 9:09 PM
20	went once and the changing room was yucky	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
22	We do it's a great town asset but can't get food or drink and toilet and changing area poor plus no where to sit and too small an area. We would use it more because we love the swim team!!!!!!!!!!	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
23	Have own pool	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	use Bennett Center at Gordon	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
27	Live on a lake	Mar 20, 2012 10:06 AM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
37	old/outdated/disgusting facilities (bathrooms)	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
38	Expensive for a family of 6, and really can't afford to spend the money for a season pass, not sure if it would be worth it. Would love to get a chance to try it out before buying a season pass.	Mar 15, 2012 9:38 PM
43	daughter too young--would love a large multi-age pool with zero entry and grassy area	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
44	don't kow where it is	Mar 14, 2012 8:28 AM
48	My kids are not on swim team; go to the beach to swim	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
49	go to the beach in the summer instead	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
53	have our own swimming pool and don't do Patton Park program in summer	Mar 13, 2012 8:32 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM

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57	pool used to be yuch have not been in a few years	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
60	old, bathrooms awful	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
64	We go to Pleasant Pond or YMCA pool. The pool is too small and the hours are bad. There's really no where to sit on the pool deck.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
67	we have a pool	Mar 12, 2012 6:22 PM
68	Travel in summer	Mar 12, 2012 5:28 PM
69	access	Mar 12, 2012 5:18 PM
70	we have own	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
77	Have our own pool	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	honestly, I forgot that we can go use the facilities	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	have another swimming pool we can use- plus it isn't that nice of a pool to want to show up to go swim- too small	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
81	have own pool	Mar 12, 2012 2:47 PM
90	have a pool	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
94	Use club pool	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	enough time with 5 practices a week on swim team, thank you!	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
97	family pools	Mar 12, 2012 12:59 PM
105	we have a pool	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	did use	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Patton Park Outdoor Basketball Court		
1	don't play basketball	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
5	not participating in associated activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
15	do not play basketball	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
20	we play at buker instead	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
24	don't play BB	Mar 20, 2012 8:22 PM
26	use Gordon facilities	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
27	No children...	Mar 20, 2012 10:06 AM
30	my son is too young to play there but we plan on doing so when he is older	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM

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33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	no reason to	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Children too young	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
48	Don't play basketball	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
51	Kids too young	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	do not play	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	no one asked	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
64	Have a hop at home now.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
69	do not play	Mar 12, 2012 5:18 PM
77	Plays on travel team and uses home equipment	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
79	have our own basketball goal at home	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
83	dont play	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
86	No family members play this sport	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
93	Don't play basketball	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
94	Use home hoop	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	used it lots when kids were smaller	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
98	no basketball players in family	Mar 12, 2012 12:57 PM
105	do not play	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	used home	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Weaver Pond at Patton Park		
5	No ice	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
9	Geesel	Mar 24, 2012 8:39 PM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM

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33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
36	would have gone ice skating but the weather didn't cooperate this year!	Mar 18, 2012 9:06 AM
37	didnt turn to ice!	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
45	did not know that was the name of the Pond at Patten park	Mar 13, 2012 9:35 PM
48	No ice skating this winter	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
53	very little ice skating this winter!	Mar 13, 2012 8:32 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	older kids	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
60	?Don't know what it is	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
75	Have no idea what this is!	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
76	Geese!	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
79	have a place to skate in winter-	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
86	No ice for skating	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
90	for what use??	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
94	Not sure of purpose - what is it used for?	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	we do use it, cross country team, don't know why it's showing up here when I said yes	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
102	Not sure what this is	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
105	not intersted	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	N/A	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Pingree Park Tennis Courts		
1	don't play tennis	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	Time	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM

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3	We don't play tennis	Apr 10, 2012 12:47 PM
5	Use Patton	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
15	do not play tennis	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
16	use Pattorn Park since it is closer to where we live	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
22	Buckled up floor	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
23	Used Patton	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	no family members play	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
30	dont play tenis	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	look abandoned	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	don't play	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Play at the MAC	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
45	do not play tennis	Mar 13, 2012 9:35 PM
46	Patton closer	Mar 13, 2012 7:07 PM
48	Don't play tennis	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
49	don't play tennis	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
52	Forgot it was avaiailable	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	need tennis lessons	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
60	old? Never know when available	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
64	Same reason...We use the WVIS courts...Which should be included in the Master Plan even if they are privately owned because they are made available to the public through the generosity of WVIS.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
67	play at a club	Mar 12, 2012 6:22 PM
68	Live closer to patton	Mar 12, 2012 5:28 PM
69	not aware of these	Mar 12, 2012 5:18 PM
76	Typically go to west wenham courts as they are closer to home and rarely	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM

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	occupied.	
77	Don't play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	use Patton instead	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	have a place to play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
80	we use Patton courts	Mar 12, 2012 2:53 PM
86	Easier to go to Hamilton courts	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
93	Don't play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
94	Use Gordon courts per above	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	don't play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
97	don't play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 12:59 PM
98	tennis elsewhere	Mar 12, 2012 12:57 PM
105	do not play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	used WVIS courts	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Pingree Park Ball Fields		
2	Kids don't play baseball	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
5	not participating in associated activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
26	no family membres play	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
30	dont play ball	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
45	used it last spring but child is not doing little league this year so do not expect to use it much now	Mar 13, 2012 9:35 PM
48	Don't play baseball	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
57	use for soccer and frisbee	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
64	Again..the schedule is not published in advance, so you don't know how it fits with everything else.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
68	Kids aren't of age to play on those fields	Mar 12, 2012 5:28 PM

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69	do not play ball	Mar 12, 2012 5:18 PM
70	we use	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
77	No longer playing baseball	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	same as Patton ball fields	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
83	dont play	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
86	No family members participate in sports played here	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
94	Use these all the time!	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	my older son loves to meet his friends here for ultimate frisbee, don't know why it showed up here	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
108	not playing	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Pingree Park Playground		
6	needs some updating too!!!	Apr 5, 2012 7:26 PM
23	kids are older	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
32	no small children in household	Mar 19, 2012 4:32 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
39	Children too old	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
42	My children are older now but the playgrounds were great to have in years past!	Mar 14, 2012 12:23 PM
48	My kids have outgrown it	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	older kids	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
69	distance	Mar 12, 2012 5:18 PM
76	No longer age appropriate for my child	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Children have outgrown playground	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
94	Kids love climbing all over the playground equipment	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	my younger son does still meet friends here	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM

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Recreation Center Gymnasium		
1	didn't participate in the programs there	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
5	unaware or organized activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
8	Not familiar with it	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
17	Didn't know about it - how and when can I use it?	Mar 21, 2012 9:34 PM
25	Where is this, don't know...	Mar 20, 2012 6:04 PM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
30	was not aware of it - does it accomodate toddlers	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
36	haven't found the fitness classes to meet my schedule	Mar 18, 2012 9:06 AM
37	nothing of interest goes on there	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
44	don't know if and when it is available	Mar 14, 2012 8:28 AM
49	never identified a program there we have been interested in	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
53	use more outdoor town programs than rec ctr offered programs/indoor sports	Mar 13, 2012 8:32 AM
57	do not think about it	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
75	Is this the basketball courts?	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	never went to anything there	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	basketball program was not worth it as there were way to many kids on one court to share- need more courts or spread out the times so that there aren't too many kids using it at the same time	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
86	No family members participate in programs offered here	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
93	No Need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
94	Great for youth ball	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	don't play basketball	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
98	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 12:57 PM
105	do not play	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM

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108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Recreation Center Meeting / Activity Room		
1	didn't participate in the programs there	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
5	don't need space	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
8	no need to attend meeting	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
12	Never needed	Mar 22, 2012 4:32 PM
16	No need	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
20	never been there	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
23	Not sure of activities	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
25	Not sure where this is...	Mar 20, 2012 6:04 PM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
30	no need	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Use for what?	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
49	didn't even know it existed	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
51	Times not convenient with schedule	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
57	same	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	no reason	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	?	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
64	No programs	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
73	don't have a need for this.	Mar 12, 2012 4:17 PM
75	Did not realize there was a meeting room that could be used.	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	didn't know it was there	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM

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79	what is it used for???	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
85	No activities to go there.	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	No family members participate in programs offered here	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
94	Host neighborhood meetings here	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	no reason	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
97	no activities	Mar 12, 2012 12:59 PM
98	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 12:57 PM
102	No need, not sure where it is or what resources it has	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Recreation Center Fairhaven Field		
3	Have not heard of it	Apr 10, 2012 12:47 PM
8	not familiar with this location	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
23	kids are older	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
24	Don't know what this is	Mar 20, 2012 8:22 PM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	don't know what this is	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Don't know where it is?	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
52	No sports scheduled there	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	older kids	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
60	?	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
75	Do not know where this is.	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM

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77	Nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	not sure where this is	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	none of our sports programs use this field	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
104	not participant in organized sports that occupy that field	Mar 12, 2012 12:03 PM
105	do not play a sport there	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	N/A	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Recreation Center Playground		
8	rather go to culter or patton park	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
16	too young equipment for my kids	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
20	kids too old	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
23	kids are older	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
24	No need	Mar 20, 2012 8:22 PM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
32	no small children in household	Mar 19, 2012 4:32 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
39	Same?	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
48	My kids have outgrown it	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
52	Children are to old	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	older kids	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
60	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
75	The kids are too old for this playground.	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
76	No longer age appropriate for my child	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Children have outgrown playground	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	kids are too big	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	playground not appealing for my kids	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM

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90	utilized by other sports	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
91	kids too old	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
102	Kids are getting older	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
104	N/A children are older	Mar 12, 2012 12:03 PM
105	do not go	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	N/A	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Donovan Field		
5	not participating in associated activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
11	location unknown	Mar 23, 2012 10:07 AM
23	kids are in high school	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
30	dont know where that is	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	no reason to	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
49	have been in the past for soccer but children have been slotted elsewhere	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
57	soccer use during season	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
62	do not know the location	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	Too Far away	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
77	Do use periodically for lacrosse	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
90	utilized by Freshman soccer in Fall	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
West Wenham Field		
1	don't know where it is	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM

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2	Don't the fields	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
5	not participating in associated activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
8	Not familiar with location	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
11	location unknown	Mar 23, 2012 10:07 AM
16	don't live in Wenham	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
19	Unsure where this is	Mar 21, 2012 6:47 PM
20	where is this?	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
21	Not aware of	Mar 21, 2012 6:19 PM
22	Where? Never heard of it	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
23	kids are older	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
24	Don't know what this is	Mar 20, 2012 8:22 PM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
29	Where is it?	Mar 19, 2012 9:38 PM
30	dont know where that is	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	no reason to	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Is this Iron Rail fields? We use them.	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
40	too far	Mar 14, 2012 7:49 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
50	we live in the center of Hamilton and have easy access to Pingree and Patton	Mar 13, 2012 10:39 AM
51	Don't go over there because of the condition of tennis courts	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Don't know where they are	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
53	don't know why- habit to use others first??	Mar 13, 2012 8:32 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
58	do not feel safe alone there	Mar 12, 2012 11:08 PM

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59	where is it?	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	?	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	No parking...not well maintained...no sign...no playground	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
65	too far from home	Mar 12, 2012 6:28 PM
66	wenham only	Mar 12, 2012 6:24 PM
70	Dont know where this is	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
71	Never heard of it	Mar 12, 2012 4:53 PM
73	don't know where this field is	Mar 12, 2012 4:17 PM
75	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not convenient	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
79	have no idea where it is	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
82	No parking	Mar 12, 2012 2:32 PM
83	not close	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
84	Location. Field condition	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
85	Unsure where this is	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	No family members participate in sports played here	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
88	used other areas	Mar 12, 2012 1:31 PM
89	Patton Park is closer to my house	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
90	use fields at Iron Rail	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
91	where is it?	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
92	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 1:19 PM
93	Not close	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
95	NOT APPEALING	Mar 12, 2012 1:04 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM

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100	bad location- bad drainage	Mar 12, 2012 12:31 PM
102	Not sure where it is	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
103	not convenient	Mar 12, 2012 12:06 PM
105	do not go- full of ticks	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
106	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 11:46 AM
108	N/A	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
West Wenham Tennis Courts		
1	don't play tennis	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	Out of the way	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
5	Use Patton	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
8	not familiar with location	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
15	do not play tennis	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
16	same as above	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
20	where is this?	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
22	Where me er heard o them?...	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
23	Patton is closer	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
29	Where are they?	Mar 19, 2012 9:38 PM
30	dont know where that is	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Not our town	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
40	too far	Mar 14, 2012 7:49 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
46	Where?	Mar 13, 2012 7:07 PM
48	Don't play tennis	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM

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50	same as above	Mar 13, 2012 10:39 AM
51	??? If this is the courts off of 97 they are in tough shape	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Don't know where they are	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	where is it?	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	?	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	No parking...not well maintained...no sign...no playground	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
66	wenham only	Mar 12, 2012 6:24 PM
70	?	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
73	used other tennis courts	Mar 12, 2012 4:17 PM
77	Don't play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	use Patton instead	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	have no idea where it is	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
83	not close	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
84	Better courts elsewhere	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
85	doesn't look like it is in great shape	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	Easier to go to Hamilton courts	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
88	used other areas	Mar 12, 2012 1:31 PM
89	Patton Park is closer to my house	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
90	use courts at Wenham Tea House	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
91	too far	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
92	Near the tea house?	Mar 12, 2012 1:19 PM
93	Not close	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
95	NOT APPEALING	Mar 12, 2012 1:04 PM

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96	don't play tennis	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
100	bad location- hard to get out of the parking lot	Mar 12, 2012 12:31 PM
102	Not sure where it is/ have facilities closer to home	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
103	not convenient	Mar 12, 2012 12:06 PM
104	no need. too far away.	Mar 12, 2012 12:03 PM
105	do not go-full of ticks	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
106	Where are these?	Mar 12, 2012 11:46 AM
108	N/A	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
West Wenham Outdoor Basketball Court		
1	don't play basketball	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	Out of the way	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
5	not participating in associated activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
8	not familiar with location	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
15	do not play basketball	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
16	same as above	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
19	Unsure where this is	Mar 21, 2012 6:47 PM
20	where is this?	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
23	Patton is closer	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
24	don't play BB	Mar 20, 2012 8:22 PM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
28	Use Patton Park	Mar 20, 2012 9:34 AM
29	Where is it?	Mar 19, 2012 9:38 PM
30	dont know where that is	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware / interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Not our town	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM

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40	too far	Mar 14, 2012 7:49 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
48	Don't play basketball	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
50	same as above	Mar 13, 2012 10:39 AM
51	Don't go over there because of the condition of tennis courts	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Don't know where they are	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	where is it?	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	?	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	No parking...not well maintained...no sign...no playground	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
70	?	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
73	used other basketball court	Mar 12, 2012 4:17 PM
75	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not convenient	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	not big basketball family	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	have no idea where it is	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
83	not close	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
84	Better courts elsewhere	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
85	""	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	No family members play this sport	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
88	used other areas	Mar 12, 2012 1:31 PM
89	Patton Park is closer to my house	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
90	use court at Patton Park	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM

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91	too far	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
92	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 1:19 PM
93	Don't play basketball	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
95	NOT APPEALING NEEDS PLAY GROUND EQUIPMENT AS A DRAW	Mar 12, 2012 1:04 PM
96	Patton would be closer	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
102	not interested	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
103	not convenient	Mar 12, 2012 12:06 PM
105	do not go-full of ticks	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
106	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 11:46 AM
108	N/A	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
DPW Field		
2	?	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
5	where is it?	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
11	location unknown	Mar 23, 2012 10:07 AM
12	Do not know the location?	Mar 22, 2012 4:32 PM
19	Uncertain where this is	Mar 21, 2012 6:47 PM
20	nothing ever scheduled there for my kids	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
23	not sure where this is	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	unfamiliar with it	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
29	Where is it?	Mar 19, 2012 9:38 PM
30	dont know where that is	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	don't even know where this is	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
40	no need	Mar 14, 2012 7:49 PM
41	location unknown	Mar 14, 2012 1:02 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM

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46	Not sure where are	Mar 13, 2012 7:07 PM
51	Have closer fields that we can utilize	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Don't know where they are	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	where is it?	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	?	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
66	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 6:24 PM
72	unaware it existed	Mar 12, 2012 4:35 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
79	kids sports aren't assigned to those fields	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
84	Condition	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
85	No activities for our family	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	I didn't know DPW had a field	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
88	unaware	Mar 12, 2012 1:31 PM
91	terrible condition	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
92	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 1:19 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
102	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
104	in poor shape	Mar 12, 2012 12:03 PM
105	full of ticks do not go	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
106	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 11:46 AM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM

Iron Rail Fields

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2	Not for public use, team use only	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
3	Have not heard of it	Apr 10, 2012 12:47 PM
5	not participating in associated activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
20	nothing ever scheduled there for my kids	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
22	Please put in toilets and a playground. Here is nothing this end of Wenham. So many kids play soccer there. Should have toilets really -proper ones!	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
23	no longer have soccer fields	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	no current activity involvement	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
30	don't know where that is	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	no reason to	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
50	no soccer players currently	Mar 13, 2012 10:39 AM
51	Have closer fields that we can utilize	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	soccer use in season	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
58	my kids do not play soccer anymore so I don't go to iron rail except to see friends play	Mar 12, 2012 11:08 PM
59	parking looks scary	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	never been sent there	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	Used by youth soccer...we don't play because we don't like the travel program. Why can't we have hometown soccer?	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
77	Don't play soccer	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
79	kids sports aren't assigned to those fields	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
85	"	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	No family members participate in sports played here	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM

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93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	there all the time	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
104	not participant in organized sports that occupy that field	Mar 12, 2012 12:03 PM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
High School Fields		
1	not close to	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	NA	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
3	Played at Pingree park instead	Apr 10, 2012 12:47 PM
5	not participating in associated activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
8	we actually have used this field in baseball games	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
14	Don't have a need to go to the fields yet	Mar 22, 2012 12:19 PM
16	nothing scheduled there	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
20	nothing ever scheduled there for my kids	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
25	Didn't realize school fields were available.	Mar 20, 2012 6:04 PM
26	no current activity involvement	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
28	No sports played on them	Mar 20, 2012 9:34 AM
29	Elementary aged children	Mar 19, 2012 9:38 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
44	use Cutler instead	Mar 14, 2012 8:28 AM
49	children in elementary school	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
51	Kids are too young	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
54	no kids at the school	Mar 13, 2012 8:13 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	no need	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM

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60	"	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	Never been there. Are they open to the public? Where are they?	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Used for youth football only when conditions are pristine otherwise not allowed to play on it	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	not in HS yet	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	we do use this	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
102	Kids are in Elementary School	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
108	not needed	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Middle School Fields		
1	not close to	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	NA	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
3	Played at Pingree park instead	Apr 10, 2012 12:47 PM
5	not participating in associated activities	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
23	kids are older	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	no current activity involvement	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
29	Elementary aged children	Mar 19, 2012 9:38 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
44	use Cutler instead	Mar 14, 2012 8:28 AM
49	ditto	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
51	Kids are too young	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM

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54	no kids at the school	Mar 13, 2012 8:13 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	no need	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	"	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	Never been there. Are they open to the public? Where are they?	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
77	Nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	don't know	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
86	No family members participate in sports played here	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
90	do town sports or H.S. sports	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	we do use this	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
99	very poor condition. why are we letting these fields go to waste?	Mar 12, 2012 12:31 PM
102	Kids are in Elementary School	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
108	not needed	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Cutler School Field		
2	NA	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
23	kids are older	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	no current activity involvement	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
48	Live closer to Buker	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
51	We go to Buker, so we use Buker fields	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Kids are to old/ no sports scheduled there	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
57	older kids	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM

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60	"	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
64	Been there before, but not a favorite.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	no activity there that we participated in	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
82	Poorly maintained	Mar 12, 2012 2:32 PM
83	use buker	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
86	Don't go to elementary school fields	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
91	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
94	Use for baseball but no soccer?	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	we hang out there, across street from house	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
108	not needed	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Buker School Fields		
2	NA	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
3	Played at Pingree park instead	Apr 10, 2012 12:47 PM
23	kids are older	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	no current activity involvement	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
30	we use cutler - closer to us	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Kids teams not scheduled there	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
44	use Cutler instead	Mar 14, 2012 8:28 AM
49	at cutler and NDCC	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM

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57	older kids	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
60	"	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
77	Nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	same as Cutler	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
86	Don't go to elementary school fields	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
96	no reason to go, Cutler closer	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
108	school	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Winthrop School Fields		
3	Played at Pingree park instead	Apr 10, 2012 12:47 PM
9	Playground and fields seem uninviting / not well maintained	Mar 24, 2012 8:39 PM
23	kids are older	Mar 21, 2012 11:09 AM
26	no current activity involvement	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
30	we use cutler - closer to us	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested in sports	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not interested	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
39	Same	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
43	daughter too young	Mar 14, 2012 10:28 AM
48	Live closer to Buker	Mar 13, 2012 5:18 PM
49	ditto	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
51	We go to Buker, so we use Buker fields	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Kids are to old/ no sports scheduled there	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
57	older kids	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
60	"	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
64	Wet. Playground equipment is not very interesting	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
82	Poorly maintained	Mar 12, 2012 2:32 PM

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83	use buker	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
91	terrible condition	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	no reason to go, Cutler closer	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
108	not needed	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Hamilton Council on Aging Building		
1	not at the age	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	NA	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
4	we have young children	Apr 9, 2012 1:24 PM
8	no need to use it..	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
12	Not needed	Mar 22, 2012 4:32 PM
14	Don't have a need to go there really	Mar 22, 2012 12:19 PM
15	not age appropriate	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
16	nothing scheduled there that we participated in	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
19	nothing offered in this building that we were interested in	Mar 21, 2012 6:47 PM
20	gave flu shots there twice, but don't go there otherwise	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
25	We are not seniors.	Mar 20, 2012 6:04 PM
26	no elders in family	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
28	No activites appropriate	Mar 20, 2012 9:34 AM
30	what is there?	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
40	no need	Mar 14, 2012 7:49 PM
42	I have not been aware of programs in this location for children or young adults.	Mar 14, 2012 12:23 PM
44	not there yet :)	Mar 14, 2012 8:28 AM

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46	No interest	Mar 13, 2012 7:07 PM
49	too young	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
50	not applicable	Mar 13, 2012 10:39 AM
51	Didn't know that there was anything in the building happening for my children's age groups	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Don't know whats available for my age	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	no need	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	do not know the location	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	They don't really allow anyone but seniors to use it.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
72	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 4:35 PM
73	not needed	Mar 12, 2012 4:17 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	not the correct age	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
83	N/A	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
84	Don't know where it is	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
85	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
91	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
102	Not sure where this is or what the facilities are like - don't usually have a need for indoor facilities	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
103	is it avialable? what is there?	Mar 12, 2012 12:06 PM

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104	not participant	Mar 12, 2012 12:03 PM
105	no activity there for us	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	not needed	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Wenham Council on Aging Building		
1	not at the age	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
2	NA	Apr 10, 2012 2:32 PM
8	no need to use it	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
12	Not needed	Mar 22, 2012 4:32 PM
14	Don't have a need to go there really	Mar 22, 2012 12:19 PM
15	not age appropriate	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
16	same as above	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
19	nothing offered in this building that we were interested in	Mar 21, 2012 6:47 PM
20	never been inside	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
26	no elders in family	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
28	No activities appropriate	Mar 20, 2012 9:34 AM
29	No events appropriate for kids	Mar 19, 2012 9:38 PM
30	what is there?	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Not our town	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
40	no need	Mar 14, 2012 7:49 PM
41	no desired activities here	Mar 14, 2012 1:02 PM
42	We do not have an elderly family member at this time.	Mar 14, 2012 12:23 PM
44	not there yet :)	Mar 14, 2012 8:28 AM
46	Nothing there of interest	Mar 13, 2012 7:07 PM
49	too young	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM

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50	not applicable	Mar 13, 2012 10:39 AM
51	Didn't know that there was anything in the building happening for my children's age groups	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Don't know where it is/ Don't know whats available for my age	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	no need	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
65	no need	Mar 12, 2012 6:28 PM
72	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 4:35 PM
73	not needed	Mar 12, 2012 4:17 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	not the correct age	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	n/a	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
83	N/A	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
84	Dont know field	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
85	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	Not aware of any activities offered here	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
91	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
102	Not sure where this is or what the facilities are like - don't usually have a need for indoor facilities	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
104	not participant	Mar 12, 2012 12:03 PM
105	no activity there for us	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	not needed	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM

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Gordon College		
1	not close to	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
5	What facilites are open to residents?	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
20	nothing ever scheduled there for my kids	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
25	I did not know there was recreation available there.	Mar 20, 2012 6:04 PM
30	do they have family activities?	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
31	Did not know we can use it...thought it was a college facility...would like more info as to how to use it	Mar 19, 2012 7:19 PM
33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
44	have never checked into it	Mar 14, 2012 8:28 AM
49	would go there if found a match program for my children	Mar 13, 2012 11:01 AM
52	Don't know whats available for my age	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
70	They don't do anything for the people or kids of the town. Boo on them.	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Youth lacrosse program does use their turf field in the spring	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	don't know what's available	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
104	not participant	Mar 12, 2012 12:03 PM
105	no activity there for us	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM

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Gordon College Bennett Center		
1	not close to	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
5	What facilities are open to residents?	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
11	cost	Mar 23, 2012 10:07 AM
15	do not have a membership	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
20	nothing ever scheduled there for my kids	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
22	You should have town swim here. Not a club but family swim with lessons available - open swim.	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
25	same as above.	Mar 20, 2012 6:04 PM
30	do they have family activities?	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
31	Did not know we can use it....thought it was a college facility..would like more info as to how to use it	Mar 19, 2012 7:19 PM
33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	No longer members now use Hamilton Club	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
44	have never checked into it	Mar 14, 2012 8:28 AM
45	my daughter uses the pool	Mar 13, 2012 9:35 PM
54	kids no longer in swim team there	Mar 13, 2012 8:13 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	no need	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	Hours for swimming are too limited same for walking club. Can't use other facilities.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
79	only to drop kids off for Gordon camps	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM

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93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	high school swim team practice there, we do use it	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
105	no activity there for us	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Chebacco Woods		
1	don't have time	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
5	What facilities are open to residents?	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
8	not familiar with the location and trails	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
12	Wish to, just havent visited as of yet	Mar 22, 2012 4:32 PM
14	Usually go to woods close to our house	Mar 22, 2012 12:19 PM
22	Need bike trail	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
30	dont know where that is	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	have other trails closer to house	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
40	no need	Mar 14, 2012 7:49 PM
46	Ticks	Mar 13, 2012 7:07 PM
51	Kids are too young	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Don't know whats available for my age	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
54	I do not like it there	Mar 13, 2012 8:13 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
58	do not go alone	Mar 12, 2012 11:08 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
83	no need	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
84	Time	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM

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87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
90	??	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
91	ticks	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
94	One of the greatest kept secrets in Wenham - mountain bike and run these all of the time!	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
101	Just havent	Mar 12, 2012 12:16 PM
102	Use Bradley Palmer and Appleton Farms - closer to home	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
105	no activity there for us	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Cedar Pond		
1	don't know where it is	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
5	Where is it?	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
8	not familiar with location	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
12	Unsure where located	Mar 22, 2012 4:32 PM
14	Usually go to pond by our house at Gordon College	Mar 22, 2012 12:19 PM
15	not close to our house	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
19	Unsure which is Cedar pond	Mar 21, 2012 6:47 PM
22	Need bike trail and walking trail around	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
24	Don't know what this is	Mar 20, 2012 8:22 PM
25	Worried about ticks.	Mar 20, 2012 6:04 PM
26	We live within walking distance of Chebacco Lake.	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
28	No ice skating this year	Mar 20, 2012 9:34 AM
29	Where is it?	Mar 19, 2012 9:38 PM
33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM

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37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
40	where is this?	Mar 14, 2012 7:49 PM
41	location unknown	Mar 14, 2012 1:02 PM
46	Do not know where is	Mar 13, 2012 7:07 PM
51	Kids are too young	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Don't know where it is/ Don't know whats available for my age	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
54	no idea where it is	Mar 13, 2012 8:13 AM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	where?	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM
60	?	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	Too many ticks!!!	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
70	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
75	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 4:00 PM
76	Have not participated in an activity/program that utilized this facility/location	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	just don't use it	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	don't know much about it	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
83	no need	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
84	No time	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
85	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	Not sure where this is and what is available there	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
88	where?	Mar 12, 2012 1:31 PM
89	Didn't know about it.	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
90	??	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM

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91	don't know	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
92	Where is it?	Mar 12, 2012 1:19 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
101	Just havent	Mar 12, 2012 12:16 PM
102	Not sure where this is	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
105	no activity there for us	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
106	Where is this?	Mar 12, 2012 11:46 AM
108	Used Pleasant Pond and Chebacco	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Pleasant Pond		
1	don't know where it is	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
5	Where is it?	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
14	Usually go to pond by our house at Gordon College	Mar 22, 2012 12:19 PM
15	not close to our house	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
16	don't know much about it	Mar 22, 2012 7:28 AM
22	Need a bike and walking trail	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
26	We live within walking distance of Chebacco Lake.	Mar 20, 2012 1:53 PM
28	No ice skating this year	Mar 20, 2012 9:34 AM
30	dont know where that is	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM
39	Not our town	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
52	Don't know where it is/ Don't know whats available for my age	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
54	never been there - do not have pass	Mar 13, 2012 8:13 AM
57	use during the summer	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
59	heard there were leaches	Mar 12, 2012 10:04 PM

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62	away from home	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	just don't use it	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	don't know much about it	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
84	Better places to go	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
85	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	Didn't think people were allowed to swim here	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
91	don't know	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
94	Area could use some new sand and raking	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
96	nothing scheduled there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
102	We go to the pond behind Gordon College or to the beach	Mar 12, 2012 12:12 PM
103	the bacteria levels scare me...and it needs a dock	Mar 12, 2012 12:06 PM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Donovan / Sagamore Trail		
1	don't know where it is	Apr 11, 2012 8:39 PM
5	Where is it?	Apr 5, 2012 8:32 PM
8	not familiar with location	Apr 2, 2012 10:40 AM
19	haven't walked those trails before	Mar 21, 2012 6:47 PM
20	just haven't gotten around to it	Mar 21, 2012 6:34 PM
22	Where	Mar 21, 2012 3:49 PM
25	Don't know what this is.	Mar 20, 2012 6:04 PM
30	dont know where that is	Mar 19, 2012 8:44 PM
33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
35	not aware	Mar 18, 2012 7:39 PM
37	""	Mar 16, 2012 4:05 PM

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40	where is this?	Mar 14, 2012 7:49 PM
46	No sport there	Mar 13, 2012 7:07 PM
51	Not even sure where this is	Mar 13, 2012 10:16 AM
52	Don't know whats available for my age	Mar 13, 2012 9:47 AM
56	Don't know about it.	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	n/a	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
58	do not go hiking alone	Mar 12, 2012 11:08 PM
60	?	Mar 12, 2012 10:01 PM
62	do not know the location	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
64	No sign, too far.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
70	looking forward to hiking it this year	Mar 12, 2012 5:12 PM
76	Typically hike outside of the area	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Not interested	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
78	not sure where this is	Mar 12, 2012 3:32 PM
79	don't know about it	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
83	no need	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
84	No time	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
85	Use different trails. Too many ticks.	Mar 12, 2012 1:49 PM
86	Didn't realize this was opened	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
87	no need	Mar 12, 2012 1:37 PM
88	would like to but unaware need maps	Mar 12, 2012 1:31 PM
89	bugs and mosquitos - only go to Donovan when we have a sports related activity	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
90	??	Mar 12, 2012 1:28 PM
91	no reason	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
92	Don't know of this trail.	Mar 12, 2012 1:19 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	my husband walks there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM

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103	what is this?	Mar 12, 2012 12:06 PM
105	no activity there for us	Mar 12, 2012 11:50 AM
106	Where is this? What can we use it for- hiking? biking?	Mar 12, 2012 11:46 AM
108	unaware	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM
Bradley Palmer State Park		
15	not close to our house	Mar 22, 2012 7:45 AM
33	not interested	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
39	You should include Grass Rides at Appleton Farm and walks on Patton Green Meadows Farm	Mar 15, 2012 8:27 PM
47	ticks	Mar 13, 2012 7:04 PM
56	No need	Mar 13, 2012 7:26 AM
57	use year round	Mar 13, 2012 6:51 AM
64	Not sure why. We used to go there a lot. But just have not this year.	Mar 12, 2012 6:50 PM
76	Typically hike outside of the area	Mar 12, 2012 3:52 PM
77	Periodically use trail system for mountain biking	Mar 12, 2012 3:50 PM
79	rarely use it.	Mar 12, 2012 3:10 PM
80	don't like that when even in the woods your dog has to be leashed	Mar 12, 2012 2:53 PM
83	no need	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
84	No time	Mar 12, 2012 2:19 PM
88	need maps	Mar 12, 2012 1:31 PM
93	No need	Mar 12, 2012 1:17 PM
96	my husband walks there	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
108	used	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM

10. In general, what is your perception of the ADEQUACY and AVAILABILITY of athletic fields in Hamilton and Wenham?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Generally well maintained, safe, and in good condition		80.2%	251
Generally marginal condition, barely acceptable/usable		18.8%	59
Generally poor condition, often unusable		1.0%	3
		answered question	313
		skipped question	77

11. One of the ways to extend the use of existing fields is to provide athletic field lighting. The following fields are currently lighted to some extent: Patton Park Little League, Patton Park Tennis & Basketball. In general, what is your opinion about the possible installation of additional athletic lighting at any of the currently unlit facilities?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Strongly in favor		41.8%	133
Somewhat in favor, if it is the best option to meet field needs		44.0%	140
Somewhat opposed		8.8%	28
Strongly opposed		5.3%	17
		answered question	318
		skipped question	72

12. One of the ways to improve field condition and availability is the use of infilled synthetic turf. In general, what is your opinion about the possible installation of a synthetic turf field?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Strongly in favor		25.7%	79
Somewhat in favor, if it is the best option to meet field needs		38.1%	117
Somewhat opposed		24.8%	76
Strongly opposed		11.4%	35
answered question			307
skipped question			83

13. If you favor consideration of a synthetic turf field, where do you think it should be installed to best meet community needs?

	Response Count
	118
answered question	118
skipped question	272

Page 11, Q13. If you favor consideration of a synthetic turf field, where do you think it should be installed to best meet community needs?

1	in fields that are mostly dirt	Apr 11, 2012 2:39 PM
2	High School	Apr 10, 2012 2:35 PM
3	High School	Apr 9, 2012 8:47 AM
4	Best to locate either 1) at the High School / Middle School, where teams can make maximum use of the space; or 2) at Patton Park or Pingree Park, where it would be centrally located.	Apr 5, 2012 8:35 PM
5	The field outside the library/rec center.	Apr 2, 2012 6:29 PM
6	pingree park	Apr 2, 2012 10:42 AM
7	Donavan	Mar 29, 2012 11:01 AM
8	wherever it can fit. It is definitely needed. The Patton land would be great!	Mar 28, 2012 7:23 AM
9	High School or one of the in-town parks. Or wherever there is the best space for largest surface allowing for most use.	Mar 26, 2012 3:52 PM
10	high school	Mar 26, 2012 12:44 PM
11	Iron Rail	Mar 25, 2012 3:04 PM
12	High School Football Field	Mar 23, 2012 2:10 PM
13	The community doesn't need synthetic turf.	Mar 23, 2012 10:09 AM
14	indoors	Mar 23, 2012 8:35 AM
15	All fields if possible.. Especially at the schools.	Mar 22, 2012 12:23 PM
16	Patton and Pingree park ball fields.	Mar 22, 2012 12:21 PM
17	High School. Proposed patton property. Iron Rail	Mar 22, 2012 9:57 AM
18	high school	Mar 22, 2012 9:38 AM
19	not sure	Mar 22, 2012 9:27 AM
20	high school football field	Mar 22, 2012 9:17 AM
21	I just worry about the cost and wonder if funds could be used more effectively.	Mar 21, 2012 10:38 PM
22	High School field	Mar 21, 2012 9:59 PM
23	Patton pk if it has to be done	Mar 21, 2012 9:12 PM
24	Field with most use,or those with challenging maintenance issues. Donovan fields are in tough shape.	Mar 21, 2012 9:02 PM
25	2 Fields at the high school - one on the varsity football field, the other behind the	Mar 21, 2012 7:45 PM

Page 11, Q13. If you favor consideration of a synthetic turf field, where do you think it should be installed to best meet community needs?

	football field.	
26	Unsure	Mar 21, 2012 6:48 PM
27	Pingree park	Mar 21, 2012 6:20 PM
28	Pingree PArk	Mar 21, 2012 6:06 PM
29	Get rid of the clover on Pingree park soccer fields the surface is sloppy because of the density and thickness of the clover causing more slips and sprains. Also under the clover leaves is home to an infestation of Mosquitos. The fields at Pingree were unplayable in he evenings because of the amount of Mosquitos coming up from under the clove. I pulled my kid from soccer because of west Nile worries and the unnecessary density of Mosquitos was a health hazard. A carpet of clover is not an acceptable surface for soccer despite whatever beneficts of nitrogen fixing in th soil. Nor is it acceptabl in a children's park because if the favorable environment it provides to mosquitos by giving them a shaded an moist habitat to thrive in.	Mar 21, 2012 3:57 PM
30	High School with lights	Mar 21, 2012 11:11 AM
31	High School	Mar 20, 2012 10:19 PM
32	High school fields	Mar 20, 2012 8:27 PM
33	Iron Rail or Donovan	Mar 20, 2012 6:54 PM
34	There should be one field that is weather independent in the system - high school	Mar 20, 2012 9:35 AM
35	I don't favor synthetic playing surfaces	Mar 19, 2012 9:39 PM
36	High School. but only if they allow full access to town sports (for example, they limit the number of youth football games that can be played on the current field per weekend - this is frustrating to the one team that gets pushed to the back field instead of the main field). As a taxpayer, I feel the youth programs should have full access to the High School main field (if the HS is not using it at the time).	Mar 19, 2012 8:36 PM
37	High school	Mar 19, 2012 5:04 PM
38	high school	Mar 19, 2012 4:29 PM
39	not sure	Mar 19, 2012 4:15 PM
40	High School and at least one public field. A good example is to look at how Manchester by the Sea set up Brook St and the new middle/high school.	Mar 19, 2012 3:50 PM
41	HIGH SCHOOL	Mar 18, 2012 3:11 PM
42	where ever the geese tend to populate b/c I know the goose poop is an issue and that would/should solve that problem.	Mar 18, 2012 7:34 AM

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43	I really can't say	Mar 17, 2012 9:17 PM
44	Middle/High School.	Mar 16, 2012 1:39 AM
45	Pingrey and Patton Parks, Iron Rail and Donovan Fields where they might be lighted without disturbing neighbors.	Mar 15, 2012 8:34 PM
46	High School	Mar 14, 2012 9:34 PM
47	At the high school.	Mar 14, 2012 8:01 PM
48	Clark fields	Mar 14, 2012 6:24 PM
49	On the fields that are most widely used by many teams.	Mar 14, 2012 12:26 PM
50	Near center of town if possible, Pingree park.	Mar 14, 2012 9:07 AM
51	where ever it makes economic sense and meets field needs.	Mar 14, 2012 8:43 AM
52	Not sure. Patton park?	Mar 13, 2012 10:18 PM
53	Field by Library	Mar 13, 2012 9:37 PM
54	Black,Cheeseman, Patton fields	Mar 13, 2012 7:11 PM
55	highschool football	Mar 13, 2012 7:06 PM
56	High school perhaps	Mar 13, 2012 4:54 PM
57	at the high school	Mar 13, 2012 2:07 PM
58	High School	Mar 13, 2012 1:39 PM
59	This is a very expensive option. If money were no object I would say "go for it". But given school budget restrictions I would rather see this 7-figure nut go to academics.	Mar 13, 2012 11:03 AM
60	Patton Park	Mar 13, 2012 10:20 AM
61	Pingree park/Cheesman fields	Mar 13, 2012 10:18 AM
62	High School	Mar 13, 2012 9:53 AM
63	High school!~	Mar 13, 2012 8:38 AM
64	High school makes the most sense.	Mar 13, 2012 8:35 AM
65	Patton & Black fields. Donovan - maybe.	Mar 13, 2012 7:28 AM
66	High School/middle school complex. Though Iron Rail is a fabulous field for soccer, the upkeep could be minimized if a turf field was placed there as an alternative or addition to the fields that are maintained there.	Mar 13, 2012 7:06 AM

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67	Iron Rail or High School	Mar 13, 2012 6:59 AM
68	do not like it, it makes the fields hotter and more injury prone	Mar 13, 2012 6:52 AM
69	High School	Mar 13, 2012 6:43 AM
70	not sure about this material	Mar 12, 2012 11:09 PM
71	The new Patton land	Mar 12, 2012 10:44 PM
72	High School football feild	Mar 12, 2012 9:42 PM
73	Iron rail	Mar 12, 2012 9:29 PM
74	Fairhaven or Pattern Park	Mar 12, 2012 9:11 PM
75	Whole sport complex. Maybe Patton park? New Patton land	Mar 12, 2012 8:49 PM
76	Ironrail	Mar 12, 2012 6:31 PM
77	high school	Mar 12, 2012 6:27 PM
78	At the high school it has the most parking and that field was never done right when they remodeled In 1997	Mar 12, 2012 5:31 PM
79	Some of the fields are good. Others are always muddy and rough. I like real grass, but playing in mud is not fun	Mar 12, 2012 5:14 PM
80	Not sure	Mar 12, 2012 5:03 PM
81	High School	Mar 12, 2012 4:55 PM
82	Pingree, patton or both	Mar 12, 2012 4:51 PM
83	high school	Mar 12, 2012 4:37 PM
84	Wherever it is most needed!	Mar 12, 2012 4:02 PM
85	High School football field with lights. It is a joke this was not done when the opportunity presented itself a number of years ago, unfortunately the town buckled under pressure of neighbors.	Mar 12, 2012 3:53 PM
86	Should be installed on whatever fields get the most use.	Mar 12, 2012 3:33 PM
87	don't know	Mar 12, 2012 3:18 PM
88	not sure- don't know all of the fields well enough to answer- but the fields could be improved and if maintenance can't keep up with grass cutting etc, this is the way to go	Mar 12, 2012 3:12 PM
89	Patton Property	Mar 12, 2012 2:56 PM
90	Patton Park or Pingree Park or when available, The Patton Family fields.	Mar 12, 2012 2:55 PM

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91	Iron rail	Mar 12, 2012 2:49 PM
92	Don't know but have used	Mar 12, 2012 2:48 PM
93	HIGH SCHOOL!! Must also have lights	Mar 12, 2012 2:33 PM
94	patton park high school	Mar 12, 2012 2:22 PM
95	High school, iron rail, or Patton estate	Mar 12, 2012 2:21 PM
96	Donovan	Mar 12, 2012 1:55 PM
97	At the high school	Mar 12, 2012 1:50 PM
98	Land availability dependent, currently, Iron Rail or Pingree, new land on Highland if feasible, the High School?	Mar 12, 2012 1:32 PM
99	Iron Rail	Mar 12, 2012 1:31 PM
100	at the High School	Mar 12, 2012 1:30 PM
101	high school, Iron Rail anywhere it can also be LIT! we need 2 fields	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
102	Iron Rail Multipurpose/multiple fields with lighting to accomodate Friday night hiigh school football and other sports especially Lax and soccer. Would need to be able to expand the parking.High school usage could generate revenue.	Mar 12, 2012 1:18 PM
103	High school - football teams could share with youth football team	Mar 12, 2012 1:11 PM
104	iron rail fields. anywhere that fields are damaged by rain	Mar 12, 2012 1:03 PM
105	Patton Park? or Iron Rail? High School probably best	Mar 12, 2012 12:59 PM
106	DPW	Mar 12, 2012 12:47 PM
107	Thank goodness you are looking into this. To start with, the High School football field should absolutely be turf. That field is essentially useless as a grass field due to the poor drainage/upkeep. Making this turf would dramatically increase the use of the field and to almost year round and for many sports. It obviously also has parking. Lighting it would make complete sense. I will not comment on other options because I am not informed enough as to the options/obstacles of other locations.	Mar 12, 2012 12:43 PM
108	At the High School	Mar 12, 2012 12:42 PM
109	iron rail	Mar 12, 2012 12:41 PM
110	Patton Park	Mar 12, 2012 12:40 PM
111	how can we afford this??	Mar 12, 2012 12:36 PM
112	installed at the High School with lights	Mar 12, 2012 12:34 PM

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113	pingree park & iron rail	Mar 12, 2012 12:28 PM
114	HWRHS	Mar 12, 2012 12:04 PM
115	iron rail fields	Mar 12, 2012 11:53 AM
116	I favor a syntheric turf field but I don't know where it would best to install. I would need more information form "expert users" and filed people.	Mar 12, 2012 11:52 AM
117	The fields with the least drainage.	Mar 12, 2012 11:48 AM
118	High School	Mar 9, 2012 10:19 AM

14. What age demographic do you fall into?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Teenagers (13-18)		2.8%	9
Young Adults (19-30)		0.9%	3
Adults (30-70)		93.4%	297
Elders (70+)		2.8%	9
answered question			318
skipped question			72

15. What Recreational Programs would you like to see added in the coming years?

	Response Count
	131
answered question	131
skipped question	259

16. What are three (3) new or improved recreational facilities that you would like to see in Hamilton and/or Wenham?

		Response Percent	Response Count
1.		100.0%	171
2.		73.7%	126
3.		49.1%	84
answered question			171
skipped question			219

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1	More exceptence/ inclusion in the current programs of kids with disabilities !	Apr 10, 2012 2:39 PM
2	I don't feel I can comment on that since we've only been here for under six weeks. However we've been VERY pleasantly surprised by the amount of options for outdoor activities in Hamilton-Wenham. It's actually one of the major factors in our deciding to move here.	Apr 10, 2012 12:50 PM
3	School vacation coverage.	Apr 9, 2012 7:56 PM
4	Softball for Girls	Apr 9, 2012 8:48 AM
5	A better playground in the heart of Hamilton - Patton Park area Pool area needs massive improvements - updated bathrooms would be great We (my mother friends) and I find ourselves going to other towns to use their playgrounds i.e. ipswich pirate playground, beverly cove newer playground, beverly's school for the blind playground etc... would be nice to have a kick-ass playground in town!!!	Apr 5, 2012 7:29 PM
6	Cooking for adults and other programs scheduled for weekends or after work hours. Many library programs are held during the day when some people are at wok.	Apr 4, 2012 8:00 PM
7	Ping Pong	Apr 4, 2012 12:29 PM
8	I think you have done a great job adding new programs to the rec center. I would like continued classes added for adults.	Apr 2, 2012 6:30 PM
9	kids yoga. spanish lessons for elementary school children.	Apr 2, 2012 10:42 AM
10	Women's softball	Mar 31, 2012 10:29 AM
11	none	Mar 28, 2012 7:23 AM
12	more fields for existing programs	Mar 26, 2012 12:45 PM
13	Bird watching, preferably along the new Rail Trail (Wenham) and in other locations. The town could probably work with the Ipswich River Audubon organizaion on this.	Mar 23, 2012 10:15 AM
14	None	Mar 23, 2012 8:35 AM
15	More Yoga!!	Mar 22, 2012 11:23 PM
16	I would like to see the Town beach on Chebacco Rd. reopened. It used to be a very nice beach before the Town closed it and let it go. There is a weed barrier in place under the water that the Town and State paid for at the same time that the one was installed at Centennial Grove beach in Essex, (this beach area is a real asset to the Town of Essex). The Town installed a "no swimming" sign many years ago to cover themselves after a drowning because there wasn't a "no lifeguard on duty " sign. Some people think the sign means that the water quality isn't safe but that is not the case. Quite a few people still use the beach in the summer along with boaters coming over from the nearby State boat ramp. The Chebacco Lake and Watershed Assn. volunteers to clean up the whole area twice a year. The editorial in today's H-W Chronicle (3/22/12) states that Pleasant Pond is the "only solution" to a beach in Hamilton. Townspeople should	Mar 22, 2012 1:09 PM

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	be able to have access to both swimming areas. Not everyone wants to swim in a chlorinated pool or can get there when the Patton Park pool is open to the public.	
17	More sports and activities, a wider range.	Mar 22, 2012 12:24 PM
18	Yoga, boating/canoeing, tennis league, girls softball, adult softball.	Mar 22, 2012 12:22 PM
19	more exercise programs that are held after 5P.M. Evening classes would be great. A boot camp would be great.	Mar 22, 2012 9:28 AM
20	we need more fields for town sports. Lacrosse depends on Hamilton residents to offer their private land for use. we can't continue to think this will be an option. we need more fields!!!	Mar 22, 2012 9:18 AM
21	skateboarding for young children	Mar 22, 2012 7:30 AM
22	More choices for younger children (i.e. kindergarten and first grade), especially on Wednesday afternoons.	Mar 21, 2012 10:40 PM
23	Cycling and trail running	Mar 21, 2012 9:36 PM
24	I think alot could be improved with the Patton Park Pool - we have the possibility of a fabulous pool site if it were redone and many families would benefit.	Mar 21, 2012 9:34 PM
25	Adult softball	Mar 21, 2012 9:02 PM
26	Softball at the high school level	Mar 21, 2012 7:19 PM
27	Shooting	Mar 21, 2012 7:08 PM
28	Skateboard program,park for skateboarding, and bike path	Mar 21, 2012 6:20 PM
29	art programs horse riding outdoor crafts	Mar 21, 2012 6:07 PM
30	inclusion of youth with disabilities in the regular recreational programs, NOT separate programing	Mar 21, 2012 5:51 PM
31	The pool was built in the 70s by a visionary for the community. Now it needs to be reenvisioned for the current and future community before it falls in to irretrievable disrepair and great losss to future generations of children who live surrounded by ponds rivers and lakes, where the education system fails to teach it's children to swim. The park program over the summer and the swim team play a huge role in keeping hundreds of kids safe in our community.plus swim team gives a chance for all kids of whatever ability to enjoy friendly competition with local teams whilst improving their stamina and skills. This is not available through other swim teams as they focus too much on being competitive rather than fun, so a lot of local kids who like swimming don't like the rigors and routines of the other swim clubs, who after a certain age aern't interested in you if you don't have good times and good technique - not good if you like swimming but have no where to go with a group of local kids.	Mar 21, 2012 4:09 PM
32	Dog park, expanded pool complex, X Country ski trails	Mar 21, 2012 11:12 AM

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33	Maybe just better communication for residents without children in the schools.	Mar 20, 2012 6:06 PM
34	Bicycle paths - sidewalks. It is currently unsafe to bicycle in most parts of Hamilton and Wenham.	Mar 20, 2012 1:56 PM
35	Yoga	Mar 20, 2012 10:08 AM
36	Better pool facility. More access to Bennett center.	Mar 20, 2012 9:17 AM
37	After-school programming (modeled on the program that used to be offered at Winthrop School) Fields on the Patton Estate Indoor soccer, volley ball, and/or dodge ball for kids and adults Summer tennis travel team for kids Archery Wrestling In a perfect world, a better community pool: large, all-season, salt-water, slide, diving area, and lap lanes (we'd be willing to pay an annual membership and the whole family would use it multiple times each week)	Mar 19, 2012 9:49 PM
38	I would like to see the possibility of adding more early evening adult recreation programs at the library gym besides basketball, such as futsal (indoor soccer), dodge ball and volleyball.	Mar 19, 2012 9:43 PM
39	additional programs for toddlers like gymnastics, swimming lessons, group play time, adult programs after or before hours, weekends	Mar 19, 2012 8:46 PM
40	I don't have suggestions for additions; however, consideration should be given to certain start times. Some activities start early on Wednesdays (due to the public school system hours) but this precludes participation by the children who attend private schools. These programs may not be recreational-program related (I have just seen several sports events in the paper that my children were not able to participate in because they were still in school).	Mar 19, 2012 8:38 PM
41	Walking groups	Mar 19, 2012 7:21 PM
42	more adult options	Mar 19, 2012 4:36 PM
43	None so we reduce out property taxes which are far to high	Mar 19, 2012 4:17 PM
44	new playground at patton park.	Mar 19, 2012 4:16 PM
45	A BIKING TRAIL FOR SENIORS.	Mar 19, 2012 4:13 PM
46	Mor afterschool activities for children in middle school. Currently the after care program at the Community Center isn't of age for 11-12 year old kids. There needs to be appropriate in-town programs immediately following school, with transportation so kids can get to the event while their parents work.	Mar 19, 2012 3:52 PM
47	I would like to see an improvement in the Patton Park recreation and playground. It is the focal point for the town of Hamilton and it is one of the oldest and most outdated playgrounds in the area. It's in desperate need for an upgrade. I would also like to see some town sponsored ice skating program for young kids. I have two children ages 3 and 4 and I don't find a lot of recreational opportunities sponsored through the town.	Mar 19, 2012 3:49 PM
48	Love Imagination Station - would also like to see more art / sensory -type programs for tots. There's also an "intro to sports" (or something like that),	Mar 18, 2012 7:43 PM

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which Lexington Rec and the YMCA has for 2-3 yos that I wish we had here - organized (but not super structured / age appropriate), gross motor skills, energy-buster for the winter months!

49	not sure	Mar 18, 2012 7:35 AM
50	I would like to see children with special needs accommodated for summer camp(day time camp). I recently enrolled my son in the S.T.A.R summer program last year for one EXPENSIVE week of very disappointing, ill-managed camp. I would like to see my son at the day program at Patton with a helper who could guide him along once trained. He is 9 years old and is missing out on the camp experience that his older brother has enjoyed since the age of 5.	Mar 17, 2012 9:19 PM
51	I think there should be a girls softball program - more girls sports in general	Mar 16, 2012 4:07 PM
52	Additional trail walks on Sagamore Hill and around Patton Property along the Ipswuch River and on Vineyard Hill (need collaboration of the Greenbelt) and throughout Brickends Farm to connect to Bradley Palmer trails for skiing and hiking. Canoe access to Ipswich River from Patton landing to connect to Mass Audubon property.	Mar 15, 2012 8:40 PM
53	Girls softball	Mar 15, 2012 7:54 PM
54	Evening or weekend yoga/stretching and beginning cardio	Mar 14, 2012 5:11 PM
55	It is great to have the programs that we have in place and I hope that there will be a broader range of programs for young adults and children who may want to explore more in the areas of science and technology as well as the arts.	Mar 14, 2012 12:29 PM
56	Swimming pool and bathrooms renovated, they have lost all appeal, too old and rundown	Mar 14, 2012 10:36 AM
57	I actually think we have a great amount for all ages, but we can always have more! I think in addition to improving the Patton park playground, the biggest thing we could do to enhance our community would be to expand the Patton Park pool to be a top-notch community pool, with opportunity to 'hang out' at a pool where swimming skills could be developed in addition to going to the beach, a zero entry end for toddlers and young kids where they could easily learn to swim, and provide a place for jobs for teenagers. Although we have ready access to the beach, the sell-out times for both Bradley Palmer and Cranes beach show how much need there is. Plus, it would build community!	Mar 14, 2012 10:35 AM
58	not sure	Mar 14, 2012 8:44 AM
59	I would like to see the pool at the Bennett center open for adult swim, more often. I would like the volleyball season to start earlier and end later.	Mar 14, 2012 7:47 AM
60	Running or biking clubs	Mar 13, 2012 9:38 PM
61	I would like Imagination Station to be offered in the afternoon ideally 3-5.	Mar 13, 2012 7:42 PM
62	More teen activities....they run around town bored. Pool @ Patton insufficient. Too small, poor hours, needs to be heated.	Mar 13, 2012 7:22 PM

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63	More evening and before work options for working parents	Mar 13, 2012 7:13 PM
64	skateboard park	Mar 13, 2012 7:07 PM
65	unsure	Mar 13, 2012 5:20 PM
66	Horticulture Adult fitness in early evening Are the programs held at Ham-Wen Com House separate from the Rec Dept?	Mar 13, 2012 4:57 PM
67	A hockey team at the high school level	Mar 13, 2012 2:07 PM
68	It seems that we have plenty of options. I don't see a deficit.	Mar 13, 2012 11:04 AM
69	I think older children (teenagers) need a space to gather ~ the McPherson Youth Center at the Sterling Y is fabulous! Though a facility like that might be a lofty goal, having an area to hang out, play pool or ping pong, watch movies, arts programs, etc I think would be a great opportunity for the kids.	Mar 13, 2012 10:45 AM
70	Girls softball	Mar 13, 2012 10:20 AM
71	More School Vacation programming...	Mar 13, 2012 10:19 AM
72	Things are adequate	Mar 13, 2012 9:50 AM
73	Flag football ; Field Hockey	Mar 13, 2012 9:33 AM
74	Extend the swimming pool facilities. Larger area, seating, clean bathrooms, etc. Also, how about a public paddle facility, having people sign up/pay for use.	Mar 13, 2012 9:31 AM
75	I would like to see more fencing, squash and rock climbing	Mar 13, 2012 8:34 AM
76	more women adult leagues	Mar 13, 2012 8:15 AM
77	Tennis lessons , would like to see the Bennet center pool available for more times for lap swimming	Mar 13, 2012 6:55 AM
78	More boot camps for losing weight but not at 5/6 a.m.	Mar 12, 2012 11:10 PM
79	More sewing for the kids. Adult uses of the tennis courts Foreign language You seem to be providing a variety of activities covering many interests and ages.	Mar 12, 2012 10:06 PM
80	Girls baseball would be welcome. I would rather see the resources spent on the schools possibly reinstating foreign language to the elementary schools for example. The sports fields are fine and heavily emphasised as is.	Mar 12, 2012 8:51 PM
81	I think H/W Recreational programs are great! Wonderful programs for school age children. I am very pleased with the program and available facilities.	Mar 12, 2012 8:02 PM
82	Children's music, art, and fun science classes.	Mar 12, 2012 7:56 PM
83	In-town sports teams for kids in upper elementary. Fall kick-ball league. Wed. at 1pm sports for kids. Open gym on week-ends or week nights. Use of Bennett Center expanded. Zumba. Winter-time after school program (mid-Jan to end of March).	Mar 12, 2012 6:54 PM

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84	I Would like to see Before school recreation programs and after school recreation programs.. So the children ca learn to get there bodies moving.	Mar 12, 2012 6:46 PM
85	Would love to see REC offer some instructional dance	Mar 12, 2012 6:32 PM
86	Reopen the ski hill Add a community ice rink More athletic fields Build fields and river access at the Patton estate	Mar 12, 2012 6:32 PM
87	More affordable cooking classes yoga options for all ages	Mar 12, 2012 5:43 PM
88	None right now	Mar 12, 2012 5:31 PM
89	More adult fitness programs	Mar 12, 2012 5:19 PM
90	Nothing in particular. Just a basic expansion of programs for all groups	Mar 12, 2012 5:04 PM
91	more adult offerings	Mar 12, 2012 4:37 PM
92	Bike path	Mar 12, 2012 4:11 PM
93	Pilates, more for children for longer periods of time. An affordable alternative to ice hockey programs. I would love our kids to play ice hockey but the cost is prohibitive. If the town had a program, we would do it.	Mar 12, 2012 4:03 PM
94	I believe the two towns should jointly purchase the Wenham CC (if it became available) and offer affordable golf to residents of both communities, i.e. something which spans all ages groups.	Mar 12, 2012 3:57 PM
95	I would love to see a girls night out theme. I would love to see softball. Maybe a couples dance or cooking class. And, a parent/child class for cooking and or exercise (like yoga)	Mar 12, 2012 3:34 PM
96	More organized rec programs for toddlers and young children. Maybe art classes, gymnastics, dance etc...	Mar 12, 2012 3:17 PM
97	generic game classes like dodgeball etc. more karate options would have taken fencing but kids were too young some fun math classes like the science classes at the museum of science they have a class that teaches how to make a mario brothers type game up- more fun technology classes maybe advertise cub and boy scouts thru rec dept because if you aren't in public school it is hard to learn about those programs	Mar 12, 2012 3:17 PM
98	I think the work on the bike paths is a great start, but I think we really need to finish that job. Best if they are paved and connect up to bike paths of adjoining towns. The biking here is not that safe and is a nice way to get people outside.	Mar 12, 2012 2:57 PM
99	Flag football Track and field Wrestling Program	Mar 12, 2012 2:53 PM
100	Toddler programs outdoors	Mar 12, 2012 2:49 PM
101	weekend work out classes for adults who work during the week and do not get home until evening, after 8pm	Mar 12, 2012 2:41 PM
102	More exercise classes	Mar 12, 2012 1:50 PM

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103	Exercise programs on the weekends	Mar 12, 2012 1:47 PM
104	sailing program	Mar 12, 2012 1:42 PM
105	Would love to see major improvements to the pool - my children love participating in both the patton park program and also the hurricanes swim team....even they think it's incredibly run down and due for a major overhaul...	Mar 12, 2012 1:39 PM
106	more for the pre-teen/teen age group whole family activities organized events or walks/hikes	Mar 12, 2012 1:39 PM
107	basketball court at Pingree Park; the whole park is under utilized!!! Seems like the neighbors only want for their private use. Would be ideal place for outdoor basketball. Patton Park court used a great deal and is too small. Pleasant Pond Beach should be publicized much more. Ideal for families. Should be used more and enjoyed by the community. MANY FAMILIES don't know about it!! Patton Park Pool is a great spot too.	Mar 12, 2012 1:39 PM
108	In town flag football league	Mar 12, 2012 1:34 PM
109	a more comprehensive facility for teens, both indoors and outdoors, a better pool facility, bike lanes or paths to get the OFF THE ROAD, more open gym time and open ball field time in season.	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
110	focus on providing school age kids (middle school & high school) with more intramural sports and freshman sports teams.	Mar 12, 2012 1:26 PM
111	Making use of the Public Beach at Chebacco Lake so it is more accessible. This would be a great place for residents to leave canoes and kayaks but better accessibility would help such as stairs and/or maybe a floating dock that can be pulled ashore on the beach during the winter. The Rec. Ctr. could offer sailing and a variety of water sports if this location were better utilized... after all it is public property but poorly maintained and underutilized.	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
112	I think that the offerings of programs from the Rec Dept and Youth sports is more than adequate. The issue is the limited field space and the idea of synthetic turf and lighting will alleviate a lot of the problems.	Mar 12, 2012 1:23 PM
113	- Adult hockey league and flag football league I'd rather the town use it's funds to re-grade/improve existing fields like Donovan field that have poor grading and drainage. Iron Rail (though privately owned) is a gem and a terrific example of what the town fields should strive to duplicate.	Mar 12, 2012 1:15 PM
114	girls softball	Mar 12, 2012 1:09 PM
115	I would like to see the Patton Pool improved with cleaner bathrooms, and tables and chairs around the pool. This is a beautiful park, perfect location and valuable resources to the town. Run some events there this summer -- "Bring your own BBQ" to see interest in raise awareness? Add a few picnic tables out in the field, et al. Also, I would like to use the rec ctr as a pick up p[lace for basketball this summer for teenagers?	Mar 12, 2012 1:06 PM
116	I feel that more programs could be offered to pre-K age children in the summer.	Mar 12, 2012 1:06 PM

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The Wenham Tea House accommodates that under 5 year old age group but in the past I felt that the rec programs did not have much for that age group (though I did not look closely enough at last year's summer bulletin). In the past, some great programs for younger children have been cancelled due to lack of enrollment. However, I feel that this is because of lack of advertising to that specific population as it is not easy to do so. However, using the Mother's Club mailing list/bulletin for this information is CRUCIAL since many young families of young children are not yet on the rec mailing list, are not in the public schools, and are not possibly reading the Chronicle regularly. Advertising to the local preschools may also help (Christ Church, Lil Sprouts), etc. Possibly, moving forward, the Mother's club could ask its members at sign up whether it is okay to share the email with the HW rec center- that way you would have their email list to boost its members. Another advertising source could be the library as the Children's room has wonderful programs for young children and having the librarians encourage families to contact you and submit their emails to you would also help. Related to this is the fact that it is important for the Rec Center to obtain emails of families who send their children to schools outside of the town. How to do that? Not sure exactly but just even getting the word out that such families should contact you to be put on the mailing list would help.

117	rugby	Mar 12, 2012 1:04 PM
118	More teenager programs	Mar 12, 2012 12:59 PM
119	I don't think we are lacking for Rec Programs. We are lacking in field space, utilization of existing fields and upkeep. The High School football field is one of the most obvious examples. It is essentially useless in its present grass state with poor drainage and upkeep. Making that field turf and with lights would dramatically increase its utilization and take some pressure off of other fields. Lighting the Patton big diamond baseball field and the Cheeseman little league field would also be a huge improvement. The lights on the Patton little league field and tennis court actually enhanced those locations visually. If you put turf (and lights) at the Patton big diamond baseball field you could further dramatically improve its usage. Both to other sports and making it playable in the wet spring.	Mar 12, 2012 12:53 PM
120	Meet and greet - make new friends events. Simple events - coffees, etc.. - at times that would accomodate working people - i.e. after work times or Saturday times.	Mar 12, 2012 12:50 PM
121	fitness trail with exercise stations.	Mar 12, 2012 12:42 PM
122	teen music opporunities, theatre	Mar 12, 2012 12:41 PM
123	better pool facilities, lighting at Patton Park and artificial turf at the High School	Mar 12, 2012 12:35 PM
124	women's tennis group- advanced more kids tennis groups/lessons	Mar 12, 2012 12:29 PM
125	Yoga Programs for kids/teens with Special needs Afterschool program y program is Not great	Mar 12, 2012 12:21 PM
126	I mentioned the pool earlier and I think it should be the first concern/fundraiser. I also would love to see more comminuty events...wiffle ball and picnic at pingree,	Mar 12, 2012 12:17 PM

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guided hikes, group bike rides, tennis tournaments, etc

127	Stronger tennis program with more options (e.g. beginners who are 11 years old have nowhere in town) Boating?	Mar 12, 2012 12:14 PM
128	Synthetic turf fields lights at Patton and HWRHS football field larger swimming program that would require larger pool. dedicated website for HW recreation	Mar 12, 2012 12:05 PM
129	Build and/or renovate a larger community pool with amenities. It would be great to see a large pavilion for picnics or gatherings. Adult rec soccer league Adult floor hockey league	Mar 12, 2012 11:55 AM
130	I don't know. I find that we have a lot between the school programs, the community house, rec deptment and adjacent towns.	Mar 12, 2012 11:54 AM
131	a skate park, and more adult exercise programs	Mar 12, 2012 11:32 AM

Page 14, Q16. What are three (3) new or improved recreational facilities that you would like to see in Hamilton and/or Wenham?

1.		
1	Better maintenance of our current facilities	Apr 10, 2012 2:44 PM
2	Too new of residents to answer	Apr 10, 2012 12:51 PM
3	Pingree Field	Apr 10, 2012 7:43 AM
4	Bike Path on 1A	Apr 9, 2012 7:57 PM
5	Improve the Patton Park Playground	Apr 8, 2012 12:09 PM
6	In-filled synthetic field	Apr 5, 2012 8:35 PM
7	New playground	Apr 5, 2012 7:30 PM
8	Aa beach area or pool for swimming	Apr 4, 2012 8:01 PM
9	Swimming Pool	Apr 2, 2012 6:31 PM
10	Patton park play structure	Apr 2, 2012 10:44 AM
11	More visible hours at the rec department	Mar 31, 2012 10:32 AM
12	Turf at Donovan	Mar 29, 2012 11:01 AM
13	More field space for lacrosse!!	Mar 28, 2012 7:23 AM
14	indoor skating/ice hockey rink	Mar 26, 2012 3:53 PM
15	a lighted fenced little league field	Mar 26, 2012 12:45 PM
16	More Recreational Fields e.g. Soccer	Mar 25, 2012 3:05 PM
17	Playground at Patton park	Mar 24, 2012 8:40 PM
18	Patton Pool	Mar 23, 2012 9:26 PM
19	Hockey Rink	Mar 23, 2012 2:12 PM
20	in general, bring back garbage cans and empty them once a week in the summer.	Mar 23, 2012 10:20 AM
21	marked trail system	Mar 23, 2012 8:36 AM
22	More swimming	Mar 22, 2012 11:26 PM
23	Donovan fields are alays overgrown during baseball season, calls/requests to maintain go unanswered, overgrown fields promote ticks and an abudenace of bees.	Mar 22, 2012 4:36 PM
24	Chebacco Lake beach	Mar 22, 2012 1:10 PM

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25	Better tennis courts with winter bubble for year round play.	Mar 22, 2012 12:31 PM
26	More fields for intramural sports and updated fields at the schools	Mar 22, 2012 12:27 PM
27	High School Field Turf	Mar 22, 2012 9:57 AM
28	more fields	Mar 22, 2012 9:38 AM
29	more fields	Mar 22, 2012 9:18 AM
30	More playing fields	Mar 22, 2012 8:03 AM
31	improve condition and maintenance of fields	Mar 22, 2012 7:47 AM
32	skateboard park	Mar 22, 2012 7:31 AM
33	More open gym times for kids at the rec. department	Mar 21, 2012 10:40 PM
34	Donovan Field	Mar 21, 2012 10:35 PM
35	Lights at Cheesman	Mar 21, 2012 10:00 PM
36	Cycling	Mar 21, 2012 9:36 PM
37	New and improved town pool	Mar 21, 2012 9:35 PM
38	improve the size and cleanliness of patton pool	Mar 21, 2012 9:15 PM
39	Better soccer fields	Mar 21, 2012 9:02 PM
40	Fields	Mar 21, 2012 8:34 PM
41	Bigger swimming pool?	Mar 21, 2012 8:02 PM
42	Better maintenance of Cutler and Winthrop fields	Mar 21, 2012 7:46 PM
43	Pool	Mar 21, 2012 7:09 PM
44	middle school, winthrop and cutler baseball fields are bad	Mar 21, 2012 6:38 PM
45	Improvements to Patton park playground	Mar 21, 2012 6:23 PM
46	Walking paths	Mar 21, 2012 6:21 PM
47	Bike path	Mar 21, 2012 6:21 PM
48	Patton park pool - yeah!	Mar 21, 2012 4:11 PM
49	Expanded Pool Campus	Mar 21, 2012 11:13 AM
50	Patton Park pool	Mar 20, 2012 8:28 PM
51	More fields for Lacross/Soccer	Mar 20, 2012 6:55 PM

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52	Bicycle paths	Mar 20, 2012 1:58 PM
53	More playing fields	Mar 20, 2012 9:36 AM
54	Improvements to Pleasant Pond.	Mar 20, 2012 9:18 AM
55	Additional soccer fields	Mar 19, 2012 9:51 PM
56	An all-season salt water community pool with a slide	Mar 19, 2012 9:49 PM
57	toddler play center / early learnings facility - learn whilst playing	Mar 19, 2012 8:47 PM
58	Top priority is to handle the goose problem at Patton and other fields. It is disgusting and unhealthy!	Mar 19, 2012 8:41 PM
59	Town does not have the money to do this at this time. Taxes are too high already	Mar 19, 2012 7:22 PM
60	Cutler and Winthrop school fields for general use	Mar 19, 2012 5:05 PM
61	Full use of the old Library building in Hamilton	Mar 19, 2012 4:36 PM
62	improved park at patton park	Mar 19, 2012 4:15 PM
63	Patton Park Playground	Mar 19, 2012 3:51 PM
64	pool	Mar 18, 2012 7:43 PM
65	I would like to see that bathrooms at the Patton Park pool and in the Patton Park itself be revamped.	Mar 17, 2012 9:21 PM
66	Pool - OLD/COLD disgusting. I don't want myself or kids to swim there.	Mar 16, 2012 4:08 PM
67	Exercise Gym for residence.	Mar 16, 2012 1:40 AM
68	2-3 fields on Patton Gift property	Mar 15, 2012 8:46 PM
69	improve Patton Park playground equipment	Mar 15, 2012 11:25 AM
70	Multi use field(s) that can be used for lacrosse and soccer	Mar 14, 2012 9:38 PM
71	tennis backboard (a good one) so kids/adults can practice on their own; I used to do this for hours in the summer	Mar 14, 2012 7:51 PM
72	We always need more playing fields	Mar 14, 2012 5:12 PM
73	Bike paths	Mar 14, 2012 1:04 PM
74	Programs that support and work with the horse farms and stables in our area.	Mar 14, 2012 12:35 PM
75	Swimming pool	Mar 14, 2012 10:37 AM
76	Pool	Mar 14, 2012 10:36 AM

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77	Turf field	Mar 14, 2012 9:07 AM
78	A town center/ building that offers volleyball...vs. a school that follows a schedule....we are restricted by the school.	Mar 14, 2012 7:48 AM
79	Patten Pool.... make it so part of the grass is inside the fenced area.	Mar 13, 2012 9:40 PM
80	See previous pool and lighting comments	Mar 13, 2012 7:24 PM
81	lights on high school fields	Mar 13, 2012 7:10 PM
82	Better Access to High School Fields by Youth Football	Mar 13, 2012 2:08 PM
83	Better Maintained fields in Hamilton, I live in Hamilton but use Wenham facilities, especially the rail trail.	Mar 13, 2012 1:41 PM
84	Buker and Winthrop Baseball Fields need a lot of work	Mar 13, 2012 11:21 AM
85	Upgraded playground equipment in Patton Park	Mar 13, 2012 11:05 AM
86	Patton Park Pool needs a complete overhaul	Mar 13, 2012 10:47 AM
87	Bike Trail for Essex St.	Mar 13, 2012 10:21 AM
88	The tennis courts at Pingree need resurfacing	Mar 13, 2012 10:20 AM
89	Could of built an enclosed sport plex near/ around Gordon ("Soccer etc" type) and leased to teams for funding	Mar 13, 2012 9:53 AM
90	Patton Park Swimming Pool area	Mar 13, 2012 9:31 AM
91	town hockey rink	Mar 13, 2012 8:34 AM
92	patton park pool and bathroom	Mar 13, 2012 8:16 AM
93	More baseball facilities	Mar 13, 2012 7:31 AM
94	Turf field for use by HWYSA and HWYLA	Mar 13, 2012 7:09 AM
95	racquetball courts	Mar 13, 2012 6:57 AM
96	Better times for working parents	Mar 13, 2012 5:45 AM
97	Get more maintenance crews on all baseball fields...one man cannot do it alone	Mar 12, 2012 11:11 PM
98	DPw field	Mar 12, 2012 10:45 PM
99	Pool and bathrooms	Mar 12, 2012 10:07 PM
100	work done on pool	Mar 12, 2012 10:06 PM
101	Iron Rail should be a multi sport facility	Mar 12, 2012 8:58 PM

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102	donovan	Mar 12, 2012 8:56 PM
103	More town soccer/ lacrosse fields	Mar 12, 2012 8:52 PM
104	Patton park swimming pool	Mar 12, 2012 8:03 PM
105	Do something with West Wenham...even if it's a nice sign. Install a play ground...look to connect it to JC Phillips Reserve	Mar 12, 2012 6:58 PM
106	A bigger better pool Charge a higher fee or a membership to get in	Mar 12, 2012 6:48 PM
107	Turf field	Mar 12, 2012 6:32 PM
108	ice rink	Mar 12, 2012 6:32 PM
109	lights on the baseball fields (Pingree Park and Donovan)	Mar 12, 2012 6:26 PM
110	bowling ally	Mar 12, 2012 5:43 PM
111	Lights on the high school football field	Mar 12, 2012 5:34 PM
112	In general, more inside options--eg. for dance, etc.	Mar 12, 2012 5:20 PM
113	spend some money on the bathrooms that are at the outdoor recreational facilities	Mar 12, 2012 5:16 PM
114	New pool	Mar 12, 2012 4:53 PM
115	I'd like to have less goose feces all over the parks.	Mar 12, 2012 4:52 PM
116	The pool and pool bathrooms are in desperate need. My kids don't like to swim at camp because of the bathroom	Mar 12, 2012 4:46 PM
117	Bike Paths (more wide side walks)	Mar 12, 2012 4:18 PM
118	patton park pool	Mar 12, 2012 4:05 PM
119	It would be nice to have some open gym times in the winter when the basketball courts are not being used (at the Rec Center). Parents could volunteer their time to be there. It's crazy that it is often not in use and that it can't be used. I would much rather be able for the kids to be able to shoot some hoops for an hour there rather than have to trek over to the YMCA in Beverly or Ipswich.	Mar 12, 2012 4:05 PM
120	Larger pool with improved changing facility	Mar 12, 2012 4:02 PM
121	Turf field with lights	Mar 12, 2012 3:59 PM
122	newer playing fields so teams don't have to squish into one	Mar 12, 2012 3:36 PM
123	More fields	Mar 12, 2012 3:28 PM
124	I would like the iron rail fields to be open year round to the public for recreational usage, pick up soccer, football for families	Mar 12, 2012 3:25 PM

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125	turf field	Mar 12, 2012 3:19 PM
126	some type of indoor field- I hear Beverly is going to have some and with our seasons so short that would be nice to have an indoor field facility	Mar 12, 2012 3:19 PM
127	Ice Hockey Rink	Mar 12, 2012 2:58 PM
128	Tennis courts / lighting	Mar 12, 2012 2:58 PM
129	Turf Field	Mar 12, 2012 2:53 PM
130	Additional Soccer fields	Mar 12, 2012 2:50 PM
131	Ice rink (natural or the real thing)	Mar 12, 2012 2:35 PM
132	more soccer field	Mar 12, 2012 2:23 PM
133	Cheeseman	Mar 12, 2012 2:22 PM
134	Pingree playground needs to modernized	Mar 12, 2012 2:11 PM
135	A better, safer playground at Patton Park	Mar 12, 2012 2:01 PM
136	skating rink/pond (natural, just shallower than Weaver to insure freezing under normal weather)	Mar 12, 2012 1:54 PM
137	A nice bike path	Mar 12, 2012 1:51 PM
138	Town swimming pool	Mar 12, 2012 1:43 PM
139	Basketball court at Pingree Park with lights	Mar 12, 2012 1:42 PM
140	pool improvements	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
141	it would be nice for hamilton residence to have use of pool in winter	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
142	Better bathrooms at Endicott Park, Patton pool & park. The current ones are a disgrace to our community!	Mar 12, 2012 1:39 PM
143	Better fields and more space for soccer / football ect..	Mar 12, 2012 1:33 PM
144	lights	Mar 12, 2012 1:32 PM
145	Turf FieldS	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
146	lit fields	Mar 12, 2012 1:27 PM
147	A public dock for recreational purposes on Chebacco Lake for residents who don't live on the lake.	Mar 12, 2012 1:24 PM
148	Patton Park Pool needs improvement	Mar 12, 2012 1:20 PM
149	Renovated / re-graded Donovan Field	Mar 12, 2012 1:18 PM

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150	Improved pool	Mar 12, 2012 1:13 PM
151	Basketball court with more seating for parents, safer seating or areas for young children as they are endangered by the narrow seating area.	Mar 12, 2012 1:10 PM
152	Improved town pool	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
153	light the high school field for night games	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
154	Turf and light the H.S. football field	Mar 12, 2012 12:58 PM
155	More field availability for organized team sports	Mar 12, 2012 12:48 PM
156	Multi-purpose field house	Mar 12, 2012 12:44 PM
157	more parking for the rail trail off of route 97	Mar 12, 2012 12:43 PM
158	Lights for soccer	Mar 12, 2012 12:42 PM
159	synthetic turf on High School Field	Mar 12, 2012 12:35 PM
160	turf field with lights	Mar 12, 2012 12:34 PM
161	improved pool!	Mar 12, 2012 12:29 PM
162	the baseball fields are not maintained well, surrounding towns do much better job	Mar 12, 2012 12:28 PM
163	Pool updates/shade	Mar 12, 2012 12:25 PM
164	POOL!	Mar 12, 2012 12:18 PM
165	Improve soccer fields at Donovan (parking is difficult and fields are very wet at times)	Mar 12, 2012 12:14 PM
166	Lights and synthetic fields at HWRHS	Mar 12, 2012 12:06 PM
167	Patton Park Pool	Mar 12, 2012 11:56 AM
168	west wenham fields	Mar 12, 2012 11:55 AM
169	skate park	Mar 12, 2012 11:33 AM
170	improve parking at Donovan Fields	Mar 12, 2012 11:33 AM
171	Patton Park Pool	Mar 9, 2012 10:20 AM
2.		
1	Better lake/ pond access. I.E. a dock to launch a kyac or canoe	Apr 10, 2012 2:44 PM
2	Too new of residents to answer	Apr 10, 2012 12:51 PM

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5	During soccer days at Pingree have some guidance for the older children who climb structures and jump... making it unsafe for younger children	Apr 8, 2012 12:09 PM
6	Improved Pool	Apr 5, 2012 8:35 PM
7	New rec facility with pool/indoor water slide?? would be awesome!!!	Apr 5, 2012 7:30 PM
9	Turf Field	Apr 2, 2012 6:31 PM
10	turf for baseball fields	Apr 2, 2012 10:44 AM
11	Geese problem at the pond	Mar 31, 2012 10:32 AM
12	Hockey Rink	Mar 29, 2012 11:01 AM
14	artificial turf	Mar 26, 2012 3:53 PM
15	a skate park	Mar 26, 2012 12:45 PM
17	Pool	Mar 24, 2012 8:40 PM
18	Gym/work out center	Mar 23, 2012 9:26 PM
19	improve all baseball fields with new clay and add lights and fences to Cheesman field	Mar 23, 2012 2:12 PM
21	wildlife viewing platform	Mar 23, 2012 8:36 AM
22	More tennis	Mar 22, 2012 11:26 PM
23	Discussion or research to deter Geese from patton park, all the goose poop is unsightly never mind disgusting esp during organized sports and Summer Camp	Mar 22, 2012 4:36 PM
26	More indoor space for activities, especially for winter.	Mar 22, 2012 12:27 PM
27	Lights at Cheeseman Field	Mar 22, 2012 9:57 AM
29	more fields with lights	Mar 22, 2012 9:18 AM
32	outdoor ice skating rink	Mar 22, 2012 7:31 AM
33	better playground at patton park	Mar 21, 2012 10:40 PM
34	Middle School baseball diamond	Mar 21, 2012 10:35 PM
35	Lights at High School footbal field	Mar 21, 2012 10:00 PM
36	Swimming - need a bigger/better pool	Mar 21, 2012 9:36 PM
39	Better lacross fields	Mar 21, 2012 9:02 PM
40	Parks	Mar 21, 2012 8:34 PM

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43	Park Baseball field- Babe Ruth	Mar 21, 2012 7:09 PM
44	a rope spider web type climbing structure at one of the parks	Mar 21, 2012 6:38 PM
47	Skate board park	Mar 21, 2012 6:21 PM
48	Playground at Iron Rail and Toilets	Mar 21, 2012 4:11 PM
49	Permanent Joint H-W Senior Center	Mar 21, 2012 11:13 AM
50	Patton Park playground	Mar 20, 2012 8:28 PM
52	Indoor pool	Mar 20, 2012 1:58 PM
53	Improve gyms at elementary schools	Mar 20, 2012 9:36 AM
54	Better pool and related facilities.	Mar 20, 2012 9:18 AM
55	Bike paths and well laid out walking loops through the two towns	Mar 19, 2012 9:51 PM
56	A complex of several dedicated youth soccer fields	Mar 19, 2012 9:49 PM
58	Consider properly fitting Patton out as a football field; update bathroom facilities	Mar 19, 2012 8:41 PM
59	Same as above	Mar 19, 2012 7:22 PM
60	High School	Mar 19, 2012 5:05 PM
61	Utilize the mostly unused space on the second floor of the Hamilton Police and Safety building	Mar 19, 2012 4:36 PM
62	improved pool at patton park	Mar 19, 2012 4:15 PM
63	Better fields for baseball and football.	Mar 19, 2012 3:51 PM
65	cannot comment	Mar 17, 2012 9:21 PM
66	Bathrooms /locker room at patton park (this park is used so much and is seen by people outside of town - lets show them how great we can be	Mar 16, 2012 4:08 PM
68	Trails as described above	Mar 15, 2012 8:46 PM
69	continue to address geese issue at Patton Park	Mar 15, 2012 11:25 AM
70	Safety and Spectator improvements at all baseball fields	Mar 14, 2012 9:38 PM
71	why are lights on Patton Park not on a timer? Waste of energy. Should be on a timer which can be turned on for those using the courts and reset when they go out (1/2 hour timer)	Mar 14, 2012 7:51 PM
72	Additional parks and walking trails	Mar 14, 2012 5:12 PM
74	Fun programs for children and young adults that deal with stress relief and	Mar 14, 2012 12:35 PM

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	health i.e. yoga, art, creative projects	
75	Bike path	Mar 14, 2012 10:37 AM
76	More classes and activities across all ages	Mar 14, 2012 10:36 AM
79	Hiking trails cleaned up from the many down trees the past few years	Mar 13, 2012 9:40 PM
81	lights on cheeseman field	Mar 13, 2012 7:10 PM
82	Better Maintenance of Cutler/Winthrop Fields	Mar 13, 2012 2:08 PM
86	Senior Center/Teen Center (perhaps adjacent to Pool)	Mar 13, 2012 10:47 AM
87	Bike Trail for Highland St.	Mar 13, 2012 10:21 AM
88	The pool at Patton park	Mar 13, 2012 10:20 AM
89	Above sports plex could be used for In-door sports programs year around	Mar 13, 2012 9:53 AM
90	Public paddle courts	Mar 13, 2012 9:31 AM
91	new pool at patton	Mar 13, 2012 8:34 AM
93	An alternate football field (for practice and/or games)	Mar 13, 2012 7:31 AM
94	A larger pool complex with multi level pools at Patton Park that has an expanded area of services, snack bar, dive pool, kiddy pool and adult pool. As a child the community pool complex was a central gathering point for my community and provided a great deal of revenue for the community.	Mar 13, 2012 7:09 AM
95	more adult (lap) pool availability	Mar 13, 2012 6:57 AM
96	adult classes in the evening	Mar 13, 2012 5:45 AM
97	Would be nice to get rid of the goose problem before camp starts and throughout the year	Mar 12, 2012 11:11 PM
98	Middle school	Mar 12, 2012 10:45 PM
100	patton park bathrooms worked on	Mar 12, 2012 10:06 PM
101	We should raise funds for a turf field at the High School then other fields	Mar 12, 2012 8:58 PM
102	iron rail	Mar 12, 2012 8:56 PM
103	Parking needs to be addressed at Donovan field...very DANGEROUS!!	Mar 12, 2012 8:52 PM
104	HW community center	Mar 12, 2012 8:03 PM
105	Maintenance at Pingree Park playground	Mar 12, 2012 6:58 PM
106	Looked at the Manchester Athletic Center that is what we need here in Hamilton	Mar 12, 2012 6:48 PM

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Wenham		
107	field with lights	Mar 12, 2012 6:32 PM
108	turf field	Mar 12, 2012 6:32 PM
110	movie theater	Mar 12, 2012 5:43 PM
111	Lights and new infield at the large Patton park baseball field	Mar 12, 2012 5:34 PM
114	nice soccer fields	Mar 12, 2012 4:53 PM
119	Backboards to be installed at all of the tennis courts.	Mar 12, 2012 4:05 PM
120	Improvements in turf, field fencing, restroom, boosters' store at Patton Park - bring up to similar standards as Pingree	Mar 12, 2012 4:02 PM
122	bike path	Mar 12, 2012 3:36 PM
123	Rec basketball gym	Mar 12, 2012 3:28 PM
125	lights at the fields	Mar 12, 2012 3:19 PM
126	more space for basketball teams- another gym would be incredible- to use the schools gyms would be an option	Mar 12, 2012 3:19 PM
127	Synthetic Turf Field	Mar 12, 2012 2:58 PM
128	bike paths with occasional benches and light posts along the path	Mar 12, 2012 2:58 PM
129	Rec. Center Gym Floor Re-done	Mar 12, 2012 2:53 PM
130	Artificial turf	Mar 12, 2012 2:50 PM
131	Turf and more fields overall	Mar 12, 2012 2:35 PM
132	more sports fields- baseball	Mar 12, 2012 2:23 PM
133	High school fields	Mar 12, 2012 2:22 PM
134	West Wenham should be modernized or the land sold off for development.	Mar 12, 2012 2:11 PM
135	A bigger town pool at Patton Park	Mar 12, 2012 2:01 PM
138	Playground equipment at Patton Park	Mar 12, 2012 1:43 PM
139	More publicity for Pleasant Pond; have organized swims for adults; great for Triathlon training	Mar 12, 2012 1:42 PM
140	lighted fields	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
141	more time or use of pingree rink	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM

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142	Outdoor/indoor swimming pool	Mar 12, 2012 1:39 PM
143	Some type of indoor facility for sports, such as soccer or baseball	Mar 12, 2012 1:33 PM
144	Donovan	Mar 12, 2012 1:32 PM
145	Pool	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
146	turf field	Mar 12, 2012 1:27 PM
147	A new pool.	Mar 12, 2012 1:24 PM
148	Rest rooms at the pool need to be totally overhauled	Mar 12, 2012 1:20 PM
149	Renovated town pool with greater hours at Patton Park	Mar 12, 2012 1:18 PM
150	Improved Patton park playground	Mar 12, 2012 1:13 PM
151	New field for soccer and lacrosse.	Mar 12, 2012 1:10 PM
152	lights at High School football field	Mar 12, 2012 1:08 PM
153	better playing fields for Winthrop School	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
154	Turf and light the Patton Park big diamond baseball (this would also allow for other sports to utilize this space)	Mar 12, 2012 12:58 PM
156	Youth Center	Mar 12, 2012 12:44 PM
157	extend sidewalk on 97 to join up to rail trail	Mar 12, 2012 12:43 PM
158	bigger swim pool with slide and baby pool	Mar 12, 2012 12:42 PM
159	Lights on Patton Park - Big Field	Mar 12, 2012 12:35 PM
160	new ice skating rink	Mar 12, 2012 12:34 PM
162	the bathrooms are embarrassingly unkept and disgusting	Mar 12, 2012 12:28 PM
163	Skate park/teen center	Mar 12, 2012 12:25 PM
164	POOL!	Mar 12, 2012 12:18 PM
166	Lights at Patton Park Big field	Mar 12, 2012 12:06 PM
167	Patton Park Playground	Mar 12, 2012 11:56 AM
168	dpw	Mar 12, 2012 11:55 AM
170	update playground at Pingree	Mar 12, 2012 11:33 AM
171	Community Center	Mar 9, 2012 10:20 AM

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3.

1	River access. Ipswich river	Apr 10, 2012 2:44 PM
2	Too new of residents to answer	Apr 10, 2012 12:51 PM
6	Improved Patton Playground	Apr 5, 2012 8:35 PM
7	New gym/workout facilities	Apr 5, 2012 7:30 PM
9	Batting cages or something baseball/softball related	Apr 2, 2012 6:31 PM
10	not sure what the needs are	Apr 2, 2012 10:44 AM
11	Locked mailbox to drop things off at	Mar 31, 2012 10:32 AM
14	more basketball	Mar 26, 2012 3:53 PM
15	a turf field for school and recreational use	Mar 26, 2012 12:45 PM
17	Bike paths and hiking trails	Mar 24, 2012 8:40 PM
18	Paddle tennis courts	Mar 23, 2012 9:26 PM
19	Extend hours of lighting on tennis courts past 9 pm	Mar 23, 2012 2:12 PM
21	bike trail network	Mar 23, 2012 8:36 AM
23	Improved Swimming pool and area at Patton park	Mar 22, 2012 4:36 PM
27	Turf field at Patton Property	Mar 22, 2012 9:57 AM
29	turf	Mar 22, 2012 9:18 AM
32	improved community swimming pool	Mar 22, 2012 7:31 AM
34	Lights at Cheesman	Mar 21, 2012 10:35 PM
35	Improve babe ruth diamond	Mar 21, 2012 10:00 PM
39	Hockey RInk	Mar 21, 2012 9:02 PM
40	Pool	Mar 21, 2012 8:34 PM
44	please catch the people who let their dogs poop (and then leave it) on the baseball fields... what are they thinking?	Mar 21, 2012 6:38 PM
47	Nicer swimming pool	Mar 21, 2012 6:21 PM
48	Winter safe ice skating. Bike and walking trails	Mar 21, 2012 4:11 PM
49	Ice Rink	Mar 21, 2012 11:13 AM

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54	More activities for preschoolers.	Mar 20, 2012 9:18 AM
55	Community pool	Mar 19, 2012 9:51 PM
56	A lighted outdoor all-court surface that would suitable for basketball, futsal, volleyball, street hockey, fitness training, etc.	Mar 19, 2012 9:49 PM
58	Fix the bleacher positioning at Cheeseman (Pingree Field) so that spectators can see home plate	Mar 19, 2012 8:41 PM
59	Same as above	Mar 19, 2012 7:22 PM
63	Some sort of gym or indoor activities for young children during the winter months.	Mar 19, 2012 3:51 PM
65	cannot comment	Mar 17, 2012 9:21 PM
66	Bathroom facilities at Pingree Park	Mar 16, 2012 4:08 PM
68	Swimming pool facility at Patton property might be enlarged for use of Hamilton families	Mar 15, 2012 8:46 PM
69	Synthetic surface at Patton Park playground	Mar 15, 2012 11:25 AM
70	More indoor gym facilities	Mar 14, 2012 9:38 PM
71	open gym time in rec for neighborhood kids	Mar 14, 2012 7:51 PM
74	I support the upkeep and work that is done to preserve the playing fields we have and look for more.	Mar 14, 2012 12:35 PM
81	improvements to donavan field	Mar 13, 2012 7:10 PM
82	Lights @ All Little League Fields	Mar 13, 2012 2:08 PM
87	Kayaking Dock on Becks Pond	Mar 13, 2012 10:21 AM
88	Overhaul of the West Wenham park	Mar 13, 2012 10:20 AM
89	"Soccer etc" is dated and run down... Danvers plex may have grabbed the market	Mar 13, 2012 9:53 AM
93	Upgrade of baseball field/facilities at Donovan	Mar 13, 2012 7:31 AM
95	more fields that are in good condition but not off limits for impromptu, non organized sport activity	Mar 13, 2012 6:57 AM
97	The bathroom by the public pool is SO DISGUSTING! Please re build this...GROSS	Mar 12, 2012 11:11 PM
98	Winthrop	Mar 12, 2012 10:45 PM
101	Soccer should bve a fall sport and give up Iron Rail for lacrosse in the spring (l	Mar 12, 2012 8:58 PM

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	am a baseball parent, not a lacrosse parent!)	
103	A whole town sport complex	Mar 12, 2012 8:52 PM
105	Install an indoor pool at the HS that could be used by the public in the summer, weekends, and the like. OR Do something to improve water quality in late summer at Pleasant Pond.	Mar 12, 2012 6:58 PM
107	better maintained baseball fields	Mar 12, 2012 6:32 PM
108	squash courts	Mar 12, 2012 6:32 PM
110	teen center	Mar 12, 2012 5:43 PM
111	Better field maintenance at all fields Hamilton and wenham	Mar 12, 2012 5:34 PM
114	more lights	Mar 12, 2012 4:53 PM
120	Better literature on hiking and cross country trails in the areas	Mar 12, 2012 4:02 PM
122	better bathroom facilities at Patton (esp for the pool)	Mar 12, 2012 3:36 PM
123	Turf fields	Mar 12, 2012 3:28 PM
126	get fields sprayed by mosquito squad to prevent bugs from being awful on the fields	Mar 12, 2012 3:19 PM
127	Continue to maintain trails in and around H/W for running/hiking/biking/xcountry skiing	Mar 12, 2012 2:58 PM
131	Upgrade at Donovan	Mar 12, 2012 2:35 PM
133	Donovan	Mar 12, 2012 2:22 PM
134	Additional upgrades at Pleasant Pond Rec Area.	Mar 12, 2012 2:11 PM
135	A gymnasium open to toddlers/young children in the afternoon hours (i.e. 3-5pm).	Mar 12, 2012 2:01 PM
138	Ice skating at Weaver Pond	Mar 12, 2012 1:43 PM
140	additional playground equipment at various sports fields - would help while younger siblings are watching older players.	Mar 12, 2012 1:40 PM
142	skateboarding/rollerblading area	Mar 12, 2012 1:39 PM
143	Skating area	Mar 12, 2012 1:33 PM
144	Highland Street/Patton estate	Mar 12, 2012 1:32 PM
145	teen facility	Mar 12, 2012 1:29 PM
146	outdoor education	Mar 12, 2012 1:27 PM

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147	More water sports.	Mar 12, 2012 1:24 PM
149	An improved pleasant pond beach area	Mar 12, 2012 1:18 PM
151	Smaller (even plastic) play structures to occupy children closer to some of the baseball fields so that parents can watch their older children play yet still keep a close enough eye on their younger children playing (especially after last year's scare of a near kidnapping near Patton). An extra few play structures down on the Union Street side of Pingree Field would be great as the Pingree field is so very far away from that field.	Mar 12, 2012 1:10 PM
153	make wenham lake open to sailing and non-motor boats	Mar 12, 2012 1:01 PM
154	Light the Cheeseman little league field, move fences back, add a concession stand (would serve all of Pingree Park)	Mar 12, 2012 12:58 PM
156	COA Facility	Mar 12, 2012 12:44 PM
157	better drainage at iron rail fields	Mar 12, 2012 12:43 PM
158	theatre	Mar 12, 2012 12:42 PM
159	rebuild the simming pool to make it a larger facility	Mar 12, 2012 12:35 PM
160	new pool	Mar 12, 2012 12:34 PM
164	POOL!	Mar 12, 2012 12:18 PM
166	Swimming pool rebuild to accomodate current population	Mar 12, 2012 12:06 PM
168	pleasant pond	Mar 12, 2012 11:55 AM

17. Please rank each objective on a scale of one to five with one being the most important and five as the least important objective. (1=Most Important; 5=Least Important)

	1	2	3	4	5	Rating Average	Response Count
Create new parks	10.1% (28)	12.3% (34)	34.3% (95)	19.9% (55)	23.5% (65)	3.34	277
Create a multi-use, multi-generational community recreation center	20.7% (57)	22.2% (61)	23.6% (65)	15.6% (43)	17.8% (49)	2.88	275
Create additional athletic fields	29.0% (79)	20.6% (56)	20.2% (55)	14.0% (38)	16.2% (44)	2.68	272
Create multi-purpose synthetic turf fields	19.0% (52)	16.5% (45)	17.9% (49)	20.9% (57)	25.6% (70)	3.18	273
Create bike paths	42.9% (124)	23.9% (69)	17.3% (50)	9.7% (28)	6.2% (18)	2.12	289
Create a dog park	15.5% (43)	16.5% (46)	18.0% (50)	16.5% (46)	33.5% (93)	3.36	278
Create outdoor basketball courts	6.6% (18)	17.3% (47)	26.1% (71)	27.2% (74)	22.8% (62)	3.42	272
Replace the existing pool at Patton Park	31.8% (89)	16.8% (47)	25.4% (71)	12.5% (35)	13.6% (38)	2.59	280
Enhance recreational trail networks and/or publish information about existing trails (locations, trailheads, lengths, uses, restrictions, etc.)	39.4% (112)	27.5% (78)	16.5% (47)	8.1% (23)	8.5% (24)	2.19	284
						COMMENTS	46
						answered question	297
						skipped question	93

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1	Bike paths (and gentle trails safe for children) would be a very welcomed addition to the Hamilton-Community in my opinion.	Apr 10, 2012 12:52 PM
2	I think we can make better use of the space we have before we expend too much energy or resources adding acreage.	Apr 5, 2012 8:37 PM
3	THIS IS AWESOME YOU ARE DOING THIS SURVEY - THANK YOU.	Apr 5, 2012 7:31 PM
4	I think we should maintain what we have. Fixing up the Patton park pool would be great for the summer to get more Kids with something to do. Expand the facilities	Mar 31, 2012 10:38 AM
5	It would also be good to publish information about H/W's current athletic fields. Info could include their location and availability. I saw some field names on Question #7 that I'd never heard of (and my family has been in town 10 years and participated in numerous sports programs). Also, H/W has more athletic fields than any other community I've ever lived in, and many lie unused most of the time. Yet a good portion of the questions in this survey imply a desire to create more such fields! This doesn't seem like a good way to spend money in a down economy.	Mar 23, 2012 10:30 AM
6	This Town has quite a few options already. A dog park would be nice. The kids need a place to skateboard. Hamilton was one of the first towns to install a skateboarding area behind the pool at Patton Park and then tore it all out a couple if years later.	Mar 22, 2012 1:16 PM
7	We should absolutely encourage more biking. We live in a great town for biking and it would be great to have bike lanes. It is very dangerous cycling on route 1A.	Mar 21, 2012 9:39 PM
8	Replace the pool!	Mar 21, 2012 9:36 PM
9	Build a multi-use center that is rentable/ self sustaining financially "Bubble building or "Soccer etc" type	Mar 21, 2012 7:11 PM
10	You have a recreation center Bike trails would be good that link up are safe for kids Bike lanes in and around town Make grapevine and walnut paths shared cycle paths too. The pool is a must or we will loose for ever a great asset.	Mar 21, 2012 4:16 PM
11	Although not town-owned, it would be good to know the current use of the Myopia Schooling Fields and any additional uses that would be desired.	Mar 21, 2012 11:18 AM
12	If new parks are created it would be nice to avoid the plastic cookie cutter parks that proliferate the North Shore. We're really lucky to have Pingree Park, whose cedar structures fight in beautifully with the landscape and provide ample play opportunities for children of all ages, including adolescents. There is a park on Cambridge Common that uses natural materials and engages children in multi-sensory developmental play: a large number of wooden blocks can be moved by children to create large forts, castle, or used to build bridges. There is also a water element during the summer and sand. It is both engaging on multiple levels and is aesthetically suited to its surroundings.	Mar 19, 2012 9:57 PM

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13	Put in bleacher seating at Donovan Field and spray periodically for bugs!	Mar 19, 2012 8:43 PM
14	Instead of creating new parks, spend the money to upgrade existing parks. (Patton Park)	Mar 19, 2012 3:53 PM
15	We don't need a dog park...there's a million places to walk your dog around here.	Mar 18, 2012 7:38 AM
16	I think that Patton Park is the center of our town. Many things go on between here and the community house. This should be the center of our town and is what people traveling through our town see. The bathroom facilities are disgusting and the pool is old and cold. I have a pool so not a huge deal for me personally, but a big deal for others in town and perhaps a town center with new facilities would entice more people to buy here. IF you are not part of a club, we don't have beaches so our pool should provide people with swim team, swim lessons, and general place to meet up during the summer months. With a nice park and some new bathroom/changing facilities, people could grill out and hang out. What a vibrant feel for the community!!	Mar 16, 2012 4:14 PM
17	Dog park would be great! Or let Hamilton Residents use Beverly Dog Park	Mar 14, 2012 7:52 PM
18	Young baseball players do not need to play under the lights on a school night. They should be in their homes by 7:00 so they can be rested for school the next day. My son played in a minor league game last year while at Patton Park while an adult men's baseball league was playing right next to them. That was very dangerous. One of the parents were injured from a ball that came from the adult game. Too close for comfort.	Mar 14, 2012 3:37 PM
19	Dog parks are usually too small and rather depressing. Create more areas like Appleton Grass Rides with declared use for dogs off lead. Perhaps people who fear dogs would choose a different area to run/walk. Remove the restriction on dogs @ Patton and Pingree park. Dogs on lead should be allowed as long as the dog is curbed and cleaned up after.	Mar 14, 2012 1:07 PM
20	Thank you for your efforts in this area to enhance our two towns!	Mar 14, 2012 12:38 PM
21	I live in Georgetown, and I visit the Imagination Station on occasion with some Hamilton resident friends. I also frequent the community house for Music Man. I do not, nor would I ever take advantage of the rec/park offerings since I live so far away.	Mar 13, 2012 10:06 PM
22	chebacco lake should be dredge. opened only to residents. have resident dock rental or memberships.island rental fo overnight camp outs. after school programs like ; swimming, kayaking, fishing, and water sports	Mar 13, 2012 7:24 PM
23	I didn't know we had a deficit in our rec programs. All seems well to me, with elementary school aged children.	Mar 13, 2012 11:07 AM
24	Believe a sports plex could pay for itself. Our children could use plex and enhance their activities already in place. The market may bear a new plex North of Danvers since Soccer Etc is so run down. Gordon/ Gordon Seminar could be tapped for land and cash. If built near 128 would allow easy access from	Mar 13, 2012 10:09 AM

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anywhere. Presently our town uses Beverly/ Danvers Sports Plex. Could provide multiple sport access/ training facility. Winthrop/ Cutler/ Donovan HWRHS (softball) baseball fields are in terrible shape every year. More communication needs to take place with volunteer spring preparation for HWLL field prep. Patton Park fields are tolerable but only due to HWLL support. Wenham (Pingeree) fields are maintained far superior to Hamilton fields. I've had children in HWLL through Babe Ruth and Hamilton fields always fall short. The HWRHS baseball field last year was far. I am a life long resident (born into Hamilton in 62') and find sports field issues to be on the top of each teams list as far as availability. Each year numerous amounts of money is spent at Soccer etc/ Danvers sport plex/ Strike One/ Extra Innings/ etc. No reason it couldn't be spent in a HW Sports Plex instead.

25	This all takes money and are taxes are way too high as it is we need to work within budgets	Mar 13, 2012 5:47 AM
26	AND REPLACE THE BATHROOM AT THE POOL TOO...and life guard control...is so bad...also new surface...too many ants around	Mar 12, 2012 11:12 PM
27	Also, would love to see the town rallying behind a great concert series in park. Music is missing!!	Mar 12, 2012 10:08 PM
28	Have heard rumors about the pool at Patton park - does it require replacement? Again any new developments should be second to improving the schools in my opinion. However the pool is different as it already exists - can it be repaired?	Mar 12, 2012 8:55 PM
29	I do not live in Hamilton/wenham	Mar 12, 2012 6:58 PM
30	the bathrooms are terrible at all the outdoor facilities	Mar 12, 2012 5:17 PM
31	Reduce the amount of goose feces everywhere.	Mar 12, 2012 4:53 PM
32	The pool should be better utilized, bigger, with a SEPARATE kiddie pool. Kids should be able to dive in the water. That rule is ridiculous. How else can they learn to swim appropriately and learn about rules? The bathrooms are absolutely DISGUSTING, nasty and and are NEVER CLEANED. I was told that they were cleaned but they are not. It's gross and I would NEVER LET MY KIDS SET FOOT IN THERE as they will certainly come back with some infection. I complained about this several times last summer and received no adequate response. There should be shade so that if you do go there in the summer you don't sit out in the sun broiling. Also, it should be open ALL DAY LONG and not closed during camp. The residents who live here should be able to utilize it. Also, why are other towns bussed in to use our facility? Does Wenham receive payment for this?	Mar 12, 2012 4:49 PM
33	I would hike around the 2 towns and if I knew what trails were available and had some info about them. I would love bike paths - the kids can't walk anywhere since there are no sidewalks so I think bike paths are a great idea. We could use more fields.	Mar 12, 2012 3:38 PM
34	I would add that we need some indoor field space for soccer , baseball, lacrosse teams to practice since the weather can really interfere with the start and end of	Mar 12, 2012 3:23 PM

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the seasons. In the fall, practices are cut way to short because parents can come to practices before 5 pm yet the sun goes down and there isn't time for a practice. In the spring, (not this spring though) it is hard to practice when there is snow on the ground.

35	We need more playgrounds that look as if they were built in this century. Most people have big backyards and can play sports anywhere. Playgrounds are places where children can play with each other and meet new friends while moms socialize	Mar 12, 2012 2:54 PM
36	Inadequate number of fields to accomodate youth and HWRS needs	Mar 12, 2012 2:36 PM
37	I would like to see the Rec Dept get re involved with Pleasant Pond area. My wife and I formed the PPA (Pleasant Pond Association) back in 2005 after the area was essentially abandoned by the Rec Dept and the town for a period of time. A master plan was designed with a major landscape restoration project with assistance from CPA funding from both towns,along with a significant amount of Pro Bono help. The most significant accomplishment was the that the PPA regained control of the area for" Residents Only" as it had become overwhelmed with out of town visitors and we had a significant increase in crime problems. We have had a successful gatekeeper summer program for several years in lieu of not having a lifeguard program any longer and have been supported by the WPD,paticularly officer Bill Foley. It would be great to see the Rec Dept get involved again and develop some programming for the residents.Restoring lifeguards would be a significant upgrade along with exploring swimming and boating programs. David Baker	Mar 12, 2012 2:11 PM
38	More basketball courts; many people of all ages would use	Mar 12, 2012 1:48 PM
39	Make sure trails are for pedestrians, cyclists and equestrians	Mar 12, 2012 1:45 PM
40	New Parks should go hand-in-hand with new athletic fields, existing tennis courts could be retro-fitted to be used as basketball courts as well.	Mar 12, 2012 1:32 PM
41	Capitalize on the beach on Chebacco Lake so residents can have lake access for canoeing, kayaking, fishing, water skiing, sailing, windsurfing, etc...	Mar 12, 2012 1:27 PM
42	Need additional soccer fields as space is VERY limited and teams are cramped into small areas.	Mar 12, 2012 1:21 PM
43	Update benches at parks for sitting. For example, the benches at Pingree Playground are crooked and unsafe and uncomfortable. The sand at the Pingree playground is also rough and hurtful to young feet.	Mar 12, 2012 1:11 PM
44	We need more athletic fields and we are dramatically under utilizing the fields we have. Turf and light the High School football field. Turf and lighting the Patton Big diamond would dramatically increase utilization for baseball and other sports. The middle school softball field is a disaster. Zero upkeep. You could turf and light that too and open up endless opportunities for many sports.	Mar 12, 2012 1:05 PM
45	I don't think we need another rec center because we already have two! But I think improving the Patton Park Pool would be fabulous - make it bigger, or at	Mar 12, 2012 1:03 PM

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least the space around it bigger so it isn't so cramped. It is not a relaxing place to go at all.

46	I like the Patton Park pool. So many outdoor pools have become play pools with no ability to swim. It could be larger if that is in the budget. I have gotten lost before in Harvard Woods - would love a good trail map or better signage in the woods. Makes me nervous to go there alone in case I get lost again. Not always sure when/where hunting is allowed so although I go out in the fall and spring I worry about my dog who is deer-colored.... how to share the woods safely?	Mar 12, 2012 12:17 PM
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