

After viewing the Community Park Concept, how informed do you feel regarding the proposed plan?	How happy are you with the planned enhancements as explained in the Park Concept Plan design for	Do you feel that the planned upgrades align with improving the quality of life and recreation within	Comments	Good to know. Now, choose a place that describes	How old are you?
4	4	7	It would be great to see sections become available that are n the side of the lake for people who would like to be able to be part of a subdivision that could even include a marina.	Christchur	50-64
5	5	10	What a fantastic idea	Chris	25-34
4	4	10	Definitely something we need going forward as there is more children and teenagers present	Chris	25-34
4	4	7	Please do not get rid of the exisiting dirt bike track, the kids love it!	Chris	35-49
4	4	8	It would be disappointing if the proposal is held back due to 1 cricket game per year	Christ	65+
5	4	9	Thank you for all your hard work ote is a paradise worth sharing	Chris	50-64
3	2	3	Please look at lowering the speed limit on the Otematata-Kurow road through Otematata. Pleas retain the sports field as this is a great asset for cricket and rugby fixtures and all ages to enjoy the space and use for activities.	Christchurch	35-49
5	5	10	Well done to all those involved!	Chris	65+
4	4	8	I would like to see a miniputt for the kids in the playground concept. Please leave the sports field the same size. I like the underpass idea to get across the road.	Dunedin	50-64
4	4	8	Looks Great.	Dun	35-49

5	5	7	I really like the disability accessible play things. Please do incorporate these groups who usually get ignored when outdoor areas are planned.	Dunedi	25-34
5	4	9		Dun	50-64
2	3	6		Dun	35-49
5	4	10		Dun	50-64
4	4	6		Dun	18-24
5	4	8	An island (like hampden) would be great down the main road	Dun	50-64
5	5	9	Need wind breaks shelter from the sun	Du	65+
3	4	8	Please leave the playing field the same size as it is now for the future of the kids and community. love the underpass idea for getting under the road	Dunedin	50-64
3	3	5		Dun	25-34
3	3	6	After looking again at the concept plan i wonder if compacted gravel is the way to go for the paths. I would have thought local riverstone would be in keeping with the area and be much more visually pleasing. While i appreciate riverstone doesnt compact the way gravel does i feel it would be worth the extra effort.	Dunedin	50-64
5	5	10	Big issue is to get the speed limit dropped	Dun	50-64
3	3	7	The low rolling mounds, poplars, maple trees and green grass are excellent but automated irrigation/watering of the grass areas are a must. Currently the area is dry and sparse and well maintained green spaces will provide a lush cool place to enjoy. Love the fitness track idea and upgrades to the playground. On the surface this looks to be a fabulous plan.	Dunedin	50-64
3	4	8		Du	0-18
2	1	1	As a long term batch owner, can see why improvements are required. However in the current climate have grave concerns of the costs and who will foot the bill. Rates are already very high for services provided. My biggest concern is the proximity of the playground to the main road. Kids playing (will leave cribs go there by themselves as kids have always done). This road is dangerous 80km/h.	Dunedin	35-49

5	5	10	The tree planting of poplar trees are a concern being planted in groupings, the size they become they do get very big in a the reserve setting, can other options be concerned? The maples are beautiful and show stunning colour through the seasons.	Dunedin	50-64
4	4	7	Looking Good	Du	65+
5	5	10		Dun	50-64
4	3	6	Think that thought need to be given to layout in front of hall and shop. Current carpark and lawn area need to be swapped around. Slowing traffic a major focus. Access across road also important. But consideration needs to be given to safety. Like the planting in the park, but bunds needs to be such that it's a safe place to be as well.	Dunedin	50-64
5	5	10		Du	
3	4	7		Du	65+
4	4	8		Du	65+
5	4	7	Great Presentation	Elsewhere in	65+
4	4	9	Needs shade cloth over large area to protect from the sun.	Elsewhere in	50-64
5	5	10	Awesome plans and concept. Could do with cafes and restaurants.	Elsewhere in	50-64
5	5	7	Sounds Good	Elsewhere in	50-64
4	3	6	dont take away the rugby fields as once they are gone cant get them back. who is going to irrigate? teenagers going to wreck the gardens etc. need to lower speed limits	Elsewhere in	35-49

3	4	8	Think the crossing by west road is very unsafe considering all the turning traffic around that area. need to concentrate on people/rate payers areas for enjoyment not so much people who may be passing. would support running track around field as exercise equipment and enhanced playground. big thanks to all who are giving so freely of their time in making this happen	Elsewhere in the South	50-64
4	3	4	Too many native plantings they tend to get very scruffy after a few years. Plus they are full. More trees that give autumn colour and are long lived over a hundred years. Maples great!! Teenage areas what is that??? Like seating areas. Entrance areas look interesting apart from the tussocks, leave those for the paddock or high country.	Elsewhere in the South	50-64
4	4	9	Only thought i have are Poplars the correct tree and maybe reduce the number proposed. Other than the BBQ all looks very good.	Elsewhere in	65+
3	2	3	It is a large tourist town, why not add something like mini golf??	Elsewhere in	25-34
5	5	9		Elsewhere in	35-49
5	5	10	Looks great and will make the town area appeal to people travelling through	Elsewhere in	25-34
5	5	10		Elsewhere in	35-49
5	5	10		Elsewhere in	35-49
5	5	10	love it	North	50-64

5	5	10	I think it all looks fabulous. I think the maple and poplar plantings will look fabulous in autumn; I like the playground and fitness equipment, including that it is inclusive; and I love the idea of gravel and boulders alongside tussock mounds. Well done to all those involved in getting the plans to this stage. Thank you.	North Island	50-64
4	5	8	The concept plan is very good, consideration has been given to families and youth but can more be done for those who are more restricted because of age?	North Island	65+
3	2	2	Children park is great and upgrading the front area of the would be great however the main green area in the park should be left as is	Oamaru	65+
4	4	10	Please ensure there is a nest swing for children with disabilities. The nest enables children to appreciate swinging even if they don't sit! Thank you.	Oamaru	65+
5	5	10	Crack on it with it - well done ! How about more linking to the Wetlands circuits ??	Oama	35-49
5	4	8	I think that the plans look great. I really hope the mound or dirt in the playground stays as I see so many kids enjoying it. It's one of those simple things in life that so many kids don't get to experience, especially if they live in town. Our local primary school has one, which is a surplus stockpile at the far edge of the grounds. There's always kids playing on it! A concern would be that with all the mounds & tree planting, that places to hide for the wrong reasons may be created.	Oamaru	50-64
5	5	10	Beautiful, reflects the landscape is inclusive and practical. Something for everyone.	Oamar	35-49
2	2	1	Taking a very simple relaxing holiday destination and making it bustling and busy. One of the greatest assets was the simplistic areas where individuals and family's could be relaxed at a pace away from the city life. In my humble opinion we've now made it the same as what everyone wanted to get away from.	Oamaru	50-64
5	5	10	Looks terrific	Oam	35-49
5	3	8	BBQ at playground with shaded area for children and families. keep sports areas	Oamar	50-64
3	3	8	Keep sports field. road crossing is a serious issue. do favour the underpass	Oama	65+

1	3	7	Although the plans look good at this stage . I feel the sports fields are going to be taken over and pushed out of the way . We have had rugby games , cricket games and touch rugby games there recently are these areas safe ?	Oamaru	35-49
5	5	10	I like the planting and the mounds. I think this will improve otematata and the kids deserve a great place to play and the seating will be excellent when watching grandkids	Oamaru	50-64
4	5	10	I think the concept looks great and should be relatively low maintenance. My only thoughts are making that native plants are predominately used and to consider that the new 'mounds' (especially around playground) will be attractive to kids and younger people to ride over. Placement of these should be considered. Also what about a small permanent dog water bowl and a dog doo bag station. Thanks!	Oamaru	35-49
5	5	9	Cat among the pigeons at the end of the meeting. Link back of hall, existing playground, green across road. Reducing rugby/cricket ground size limits their use development int he the future. The easterly blows up the state highway when the NW doesn't blow down. Existing green area much more sheltered.	Otematata	65+
3	1	2	Don't steal the park from our future kids- Grow it. Grow the playing fields	Otem	50-64
4	2	4	Leave the sports fields - teams are a great asset to the community. utilise other space.	Otem	18-24
5	4	10	Please don't take away our rugby ground - we need this for the future but also it gets used regularly by people.	Otemat	35-49
5	3	6	Playground - YES. Leave the sports field alone. NO Development of the sports field.	Otema	35-49
5	4	10		Ote	50-64
1	2	0	The compressed garvel makes it unaccessible to wheelchairs	Otem	65+
5	5	10	At last a constructive idea for a township that has been overlooked for years. An exciting concept which needs all our support and backing	Otematata	65+

4	4	8	Looks very extensive and expensive to maintain all of the Mounds. Would be nice to see some picnic tables rather than just benches. Rest of it looks like fun 👍	Otematata	50-64
5	4	7	Need more native species	Ote	50-64
3	3	10	The concept plans look fancy. But doesn't address if a fence to the major roads is secure. Toilets are the playground end would be greatly appreciated as we now have to gather all our children to take one to the toilet. Where once we could use the clean and tidy ones that were removed.	Otematata	35-49
4	3	8	an information centre in main entrance to arear. with a history of the town and the construction of the dams.	Otemat	65+
5	3	7	Enhance the sports ground but dont lose the ability to improve the future	Ote	65+
4	1	3	Mounds and tall trees will obskure the views. An avenue of trees on way into Otematata from Kurow would be nice. The ratepayers wold bare the cost of maintaining the Park . Many openings there for vandles to have their kicks. The plan needs to be looked at with different eyes, really not practicle. Exercise equipment a no no. If people want to exercise they should pay the fee and join our very well equipt gymn	Otematata	65+
3	2	2	Encroaching on the golf course, encroaching on the football field, poplars are like weeds, Mounds in front of the shop are hiding the shop from view, vandalism	Otematata	65+
5	5	10	I think timber panels instead of corten panels would be more in keeping with the environment	Otema	35-49
2	1	1	Why do you think it is Ohk to take away sports fields espically when sport in otematata is only gonna grow for example rugby cricket and so on instead of spending money on shit fix what we already have it's bullshit	Otematata	25-34
4	5	10	I love the plan. Would like to see the area outside the hall being a recreational space instead of the driveway. Maybe this goes around the back of the hall and utilities the parking but upgraded.	Otematata	50-64
4	5	8	Don't plant poplar trees 🤔 please use native 🌳	Ote	50-64
4	5	8	Love it looks fantastic , not sure on poplar trees as a good choice	Ote	50-64

1	1	1		Ote	65+
2	2	2	I think that some of the plan encroaches too much on the sports field. I also think that some of the equipment is going to be vandalised and wrecked. Nice idea but that's what happens here. Also as a business owner the mounds etc are cutting us off visually from passing traffic.	Otematata	50-64
5	5	10	I'm aware some folk would like a cricket pitch , rugby field, two touch rugby fields and one training field. I'm okay with this, BUT, as long as the beautification plantings, bespoke seating, grassy mounds etc are tweaked to ensure they continue to be included in the overall park development	Otematata	50-64
5	3	4	Popular trees dangerous around recreation areas too tall for our strong winds, maybe consider some types of conifers so we have greenery all year. I feel paneling would provide vandales with targets to damage with rocks/bottles. Fitness equipment yet another potential target for vandales r	Otematata	65+

4	2	3	<p>First of all the plan has moved away from improving the play ground to adding a place for cyclist to enjoy a cuppa or lunch. As you can clearly see most cyclist stop at hydro cafe then they carry on their merry way. The children's play ground doesn't have much additions to it at all let alone a sensory addition....is the sensory for children or adults? Children need equipments they xan explore and to have hours of fun all year round. The bike and skate park hasnt had any other addition or other recreational focused and the focus have shifted. Then the sports ground has been minimized to add other addition onto and I think its a big mistake. Adding sporting equipments onto the field is a mistake as this will wear out quickly due to the hash weather of Otematata. Who will look after this and where is the funding coming from fir wear and tear? Why hasnt there been a youth elected onto the panel so they can a have say in designing the ground as they are the future of thus town going forward? I can name a few that lives in Otematata. The sports ground need room for audience to park. As far as I can see this wasnt thought off. The sports ground need a change room plus toilet and showers. If this design is a long term plan for growing Otematata who is to say the population of Otematata wont grow as well. Therefore Otematata sport's ground must stay without minimizing the ground for other additions.</p>	Otematata	35-49
5	5	8	Love it but not keen on poplar trees they are a weed in out town	Otem	50-64
3	2	7	Absolutely no poplar trees. They are weeds. Plant natives if more trees are needed	Ote	65+
1	1	0		Ote	65+

4	3	7	Think there should be native plants not tussock/grasses in the areas shown on the layouts. The area is alpine based but is not the Lindis and should not be represented as so. There are plenty of amazing natives and other plants that would provide just as good coverage and scenery. Gravel paths are not easy for pushchairs and wheelchairs and elderly people walking whether they are compacted or not. Trees I think we should be looking native not maples - I understand the need for fast growth but we should still look at other alternatives, the poplars will need to be well maintained as they are pretty looking but not sure on long term. Love the changes to the kids park and the extra exercise items (possibly this could be spread around the park and make a running track) entrance way to town is ok, just question the tussock again	Otematata	50-64
5	4	10	Not in favor of the teenage area. Enough damage and vandalism in town	Otema	50-64
4	4	8	I really like the concept but do worry about losing the sports ground	Ote	65+
4	4	8	I like the plans to develop the park and sports fields. With 6 grandchildren 6 to 8 I would like to see the playground developed. I am not in favour of 2 rugby fields and think they can still play cricket on a smaller than usual field. It's not like the black caps will be playing and there is quite a difference in field sizes in NZ and Australia. Would like to see the speed reduced on the highway, Put the main highway crossing where the gate from the field is and then put a formed path to the alps to ocean bike track and the hotel, not of course on the golf course. Cheers.	Otematata	65+
4	5	8	It will be a fantastic enhancement to	Othe	50-64
5	5	10	Can't see your engagement with Iwi?	Othe	50-64

4	5	8	Really impressed with the plans. Would like to ensure there's full inclusivity for disabled users especially in the playground area. I imagine a consultant is involved with this? Also, would like to suggest some kind of sculpture/art commission to reflect the area. There appears to be a lot of funding from government for this type of thing right now. The project even lends itself to a sculpture trail. A permanent outdoor art exhibition. Could really put Otematata on the map. With a central artwork could also serve as a kind of signature for the town. A focal point.	Outside NZ	35-49
4	3	4	I don't think poplars and maples are a good choice. Further thought should be given to native plantings and enhancing the natural ecosystem of the area. I like the idea of providing additional facilities for the bike trail and flow into the town. Perhaps though could be given to the current demographic and what would enhance older people's access and enjoyment to these areas?	Outside NZ	35-49
5	5	9	Great	Tima	35-49
5	5	8	An exciting proposal	Tim	65+
3	3	3	The presentation is boring I have up watching it. The plan gets a lukewarm response from me.	Timaru	65+
5	5	9	looks great	Tima	50-64
5	5	7	Thanks for a great presentation	Tim	65+
5	5	10	May provide the Catalyst for somebody to open a cafe serving breakfasts and lunches	Tim	65+
5	5	8	Think it looks fabulous! Would love to see an inclusion of a Disc golf course as these prove to be very popular in other small towns eg Twizel Tekapo. Personally don't think the fitness gear is a good idea. Lots of parks in Timaru have it and you never see people on the gear - there is a gym in the Ote hall if people want gym gear. They end up just having kids play on them and deteriorating out in the elements	Timaru	35-49
5	4	10	Happy with the proposal but don't want to see poplar trees planted would prefer natives	Tima	50-64
3	3	5	Why use poplars? Natives would be better	Tima	50-64

4	4	8	Please don't plant poplar trees, native trees would be so much better. Evergreen rather than deciduous	Timaru	50-64
5	4	8	People wont use the road crossing made if it is not convenient	Tim	65+
5	4	8		Tima	35-49
4	5	10	It looks amazing and will be great	Tima	50-64
4	4	8	Hopefully the trees do not obstruct the view from the direction of Waitaki east drive	Tima	35-49
3	3	5	I like the enhancements proposed but would like the original playing field left alone and work plantings etc around it. How well will this proposal be maintained?	Christchurc	50-64
1	1	2		Ote	65+
3	3	5	Need to create an area for all, including elderly, young adults, parents and kids. Lets embrace some change, and make this an area Otematata can be proud of in years to come	Oamaru	50-64
4	4	7	A wonderful concept so long as maintenance of the areas is kept up to date	Oam	50-64
3	3	4		Chris	35-49
3	3	3	Definitely keep the bike jumps and skating ramps	Ote	35-49
3	2	5	Ote gets hot hot. Shading needs considering. Walking onto the park and getting views of the hills is a highlight. So mounds and planned trees block that. Save money and lose the steel. It will get hit to touch and will get graffitied (protected or not). Keep a set of rugby posts and cricket wicket at least. I've never seen outdoor fitness machines get used - really worth it? Also - no kids like those heavy accessible roundabouts. Are there enough accessible houses in Ote to justify the equipment? Think about a feature play item - commission a large #chchswing and look to Margaret mahy for what makes a good playground, Ote needs water play. Think better than the playground equipment brochures. The three way water aquifers like at Taupo prawn farm. More landscaping features and planting and path welcomed but think more fun - power generation themed. Make Ote special. This is very 'same same' small town upgrade. Find some fun please.	Christchurch	35-49

5	2	2	<p>I do like the proposed plan BUT we do need to keep the future of Otematata in the front line, if we do get bigger we may one day get sports back in to the village, to lose the grounds for something that resembles Queenstown we will forever be regretting the decisions made, there is a lot of time and money to make it look like the plan when we could use that money on upgrading other things, Don't ask me what they may be but I'm Shaw there is lots that could do with a tidy up, YES I do think we need an upgrade of the playground for the kids to enjoy there days here but keep it to the top end where the playground is, make your hill mounds, put in the BBQs, I personally was trying to get that done years ago but not a happening thing as to much admin was involved and been a young person with an idea at the time probably wasn't looked upon that positively, the dirt tracks wouldn't have been there if it wasn't for some of us younger persons in the town, I personally spent pretty much a howl day on a digger moving dirt that others had put there before me to try and make it in to a useable friendly dirt track to be enjoyed by others and I see lots off ppl using it, yes it has deteriorated over time but I couldn't afford the hire of the digger to tidy it up again, I would do it in a heartbeat, also the concrete that was placed there, all done voluntarily by myself and others but unfortunately never was allowed to be finished as council came in to play and health n safety was bought in, again if we were left to finish it off the way we had planned it it would be much better than the half finished project it is, sorry to rant on but I'm all about the kids and there adventures in the playground area, but for the sports field if we get rid of it it will never come back, get a pavilion back up and running, that will encourage more out of town teams to play in our awesome little town, I hope to see change but in a good and effective way that keeps us all moving forward but thinking of the future, Happy to talk any time, Cheers Hayden Dry</p>	Otematata	25-34
3	2	4	<p>2 m for mounds of dirt to high to mow. Put fitness loop at the outer edge of paddock. Electric bike and electric car stations in front of the shop. Lower the speed zone. Upgrade playground with mounds of dirt up there not by the corner by shop. An artificial cricket pitch be good in between the fields. The concept needs tweaking sure it can work with everyone's ideas. Need to leave the green area of the fields as once it's gone you can never get it back.</p>	Elsewhere in the South Island	35-49
4	4	8	<p>Like the designs, especially the playground improvements and plantings/seating spaces. Wouldn't want to see the sports field carved up though.</p>	Dunedin	50-64

3	2	2	Need to keep our sports field and at the same size for football games , cricket and room for kids to gave a good flat out run and kick the ball. No to running track, not big enough for that, plenty down the wetlands to run. outside gymnasium not applicable, pay a fee and support the local well equipped gymnasium at the hall. kids playground looks good, definite no to popular trees, too big, spreads roots, dangerous in our high winds, natives would be nice. thanks Pauline Thompson.	Otematata	65+
3	2	3	I have real concern with the plan to reduce the effective recreational area of the community park. I refer here to the reduction in size of the area available for the playing of rugby, cricket, touch etc. Once green spaces are gone we will never get them back. Otematata is growing and looking forward , the park is a huge asset. If parking space is a concern, has thought been given to converting the Rata St park into a parking area; it is currently seldom used except by a University surveying group for 5 days of the year.!	Otematata	65+
5	4	8	I do not want to see the park reduced in size or the removal of trees unless they re unsafe or unsightly	Otematata	65+
4	2	1	I personally feel we don't need to change the field area we need to keep what we have. Few extra trees and maybe the kids park done up a little but the rest leave as is and maybe one day get changing rooms etc. bring more games to town	Otematata	25-34
4	5	9	love the play ground concept, it is more intune with all ages of children and catering for teenagers, families, sport groups. Is there new fencing around the park part of the plan?, is there space for a petinque court, possibly a cricket cage/area?I love the plantings of the native grasses, maple trees, are there other options of trees that can be used instead if the poplar tree? I understand the colour in the autumn is stunning,they do grow quite large.	Dunedin	50-64
5	5	8	The plans provide for the young and old in the town, visitors and residents. Great to see ideas for the current community.	Otematata	50-64

3	2	4	<p>Lots happening in our great community, one of the biggest exciting projects is the funding options CLDP for Otematata projects. Lots going on behind the scenes with the various groups headed by local residents. The Otematata Park Concept Plan closes tonight at 10pm, and I need to submit my thoughts on this plan. Our Sports field, Domain what ever you wish to call it has survived approximately 59 years. I played on it as a child, we had rugby rooms on the area, always had a playground, when we fell on that equipment, we hit hard ground similar to concrete ! Never did it again ! Over the years when sub divisions were planned in our town you had to pay considerable money to the council for green spaces, recreational areas etc. Must admit never did see the areas expand but we still kept what we had. The Otematata Park Concept Plan in my opinion needs to be tweaked so it doesn't adjust what we already have, our town is growing, Otematata is one of the few towns in the valley with this amazing asset. I played on this area as a child, my children played on this area, I would hope my grandchildren will do the same. Otematata in my opinion is all about lifestyle, probably not relevant but where else do you see, vehicles parked on footpaths, families walking on the road, children riding their bikes anywhere ! Dogs running off their leads preferred out of town, golf carts driving (we won't say anymore on that). The sports field has been used for sports, kids kicking a ball, kite flying, bikes, skate boards, I have even seen horses on the field as well as very baby motorbikes maybe not ideal. Otematata is wanting to grow wanting to welcome more people into our beautiful town. But if this sports field is changed then we may never get it back, even it could be used as a subdivision, oh no. I am not against change or dare I say exciting improvements but we have a Sports field that no one else has "let it be", could do with a decent fence, also still hanging on after Hydro days. I will be submitting my single opinion with my name recorded in the feedback.</p>	Otematata	50-64
3	3	3	<p>I would rather have monies spent on announcing Otematata at both entrances to the town a tree line or something that says Welcome to Otematata.the crossing of the main highway is a priority also.the car park in frint of On The Spot and community all needs to be moved to around the back by the library and the green grass area should be made inviting for visitor's to sit under umbrellas and at tables where they can enjoy lunch. Spend money on these areas would be mire valuable than prettying up the areas you have put foward. The playground i would like to see more equipment plus sun shade which is safly lacking. Also invest in outdoor bbq</p>	Otematata	65+