



ANDERSON BRULÉ ARCHITECTS

COMBINED MISSION AND VISION STATEMENTS

I. Senior Commission

- A. Mission Statement: TO provide facilities for LA and LAH residents to engage in recreational, social, educational, cultural, community service, civic and gov't activities. Center should provide opportunities for persons of all ages to participate in a wide range of program that educate and stimulate the public, enhance self-confidence, and promote mental and physical health!
- B. Core Purpose: To provide a senior center which we can be proud of and want to attend.

II. PaRC

- A. What is the mission of Los Altos Community Center (represents the entire community)
 - 1. Focal point for community oriented life
 - 2. Should serve inter and multi-generational needs
 - 3. Provide education and recreation and health/ wellness and enrichment
 - 4. Facility should foster a sense of community
- B. What is the core purpose of the Community Center? (PaRC)
 - 1. Modern and adequate, high quality facility to provide a full spectrum of recreational programs

III. Arts Commission

- A. Mission of Center for Entire Community:
 - 1. Space and facilities for all age interaction
 - 2. Space and facilities for age specific activities
 - 3. Both special interest classes and socialization
- B. Core purpose: With a state of the art community center we can create a place for all ages and cultures in Los Altos and neighboring communities, where we can make, display, explore and share art inside and outside the classroom. We can bring beauty back to the soul in our hectic, stressful, demanding lives, and enjoy the power of creativity.

IV. Youth Commission

- A. Mission of Center for Teen Community:
 - 1. Connecting the youth to the city and the city to the youth
 - 2. Not the "place to be" but a "place to grow"
- B. Mission of center for everyone
 - 1. Open and welcoming area
 - 2. All age interaction and respective activities
- C. Mission for us
 - 1. Spaces/ facilities
 - 2. More accessible
 - 3. Connection youth to the city
 - 4. Focus on special interest v. socialization

V. Focus Group 2 Mission Summary Phraseology

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| A. Gathering place | P. Social |
| B. Educational center | Q. Place to build relationship |
| C. All ages | R. Gathering place |
| D. Health & fitness | S. Large social functions |
| E. Inclusive with respect to all facets (cultures, abilities, and ages) | T. Places for food |
| F. Something for everyone | U. Coffee |
| G. Nice environment | V. After school place |
| H. Inviting | W. Active and quiet spaces |
| I. Welcoming | X. Information center |
| J. Comfortable | Y. Inclusive of abilities |
| K. Clean | Z. Another place |
| L. Fun place | AA. A destination |
| M. Reflects self-image of community | BB. Meeting point |
| N. Multi-Dimensional | CC. Attractive in form & function |
| O. Networking place/engaging | DD. Get people out of their house |
| | EE. A magnet |
| | FF. Should be connected to civic center |

VI. Focus Group 3 Mission Summary Phraseology

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| A. Place that brings community together | L. New events and new activities |
| B. Both activity in good location | M. An experimental idea |
| C. Synergy with other entities in community | N. Add to create ideas and attractive gathering place |
| D. Make it less expensive so it is achievable | O. Community destination |
| E. Enriches community by providing resources that are not readily available | P. Attractive gathering place |
| F. Complements the downtown. | Q. Enhance intellectual activities |
| G. Offer largest variety of activities and events possible to the town | R. Life- long learning |
| H. Facilitates all generations together | S. Looks, feels & invokes aspects of the community |
| I. Should be integrated together | T. It attracts people |
| J. Maximize land use | U. Both activities and aesthetics |
| K. Place of discovery | V. A role model to rest of community in sustainable & excellent design |
| | W. Welcoming |
| | X. Good architecture that can be very inspiring |
| | Y. Accessible and affordable for all participants |