

Great Barrington Open Space & Recreation Survey

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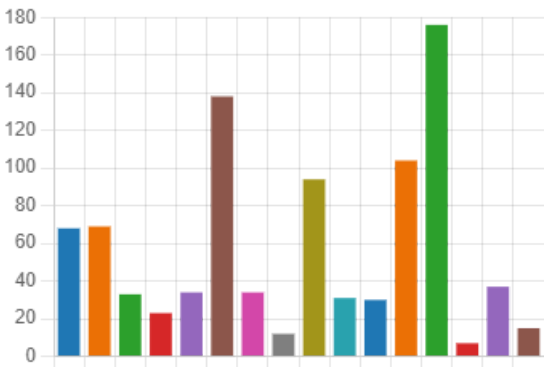
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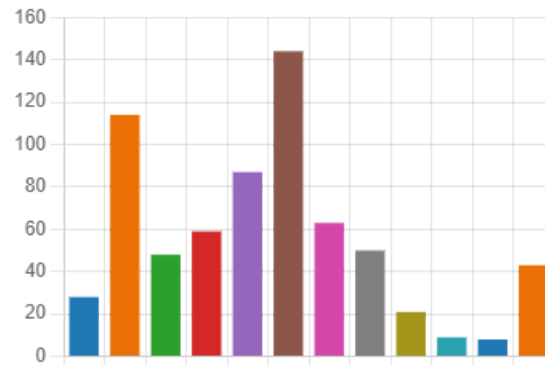
1. Choose up to five (5) activities you enjoy doing in Great Barrington

Bicycling	68
Boating/Canoeing/Kayaking	69
Court Sports (Tennis, Basketball,...	33
Field Sports (Football, Soccer, B...	23
Fishing	34
Hiking	138
Indoor Recreation/Fitness	34
Golf	12
Playgrounds/Swings/Slides	94
Running	31
Skateboarding	30
Swimming	104
Walking	176
Ice Fishing	7
Ice Skating	37
Other	15



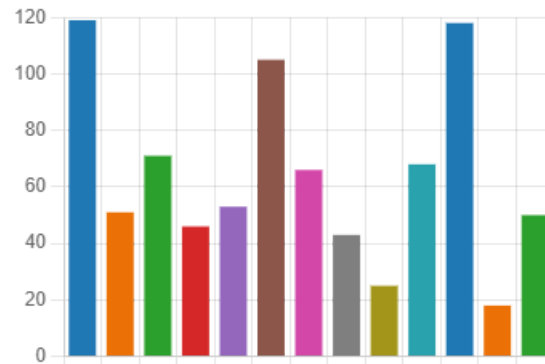
2. Please check the recreation areas in the Great Barrington that you have visited and enjoyed in the last 12 months.

Gilmore Park/Dewey School	28
Giggle Park/Town Hall Park	114
Grove Street Park	48
"Housy Dome"/Housatonic Com...	59
Housatonic Park/Playground	87
Lake Mansfield Park and Beach	144
Memorial Field	63
Old Maid's Park	50
Park Street Park	21
South Street Park	9
Stanley Park	8
Olympian Meadows	43



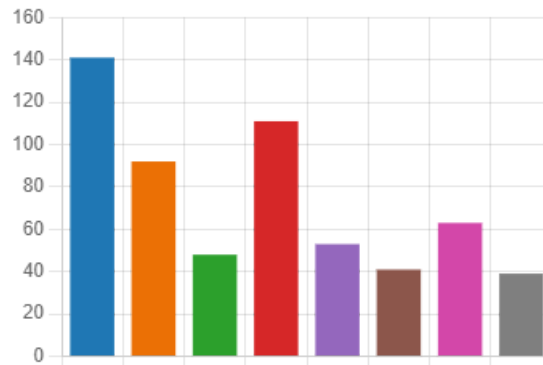
3. What, if any, specific recreational opportunities would you like to add in Great Barrington?

Bike Paths (both on and off road)	119
Boat/Kayak/Canoe Launch	51
Hiking Trails	71
Ice Skating or Ice Fishing	46
Indoor Recreation (Fitness, Yoga...	53
Playgrounds and Park Amenities...	105
Open Space Access (Trailheads ...	66
Sport Courts (Basketball, Tennis,...	43
Sport Fields (Baseball, Soccer, F...	25
Swimming Area/Access	68
Walking Paths	118
Mountain Biking Trails	18
Other	50



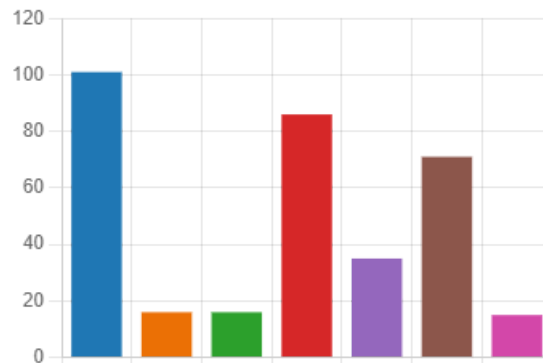
4. Considering proposed improvements to Dewey Park and Grove Street Parks, what investments should the Town make? Choose up to five (5)

Children's play equipment (swin...	141
Picnic/Barbecue	92
Exercise equipment	48
Benches	111
Pickleball	53
Basketball	41
Open Play Area	63
Other	39



5. Which of the following are you willing to do to support open space and recreation areas in Great Barrington? (check all that apply)

Participate in maintenance and ...	101
Donate equipment and materials	16
Donate land or money for open ...	16
Pay a little more in taxes, if it wa...	86
Teach a class/lead an activity	35
Attend a committee or join a co...	71
Other	15



6. Should the Town act to (Check your TWO highest priorities)

Improve its conservation/open s...	114
Construct new recreational facili...	56
Acquire additional open space	60
Improve existing recreational fa...	169



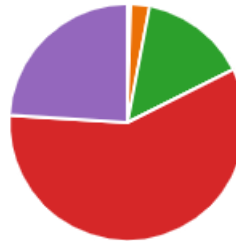
7. Please tell us about yourself (choose all that apply)

● I live in Great Barrington	195
● I work in the Great Barrington	88
● I go to school in Great Barrington	11
● I am a part time resident of Gre...	11



8. What is your age?

● Under 5 years	1
● Age 5 to 17	6
● Age 18 to 34	34
● Age 35 to 64	136
● Age 65 or older	56



9. If you would like to keep informed about Park & Recreation Commission efforts, please give us your email address where we can contact you. Thanks for your participation!

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Latest Responses

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2 respondents (3%) answered **town** for this question.

word cloud content:

- skatepark is valid
- Housatonic
- stupidest things
- old school
- actually have lived
- Great Barrington
- board has an idea
- question
- town park
- frequent
- broken windows
- piss money
- GB
- school with graffiti
- eye sore
- dumbest thing
- resident of Sheffield
- not in this town
- real question