Q1 What do you like about the existing play equipment? Check all that apply.



ANSWER CHOICES			RESPONSES	
Many different types of play opportunities for walking/running, climbing, sliding, upper body exercising, spinning, etc.			47.83%	22
Many access points with different levels of challenge and many play routes.				15
Maximizes play activity by providing play opportunities.				4
Other (please specify)			10.87%	5
TOTAL				46
#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE		
1	We don't go to this playground because the layout is too spread out. Equipment is dated.	8/1/2023	3 10:58 AM	
2	Keep green areas near the playground for nature exploration and relaxation from the din on the playground. Don't pave over the grass!	7/30/202	23 8:40 AM	
3	Some of the play equipment at Magnuson is unique among the area playgrounds. My daughter LOVES the big springy see-saw and the playhouse area. Overall, we love the variety of the playground.	7/28/202	23 1:58 PM	
4	All of the above and nearby seating	7/27/202	23 10:53 AM	
5	My child enjoys the view holes in the tunnel slide	7/26/202	23 3:00 PM	

Q2 The existing play area equipment reflected former Navy airfield buildings such as a hangar, control tower, and barracks. Should new play equipment follow this theme or another? Please choose one.



ANSWER CHOICES		RESPONSES		
Airfield		31.91%	Ď	15
Modern		4.26%		2
Natural, reflecting nearby wetlands and habitats		57.45%		27
Other (please specify)		6.38%		3
TOTAL				47
#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)		DATE	
1	Colorful and modern. Like Bellevue Inspiration Playground ideally so we don't have to dri there anymore.	ve	8/1/2023 10:58 AM	
2	I'd love to see natural combined with elements that honor indigenous relationships with th land.	ne	8/1/2023 8:34 AM	

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Castle and dungeon

Q3 What kinds of play equipment? Please select your top six most desired types of play equipment or suggest your own.



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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Sliding	89.36%	42
Swinging	87.23%	41
Balancing	82.98%	39
Bouncing	57.45%	27
Spinning	38.30%	18
Whirling	19.15%	9
Climbing	89.36%	42
Pulling Up/Chinning Bar	23.40%	11
Role Playing	38.30%	18
Playing Music	31.91%	15
Total Respondents: 47		

Q4 What kind of play elements would you like to see in a splash pad?

Answered: 34 Skipped: 14

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Features for toddlers and bigger kids which help keep them separate and safe. Splash pads which combine large water dumping features and smaller spray areas make it really hard for multiple ages to enjoy at once.	8/31/2023 9:57 PM
2	Interactive	8/25/2023 7:53 AM
3	Spray mechanisms and larger dump buckets	8/8/2023 1:28 PM
4	Interactive, kid activated features	8/7/2023 12:12 PM
5	Interactive - pumps, levers, cranks, etc.	8/3/2023 11:41 AM
6	Elements that make kids feel like they are sharing the splash pad water with salmon, chorus frogs, ducks, dragonflies, and other PNW wildlife that live in Magnuson Park. A subtle way to also send the message to them and their parents that we humans need to share water with all other creatures.	8/3/2023 9:39 AM
7	Different levels of water pressure. Some elements that gently stream water sideways so little kids can put hands under. Push button activation during warm months so it can be used any day. Elements that spray in a pattern, kids love that!	8/3/2023 7:10 AM
8	Water!	8/2/2023 6:04 PM
9	Lots of water!	8/2/2023 4:29 PM
10	Large fountains, dump bucket, soft anti-slip surface, misting jets, areas that appeal and are accessible to all ages.	8/2/2023 4:18 PM
11	Maybe images of water life living in the park, or climbable elements (maybe climbable is a problem with water, but something you could interact with). No longer have little kids so don't know whats popular.	8/2/2023 4:07 PM
12	Any and all splash pad elements would be a welcome addition!	8/2/2023 3:31 PM
13	I would LOVE a splash pad for all ages like beacons hills's or the orca at crossroads.	8/2/2023 3:20 PM
14	Water sprays of different heights	8/2/2023 2:49 PM
15	That it actually works in the summer	8/1/2023 6:51 PM
16	Water from different angles, not just spraying up or down. Fun colors and interesting/artistic use of water.	8/1/2023 2:48 PM
17	Natural elements like rock and wooden bridges. We usually drive all the way to Bellevue Inspiration playground so it would be nice to not have to anymore. The water area there is amazing! Shaded, swinging benches for parents would also be nice.	8/1/2023 10:58 AM
18	Fun interactive parts, and maybe some way to get adults involved with the play or appeal to older kids and teens as well. Even a shallow wading area would be cool. I think the main challenge with a splash pad is that it is seen as something only toddlers should use when the entire community should feel welcome.	8/1/2023 8:34 AM
19	Sensory Panels that reflect light in various colors for children who may feel scared of the water features.	7/31/2023 3:44 PM
20	Patterns, shapes	7/31/2023 1:02 PM
21	Splash pad, and a dedicated flat area for bike riding or skating. Skateboarding - ramp or something similar would be great too.	7/31/2023 12:22 PM
22	What is a splash pad?	7/31/2023 11:12 AM

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23	Jets of water shooting from the ground. Water cannon like at North Acres	7/30/2023 5:55 PM
24	Keeping climate change and the future in mind, don't pave over with concrete. Include natural, green, treed area for mindfulness and cooling.	7/30/2023 8:40 AM
25	A mix of surprise and constant sprays.	7/29/2023 5:52 PM
26	Multiple zones with varying heights of water spray.	7/29/2023 11:24 AM
27	Water cannons that can be aimed are always fun!	7/28/2023 1:58 PM
28	Clean water and open access; places for kids to sit or run and explore the water.	7/27/2023 7:40 PM
29	1.) A huge dump bucket 2.) accessibility for all - area for littles, area for bigger kids & area for those with mobility issues 3.) Non-slip 4.) Shaded areas for parents & caregivers to observe kids playing	7/27/2023 1:34 PM
30	Ramp for wheelchair access and baby access, fountain	7/27/2023 10:53 AM
31	Wall of water/cone of water, many water fountains	7/26/2023 6:54 PM
32	Twister dots	7/26/2023 3:00 PM
33	Incorporating water table/water flume, fountain, or other vertical elements	7/26/2023 7:44 AM
34	Aquatic animals,plants	7/25/2023 12:52 PM

Q5 Do you have any other comments? Please add them below.

Answered: 26 Skipped: 22

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Glad it's getting an upgrade.	8/25/2023 7:53 AM
2	for restroom design consider adding european style pissors which may be more vandal proof and efficient.	8/7/2023 2:06 PM
3	Accessibility for kids with special needs.	8/7/2023 12:12 PM
4	Please create a design with a clear and attractive link between the playground and the beautiful, accessible, nature-filled Magnuson Children's Garden, which is located right across the NE 74th St. crosswalk. So many people who've used the playground for the past 20 years have no idea that the Children's Garden is even there.	8/3/2023 9:39 AM
5	I'm very interested in how the playground can incorporate the arts and creativity in its structure.	8/3/2023 7:59 AM
6	Thank you for updating this park!	8/2/2023 4:29 PM
7	Really excited for the splash park, much needed!	8/2/2023 4:18 PM
8	I LOVE that there may be a splash park there!!!! Please if possible include shade for those hot days!	8/2/2023 3:20 PM
9	I think repairing the tower bathroom is a great long awaited need. It would be a great look out site for the park. When and where can we see the concept?	8/2/2023 2:49 PM
10	If possible, include equipment, that teens or adults can use. I've seen them in other parks. I think there are some in rainier beach.	8/2/2023 2:00 PM
11	Would love to see construction completed in the colder months (understanding the limitations) to minimize the impact on the kids	8/1/2023 6:51 PM
12	We love the playground and go several times a week in the summer. We love that there is a variety of different structures and for various age groups. Also appreciate the extra room around the structures so that kids aren't running into each other as they go from structure to structure.	8/1/2023 2:48 PM
13	Playground equipment is pretty dated and also very spread out which makes it hard to watch both my kids at once. Would prefer a more compact play area or fenced in.	8/1/2023 10:58 AM
14	So excited! Hoping there will be restrooms included.	8/1/2023 8:34 AM
15	Check out Missoula. Just visited and they had an amazing play area that kids loved.	7/31/2023 7:58 PM
16	Updating the equipment would be amazing	7/31/2023 12:22 PM
17	Please explain what a splash pad is and how it differs from a wading pool. My kids always enjoyed a wading pool on hot summer days.	7/31/2023 11:12 AM
18	Completed by 8 year old	7/30/2023 5:55 PM
19	Climate change playground ideas should be foremost, not a playground of yesteryear. Going forward we need cooling, green trees and bushes and wetlands.	7/30/2023 8:40 AM
20	We are so excited to hear about this project! Bathrooms would be wonderful.	7/29/2023 4:50 PM
21	Please consider all ages and needs. Seating in the shade for parents, running areas for kids, clean restrooms for all.	7/27/2023 7:40 PM
22	A zip line would be wonderful to have in the new playground equipment.	7/27/2023 1:34 PM
23	A vandalism-resistant bathroom is important. Also, your postcard QR code is broken, as is the	7/27/2023 10:53 AM

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Increased accessibility for children and families of different abilities to play together	7/26/2023 7:44 AM
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