# "Getting to Know Your Parks" Contest. Survey Questions. Aug/Sept 2015.

	Describe something you like about the park.
	I like that Grant park has lots of play space on the structures and a good playing field.
	It has really nice soccer fields.
	I like the baseball courts.
	I like the diversity of the playground, community center, and soccer field.
Grant Park	I like there are 2 playgrounds, one for younger kids, and one for older kids.
	I like that there are multiple play structures and a big playing field. I like this because the playing areas aren't too crowded.
	I like the rocks because you can climb on them and balance on ropes.
	It had a climbing area.
	I like the rocks because you get to climb on them. And there are bungees attached.
	The rocks.
Heritage Oaks Park	I like the climbing rocks and the ropes you climb on.

I like that it has places for younger and older kids.

It is a great place for a concert.

It is near the library, and it has a nice baseball field and playground.

I like the location of the park near dontown Los Altos and library.

I really enjoy the Hillview Communuty Center and Park, for it offers large grassy fields to play various sports as well as it's close location to the Los Altos History House & Public Library.

I like how you are able to play baseball on the field and play on the playground. Also there are many events held there and I liek the vending machine.

Proximity to our house and downtown.

I like the big goals.

## Hillview Community Center & Park

I love the train park! It was a lot of fun for me and my friends when we were little, and my little brother loves it now. We loved the little helicopter playground near the police station, too. Not the generic play structures!

I like that it has realistic playgrounds.

I like the open field and the sculptures.

The art and statues are really cool. It is nice, grassy and shady.

I like the festivals held at Lincoln Park. And I like the gazebo near the entrance.

I enjoy the shades given off by the array of trees and how it is a beautiful path to walk along and how it's location gives people easy accessability to downtown Los Altos as well as Los Altos Hills.

I like how there is a lot of open space to run around and play with friends. I also like how you are able to play, take your pets there. And they have all those festivals that are really fun to go to.

The doors.

I really like the gazebo. It is a pretty place to sit and is shaded.

#### Lincoln Park

I like the sculptures.

	I liked that the slides were so high because most parks have slides that aren't as high and fast.
Marymeade Park	I like that it has high slides and fun playgrounds.
	I liked the climbing structure next to the tennis courts.
	I like the tire swing and the big kid playground.
	I like the trail.
	I like that it has concrete for me to ride my scooter.
	I enjoy McKenzie Park due to its small shady foeld that can be used to play games and exercise on as well as tennis courts and playground on the opposite side of the fire station.
	Large park with nice field and playground areas.
	Swings.
	It is big and a lot of nice, shady redwood trees, and I also like two play structures, one for little kids and one for bigger kids.
McKenzie Park	I like that it has good bathrooms.
	I liked the little rock climbing wall on the play structure because it is safe and fun.
	Montclaire has nice fields and places to play.
	Tennis court, a good bike area.
Montclaire Park	I like that the tennis courts have really good maintenance.

	Too many trails to explore.
	The trees.
	It is in the forest.
	I like the summer camps that are held at Redwood Grove and the scenic view.
	The trees.
	I enjoy the walkway that runs parallel to the Adobe Creek as well as the archery range on the opposite side of the park from the entry way.
Redwood	I like the summer camps that there have there because its really fun and you can do many fun activities at Redwood Grove. Also the view is amazing.
Grove	It's not just a regular park, it's more like a nature park for a short hike. It's very pretty!
	I liked all the climbing material at Rosita. The slide and lion sculpture were the two best features.
	It is a soccer field.
	I like all of the places to play sports like tennis court and baseball diamond.
	I like that it has big fields.
	One of my favorite things about going over to Rosita Park is the wide open grass field in order to play games and it's close proximity with Covington Elementary School.
	Great field space for soccer. Nice bathrooms and play structure.
	Tennis court.
	It is a big open space for soccer games (many at the same time).
Rosita Park	I like that is has big structure just to climb.

I liked that there was lots of playing area throughout the park.

The creek.

It has two play areas.

It has nice playground and grassy areas too.

I like the playgrounds, Shaded and picnic area. And it is a great place to go with family.

I like that it has a playground for big kids. And a playground for little kids.

I enjoy the Teen Lounge and it's proxity with Adobe Creek.

I like the fun activities that you are able to do there. I like being to run around on the field and I like playing on the playground.

Trees, multi-age play structures, streams, great picnic area.

The creek and swings.

I love the creek bed - it's fun to play there! Plus, there are hills and a lot of trees and play structures for little kids and for big kids. We especially love the big sandbox.

#### **Shoup Park**

I like that there is lots of room to play.

I like the scuplters.

The statue is cool. And it is near downtown. It's pretty.

I enjoy it's location as it is near the public library and Hillview Community Center, compromised with the fact that it is a beautiful open field that hosts such fun events as the Easter Egg Hunt.

I like how it's peaceful and quiet there and how it's also in downtown. It also has a very cool statue of the kids palying around that I like.

It is cute and has a nice bench and nice shade from the trees.

### Village Park

I like the sculptures of the kids.

#### Describe something you would like to see changed or added to the park.

I would like to see more excitement in the play structures because these structures are not very original.

I would like there to be more trees or awnings to provide more shade. Also, my parents say parking is hard.

I like the park as it is and I don't think anything needs to be added.

I would like to see the community center building upgraded and renovated.

I think there should be more than grass, basketball courts, and playgrounds.

I would like to see the ropes at the climbing rocks tightened. When I went to Heritage Oaks Park, the ropes were very slacked. This made it hard to cross the ropes.

I would like to see more concrete and a warning cable on the rocks for little kids.

Put the play areas closer.

I would like some concrete added to ride my scooter or skate board.

A sea saw and spinner.

I would like to have the little kid playground a bigger and better structure. The playground should be bigger so the rocks are not the only big attraction.

I wish the playground wasn't filled with tan bark.

More shaded areas.

The exercise area in the back is not very nice. It is dirty and old too.

I would like to have basketball court added.

I would like to construction of baseball courts near the large soccer field. This will allow for more people within Los Altos to come over to the park and use it a s a place to practice more sports and even schedule team games and practices for certain organizations.

I wish that they could install some basketball hoops or a tennis court.

Shared use ? community center. LA school improved community use center with better use of space.

Swings and a bigger play structure.

I am sad that I am too big for the playgrounds - adding a bigger kid play structure / area would be nice.

It should have more advanced play structures.

I would like the doors to open and close.

There is no playground or other things to do.

Water fountain should be added.

I would like to see the implementation of drinking fountains along the park. I am a part of the Los Altos High School cross country team and one of the main practice spots is Lincoln Park. But when the weather heats up one of the major issue is people becoming thirsty and overheated from the sun while at park.

I would like there to be a bathroom put in the park.

Not much aside? a strip of shady grass!

Other things to play.

It is a narrow piece of land but it would be nice to have a play structure or more things that invite people to go there.

I would like to have more attractions to play on.

I would like to see may ne one or two slides with different designs ex: windy slides, straight slides.

I think they should make the rock attractions bigger. They should be bigger so that there is more to play with.

I would like to see the play structure have more excitement because the small climbing wall had more excitement than the playground.

I wouldn't change anything.

A shorter distance between the playgrounds.

It's good the way it is.

I would like to see a more prominent sign put in place for McKenzie Park which will direct other citizens to the location of the park.

Monkey bars.

The park is sort of hidden so is not as used as it could be. Adding clearer places to park to get to the main part of the park would help.

I would like to have more tire swings so that more kids can play on them.

I would like to see a play structure for kids about 7 - 12 because when we went, we had nothing to do.

Montclaire Park is nice already.

I think the baby swings should be lower to the ground. They should be lower because the little kids can fall and hurt themself.

Open up trails.

A playground.

Make it more of a playground.

I would like to see bathrooms added to Redwood Grove.

Maybe make it more like a park with a playground.

I would like to see a larger sign being built for University Avenue which would direct people to the park. Restrooms should also be built to make one's visit to the park mroe pleasurable.

I really like Redwood Grove and don't think that anything should be changed. But I think that they should have a portable restroom there. I will also like a water fountain or a place to fill up your water bottle.

I wish it were bigger or could connect to Shoup Park, but that may not be possible.

I would like the material to be a little less hot because it hurt when we climbed the structure, it hurt my hands.

A water fountain close to the soccer field.

The baseball diamond and the dugout should be upgraded.

More concrete for riding my scooter.

I would like to have a more accessible pathway paved connecting Covington Elementary School along with an established bike path / walkway that outlines the park.

More shady areas on field - playground. We feel would be a good space for a school too.

A bigger play structure with a spinner.

There isn't much to do there other tan soccer games. More shade (trees) and a playground would make it more interesting.

I would like to see some more slides to play on.

I would like the walk paths to be bigger --> bikers and walkers don't have enough space.

Nothing.

Make the smaller playground bigger.

It gets crowded because so many people go there.

It is very easy to miss the sign on the main road. The sign should be more visible.

More concrete so I can ride my skate board or scooter.

I would like to have a more prominent sign placed in front of the entry way and accessible restrooms to the public.

I don't have any complaints about this park. It's great. So I don't think that anything should be changed or added.

Great park - a true treasure!

A spinner and wave.

I would add a four square court! I would also add a safe trampoline at the play structure for big kids.

I would like to see more sand to play in.

I wish there was more at this park.

There is a not a lot of things to do there.

I hope for the Village Park to have a fence built on the side next to the Bus Barn Theater building and a paved path from the library parking lot.

I don't think of anything that needs to be changed or added to this park.

I would love to add a play structire for kids, so more people will go there.

It should have more exciting structures.