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# **Executive Summary**

Youth Plan 2023 - 2028

#### Purpose

The purpose of the Youth Plan is to provide a strategic framework for the delivery of services to young people aged 0 to 25 in the City of Kalamunda community. The Youth Plan guides the City's engagement with young people, driving participation, advocacy, support, planning and execution with other invested stakeholders.

#### Engaging with the Community

The City of Kalamunda undertook community engagement to allow for ample opportunity for the public to participate in consultation. This engagement ran from 25 October 2021 to 27 January 2022.

Community Consultation for the project was delivered via a comprehensive *Communications and Engagement Plan* prepared in line with IAP2 best practice principles. The Plan delivered to IAP2 spectrum level 'collaboration' to partner with the public in each aspect of the decision including the development of alternatives and identification of the preferred solution.

#### Key Engagement findings:

We saw a notable uptake within the community for this consultation. The surveys received 329 submissions, facebook polls received promising engagement across both instagrama nd Facebook, with organic social media receiving 3,342 engagements and 255 comments. Additionally the campaigns offered

In delivering the overarching campaign the City hosted:

- » 3 x community surveys on the Engage HQ platform supported by direct links to information and supporting agencies.
- » A targeted social media campaign including multiple Stories and polls across Facebook and Instagram, and paid Meta advertising garnering 512 Link Clicks, 68,746 Impressions, and 44 Landing Page Views.
- » Printed media including fliers, survey and newspaper adverts.
- » Website news and media releases.
- » 12 individual face-to-face engagement events.

The campaign delivered three separate surveys aimed at reaching all three demographics who will have value to add in contributing feedback to the consultation:

**Generation Alpha (aged o-8)** The Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS), states that within the City of Kalamunda there are 3,523 children between 0-4 years, 3,889 children between 5-8 years.

- » 86% were female, 14% were male.
- » 40% were from Kalamunda, 25% from Forrestfield, 13% were each from Roleystone and Lesmurdie.

- » 60% felt were Very Important.
- » The vast majority felt Friendships (other than family), Family relationships, School, Feeling good about oneself, and Playing sports were Very Important.

**Generation Z (aged 9-25)** The ABS states that within the City of Kalamunda there are 3,763 children between 9-14 years, 3,906 persons between 15-19 years, and 3,315 persons between 20-24 years.

- » 73% were female, 18% were male, and 9% did not to say.
- » 23% were from High Wycombe, 20% from Kalamunda, 12% from Lesmurdie, 10% from Forrestfield, and the remaining 34% was spread over 19 separate suburbs.
- » 27% were aged 25 and under, indicating that the remaining 73% were in fact 'not youth'.
- » The majority felt Friendships (other than family), Family relationships, Education opportunities, Mental health, Physical health, Securing/performing in a job, Community, Sports/hobbies, were Very Important; while
- » The majority felt School or study satisfaction, Money, Culture/cultural identity, and Religion were Important.
- » The majority felt the following areas were Concerning or Extremely Concerning: Academic ability, Academic ability, Bullying/emotional abuse, Lack of social connection, COVID-19, Securing a job/career path, Discrimination and inequity, Domestic/family violence, Suicide, Social Media, Money, Family conflict, Personal safety, Physical and mental health, Body image, and Climate change/environment,.
- » The majority felt the following areas were Not in Their Headspace: Sexual health, LGBTIQA+ issues, and Alcohol and drugs,.

**Not You(th) (parents/carers/etc)** The total population of the City of Kalamunda is considered to be 57,449 persons, therefore cumulatively the youth segment represents just over 32% of the population, and it is anticipated that this will continue to grow in the coming years. There are 3,751 couples with young children in City of Kalamunda in 2016, comprising 17.8% of households.

- » 93% were female, 7% were male.
- » 30% were from Kalamunda, 19% from Lesmurdie, 15% from Gooseberry Hill, 11% from High Wycombe, 9% from Forrestfield and the remaining 6 suburbs held 16%.
- » 23% felt Employment Skills should be priority, compared to 19% of Gen Z
- » 19% felt Good Citizenship/Values should be priority, similar to 18% of Gen Z.
- » 18% felt Personal Development should be priority, similar to 19% of Gen Z.
- » 17% felt Life Skills should be priority, with 14% of Gen Z.
- » 12% felt Learning Opportunities should be priority, compared to 15% of Gen Z.
- » 11% felt Fun Experiences should be priority, compared to 15% of Gen Z.



# **Community Engagement**

#### **Communications and Engagement Objectives**

- » Understand what the City's youth need and want from their geographic, physical, cultural and professional environment
- » Understand what the City's youth are uninterested in or do not value
- » Raise awareness of the City of Kalamunda's existing programs, clinics and youth related services

#### **Executing on Objectives via**

- » Consultations with young people via focus groups, social media, online surveys, and school workshops
- Consultations with stakeholders via focus groups, social media, online surveys, and school workshops
- » Analysis of emerging research and practice, academic findings, and statistical data

#### **Communications and Engagement Tools and Channels**

The City engaged with key stakeholders and the broader community via:

Engagement Tools	Objectives
Media Release (MR)	Targeting media outlets for a broader community reach.
Website News	Accessible, translatable, transparent. Single point reference. Links to Engagement Portal and Social Media.
Engagement Portal	FAQs, Online survey, additional reading, useful links.
Printed Flier and Survey	Print is tangible, tactile, is viewed as trustworthy and reaches stakeholders who are not Online.  The flier and survey were distributed across all the City's buildings. E.g. Libraries, Rec Centre.
Social Media Campaign	Targeted posts can reach stakeholders 24/7: Facebook posts, Twitter, Instagram.
Face-to-Face	Directly address stakeholder enquiries.
Newspaper Adverts	Reach broader community who do not have Online access.
Posters and Brochures	Visual campaign.

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## **Direct Engagements and Channels**

Engagement	Participants	Outcomes
Youth Action Kalamunda April 2021 Meeting	10	Group discussed contents of proposed campaign plan and surveys, the group suggested edits and performed general brainstorming
Student Leader- ship Day	30	Student leaders from almost all of the City's primary and secondary schools came together for a leadership development day. The Youth team had them all to fill out the survey to find any challenges and identify questions that participants found confusing or irrelevant.
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R U OK Day	400+	Lesmurdie SHS and Darling Range SHS promoted the survey and the Youth Team conducted both short and verbal surveys with students.

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## Direct Engagements and Channels (Cont.)

Engagement	Participants	Outcomes
Forrestfield Night Markets	10	The Youth Team engaged in verbal conversations and post-it note questions.
		What is your biggest concern for youth in our community?
		Jobs
		Support Programs Pre & Teens Mental Health
		Social Etiquette
		Disconnection due to social media
		Activations for engagement
		What opportunities do you want to see for youth?
		Gym for kids in primary school
		More variety in the Kid Sport Grants i.e. squash or tennis
		Cooking Class in Forrestfield * *
		After school activities for teens not sporty
		More parks in Forrestfield with BBQs and toilets
		Improved access for students to computers and ipads
		Game class for kids in primary school. An hour toddler weekly learning
		What should local government's role be in supporting young people?
		Lobbying for bus routes on weekends *  Details for the control of the contro
		Better bus service from Mazenod to Wattle Grove     More Youth Officers
		More Youth Officers
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Forrestfield Skate Clinic	14	The Youth Team engaged in verbal conversations to ascertain the following feedback:
		» More BMXing/ mountain biking facilities (e.g. dirt jumps (in High Wycombe), skate parks)
		» More workshops (e.g. BMX tricks workshops)
		» Opportunities to ride through different suburbs (like a bike trail that takes riders through picturesque areas throughout the City of Kalamunda?)
		» Interests: Sports (e.g. basketball), gaming, BMXing
		<ul> <li>Suggestions made: Bayswater jumps have been taken down.</li> <li>Reuse the lips of those for future projects</li> </ul>

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Direct Engagements and Channels (Cont.)

Engagement	Participants	Outcomes
'Kalamunda Day' at Kalamunda SHS	200+	The Youth Team engaged with students holding 200+ conversations and completing 100 surveys. In addition to the surveys the team collated the following feedback:
		What is your biggest concern for youth in our community?
		» Bullying/ teasing
		» Drugs (being forced to take drugs/ drug dealing)
		» LQBTQI+ hate
		» School
		» Smoking
		» Mental health
		» Racism
		» Lack of respect (e.g. for teachers, from adults to their children)
		» Not enough stuff to do
		» Teasing
		» Not being safe or trusted
		» Alcohol
		» Kidnapping
		» Environmental issues
		» People not listening to warnings
		» Physical health
		» Vaping
		» Discrimination/ Exclusion
		» Running away due to unsafe households
		» Starvation
		» Social media/ internet/ cyber bullying
		» Lack of Sleep
		» Sexism
		» Ableism

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## Direct Engagements and Channels (Cont.)

Engagement	Participants	Outcomes
'Kalamunda Day'	200+	What opportunities do you want to see for youth?
at Kalamunda SHS		» More safe places/ hang out spaces (e.g. art+skate)
3113		» Caring for animals
		» More/ better infrastructure (e.g. riding tracks/ nice parks/ swimming pools/ libraries)
		» Improvements to the bus network
		» Better mental health support (e.g. meditation, youth-drop-in activities)
		» More sport (e.g. squash, netball, basketball, soccer, tennis, footy)
		» More performing arts (e.g. drama, dance)
		» More games
		» Support with school (e.g. Education opportunities, managing stress)
		What should local government's role be in supporting young people?
		» Support people struggling with mental health
		» Provide job opportunities
		» Support people with a disability
		» Conduct workshops at schools (e.g. on work experience and different dance styles)/ have more school visits
		» Provide better skate parks
		» Have an animal care center
		» Support older people
		» Respect those who are a different race/ gender and people with a disability
		» Help community groups
		» Put more money into supporting students with school
		» Stop cyber bullying
Kalamunda Li- brary Pop Up	20+	Direct conversations at the opening of the Poster Promotion at the Kalamunda Library.

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Direct Engagements and Channels (Cont.)

Engagement	Participants	Outcomes
Kalamunda Secondary Education Support Centre Council Chambers Visit	3	The Youth Team engaged in verbal conversations to ascertain the following feedback:  What do you want to see in the community?  » Reptile Workshop  » Nature information  » Singing & Music  » Music Rocks  » Performance  » Relationship Trouble  » Interpersonal Training and Support  » Teenagers Awareness  » Maths Day  » Courses - Help  » Community Assistance  » Volunteering  » Workplace Coordinator
School's Out Pool Party	-	Promotion of online survey
Youth Futures- cape Forum #1	-	Kalamunda Central Shopping Centre, round robin stations of consultations:  What should our priority be? With moveable numbers  Design your perfect community collage  Drop a button to vote on where you find out about activities  VR Headset – visit cities around the world and tell us why you like them  Promotion of online survey

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## Direct Engagements and Channels (Cont.)

Participants	Outcomes
-	Hawaiians Forrestfield Shopping Centre, round robin stations of consultations:
	» What should our priority be? With moveable numbers
	» Design your perfect community collage
	» Drop a button to vote on where you find out about activities
	» VR Headset – visit cities around the world and tell us why you like them
	» Promotion of online survey
	The Youth Team engaged with students holding 100+ conversations and completing surveys. In addition to the surveys the team collated the following feedback through a collaborative mural activity to identify what our youth value about the community:  Friendship  Esther  The Forest/ bush  God  Loyalty  Trust  Community  Family  Mother nature  Exercising  Community Events  Pool
	-

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## **Example of Communications**

#### **Communications included:**

- » Community Survey
- » Social Media Awareness Campaign
- » Website: Linking to contributing nodes
- » Media Release
- » Newspaper advertisements
- » Posters/fliers and e Newsletters
- » FAQs
- » Face-to-Face

Content was posted across the City's buildings and shared with Stakeholders.



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Youth Plan - Happening now!

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## **Direct Digital Engagement**

#### **Electronic Direct Mail**

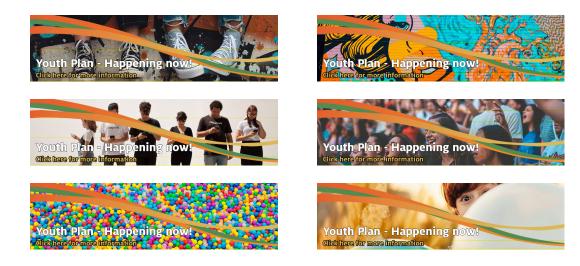
Direct emails were sent to school contacts containing background information of the Youth Plan consultation and opportunities to engage and partake in the consultation. Both hard and digital copies were delivered to schools with invitation to participate, copies of all surveys, template social media posts, fliers, postcards and offers to have our Youth Team attend the schools to directly engage with students to generate conversation and feedback. This mail was sent to the following groups and all primary and secondary schools within the City of Kalamunda.

#### To:

- » Darling Range Headmasters (to distribute to Team Leaders within schools)
- » P+C's
- » School chaplains
- » Sporting and hobby clubs
- » OSH/after school care organisations
- » Playgroups

#### **Electronic Direct Mail**

Custome email signatures were generated for the Youth and Community Development team to include in all corrospondance to encourage awareness and emgagement of the consultation and prompt uptake across all communications.



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## **Giveaway Incentives**

#### **OLI Clothing Campaign**

"Oli is a small clothing label based in Perth, specialising in hand drawn and hand printed t's. Founded in 2012, in the last 8 years Oli has gone from a bedroom hobby to a hands on eight person team with a high street store in Northbridge. Run by co-owners and partners Oliver McDonald and Phoebie Walton, Oli aims at creating product which can be considered everyday wears. With a heavy emphasis on detail and quality, Oli hopes to produce garments which last the test of time but also don't date."

The target demographic for Oil clothing is the same youth sector was is being targeted by the campaign. The Youth Team was thrilled to secure a customer t-shirt as merchandise to utilise as an incentive for a social media campaign to generate traffic and conversation.

#### Key question: Tell us what you want to see in the community to go in the draw for a free oli shirt:

- » Tree Planting Program
- » Conserving biodiversity in our community
- » More fast food places
- » Festival
- » Public Outdoor Basketball courts
- » Drag race through Kalamunda

Accounts reached: 206 (+207%)
Accounts engaged: 42 (+4100%)
Content engage: 120 (+11,900%)
Campaign engaged with +1,300% more accounts that weren't following Kala Youth compared with the fortnight previous

#### **UBER and VISA cash cards**

In order to generate interest in, and encourage participation the project team utilised UBER Eats and VISA gift cards in random draws as incentives.



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## Youth Flagship Artwork

#### **Leah Addison Flagship Artwork**

To inform the community about the existence of the youth plan consultation, a variety of messaging and engagement tactics were explored and developed for use. One key one involved the distribution of custom designed postcards with the youth plan consultation details included on the back, with the hope that a contemporary and youthful design would be kept as artwork rather than ending up as waste.

Leah Addison, an emerging Visual Artist from Perth designed the the artwork athat was distributed at community events, community centres and local cafes. This project helped showcase local talent by utilising a young artis, whilst providing another vehicle for engagement.

The purpose of this design was to reflect the local youth community and explore our moving into the future in a colourful, bold and engaging design. We wanted the artwork to be standalone and speak for itself, to be enjoyed as an artwork if retained after the consultation, while subtly referencing the following themes:

- » Youth
- » Future
- » Community
- » Possibility



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# Social Media | Campaign post insights

**Campaign Channels** 

#### Social Media Feedback







**40** Organic Social Media Posts & Stories



512 Link Clicks



**255** Post Comments



68,746 Impressions



3 Meta Paid Ad Sets

Due to the incredibly large amount of feedback received through social media, not all comments have been included. The following comments are represenative of the narrative. Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents. Comments have been included without any identifying indicators.

> @cityofkalamunda that's fantastic to hear, I can't wait to see what you do with the spaces

... Stirk Park was good for nature scape until they fence off the creek and water fall

Really? Your asking this again? How about some action instead of questions?

> We head down the hill for our fun these days. Sad that there's not a lot up here. Except lots of run down parks.

To keep and upgrade Kalamunda Water Park. It's one of our only real family attractions that is suitable for

> Thank you for the update. Is funding the primary obstacle? Crowdfunding for the park and engaging sponsors could also be a way forward to secure the needed funds.

A warm pool please!

love the waterslides as it's all ages friendly! We go to the schools out pool party every year

A decent playground at Stirk Park

We drive to mundaring to utilise the sculpture playground. Please upgrade stirk park while my kids are still young enough to play there.

Stirk Park, all the designs and promises years and years ago but nothing. Now asking with yet another survey? Again. Just get on with it. All the plans are there.

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# Social Media | Social media comments









The kalamunda skatepark upgrade/relocation plan should be set in motion. Because of its small size it doesn't allow many users st once and can lead to hostility especially when advanced users are forced to work around less skilled users. It's also unfair on beginners as they can feel insignificant and even bullied out if trying to learn because they are unable to use the limited services available

. There a no decent play grounds up here in the Kalamunda Shire for kids. I've been a mum for 7 years now and nothing has changed.... and now they want to get rid of the Kalamunda pools?! What is going on with this council?

my kids are 17 and 20 now so the ship has well and truly sailed but it's still infuriating. Nothing has changed though since I was a child/teen up here. I've said it many times before… You can't promote the hills and a "tree change" lifestyle to families if you don't accommodate their needs

Really! Just get on with what has been suggested before! My grandkids will be adults before you lot get your acts together. If you can't handle the commitments of council, then get out and let someone in who can. Just have a look around our Shire, and compare to Belmont. Belmont is streaks ahead. Out pathways, our verges, our facilities, our parks all belong to the 70's.

Something like Bayswater Waves, that can be used all year round, by the whole community.

A skate park, like Fleming Reserve, with playground, BBQ & toilets - bright, open & modern.

What about a Roller Rink?

Or a Youth Club?

Or a place where teenagers can sit, chat & have chips or a soft drink, after 8pm?

Or any place that you can get a coffee after 8pm, that isn't a pub or tavern!

CoK is turning into a giant retirement home.... family blocks being divided into 3 & 4 small homes with no gardens.

There is nothing up here for older kids & teenagers.

It a shame really, when we have to take the kids all the way to kings park to play at nature scape park... there is nothing up the hill like this, but we are surrounded by places that could be!!

I'd like to see Loins Lookout improved,

Eg Toilets.

Maybe a restaurant.

Some where to go and enjoy the veiw, with a meal.

The Bush around Bmx track improved.

With Local Natives, pond for furry friends ETC

Lots of people walk to the shops from Ray Owen. The track used is now inside school grounds.

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# Social Media | Social media comments









we have the best bush spaces and nature play but how about a real family play ground...parkour type park where parents, teens and tweens can exercise together....not just a little kids park...

Shire planning teams should actually visit playgrounds in neighbouring shires to see what they are doing. We routinely drive to Woodbridge or Mundaring for their playgrounds. Fully enclosed, unlike our park which is downright dangerous with traffic speeding down the hill (what about some speed bumps?!), they offer an array of nature based play equipment, water play and more. Stirk has equipment from when I was a very small child... I really wish more pride was taken in our community spaces, as we have such a beautiful home. We are a community of young families, yet our playgrounds do not cater to us.

You have been told a thousand times a year what kalamunda needs and u do nothing.. all u do do is excite us with surveys that cost money and go nowhere.. my familg do enjoy your party wrapped pieces of junk scattered around the Shire tho.. sure beats picking it up!

Stirk park used to be so popular years ago as a beautiful playground its so dated now, we take our grandchildren out of the area to other shires playgrounds its such a shame, it would be great to put an updated play area and more tables and BBQ's through the park for people to enjoy and use the park more.

Also years ago there was a trial for a bus service to Cottesloe Beach it was never very well publicised I think youth would utilise this service through the school holidays at least.

Upgrade Kalamunda water park to what it used to be.

Upgrade Stirk park playgrounds (and add a splash pad).

Install that skate park that was designed for Stirk Park.

Bring back Rollerama.

New fenced adventure playground area with cafe attached fully enclosed (like Woodbridge Riveraide Playground/Park). (I will respond to the link too of course).

Build the skate park, we've been waiting years for

If you really want to do something for the kids, how about for their future? So much disposable plastic being produced everyday, going into the ocean and the soil breaking down into particles we will unknowingly consume. I suggest helping the public get to know our waste management system in the hills better. Stalls at the markets, education about what can and can't be recycled and fliers with most updated lists of recyclables send to all residents. Get kids involved with education days so they can feel better for helping and they will encourage their parents

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# Social Media | Social media comments









We desperately need a safe fenced in out door / indoor play Center / playground for young children who have developmental delays - non verbal. My son has autism and we need simple, safe play equipment that parents or carers are able to go on to assist children who can't play independently yet.

A space that there's no restrictions for the child where "no you can't do this because" needs to be explained because we have no communication skills.

This would be an amazing thing for Kalamunda as there is nowhere in perth that has unlimited space for the things I have mentioned for ASD (or similar) non verbal children. All ASD kids are different and there lies the difficulty however a place with no restrictions for them, pictures to help transitions & it being safe is a great way to make it board enough for many of them I would hope

Upgraded parks and facilities... for all ages, and families to enjoy. Upgraded public spaces for community to come together... parks, and the town area... there's no inviting community area in town that forms a place to meet, hang, for people of all ages just to be and spend time.

Believe it or not, the City of Kalamunda branches out so much further than Kalamunda itself. ALOT further. The playground at Stirk Park is great compared to 90% of the others within the community, alot of which are extremely dangerous and old. especially in places like Forrestfield. Lets upgrade those first BEFORE fixing one that has heaps in comparison and operates perfectly fine and safe.

At Elizabeth Quay they have a FREE outdoor water playground area with lots of shade. Something like that would be awesome for the hot summer months for the kids. Maybe we could utilise Kalamunda Water Park for that?

What's the point? My son has been waiting half his life for a new skate park. He's now 17 and no longer interested.

Maybe ask some kindy kids what they would like when they are adults, because that seems to be how long my takes to see any progress up here.

We drive to mundaring to utilise the sculpture playground. Please upgrade stirk park while my kids are still young enough to play there.

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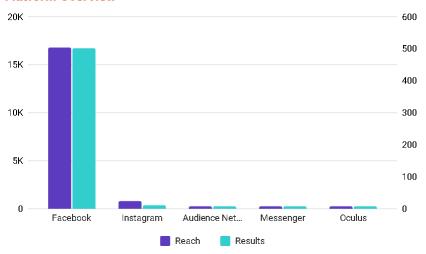
# Social Media | Meta advertising insights

#### **Meta Advertising**

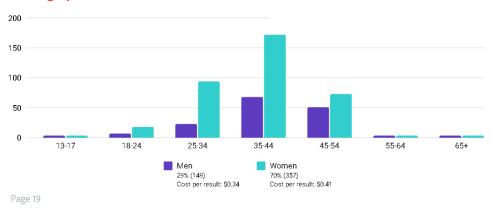
### **Performance Overview**



#### **Platform Overview**



#### **Demographic Overview**



## MARKYT® Community Scorecard Report

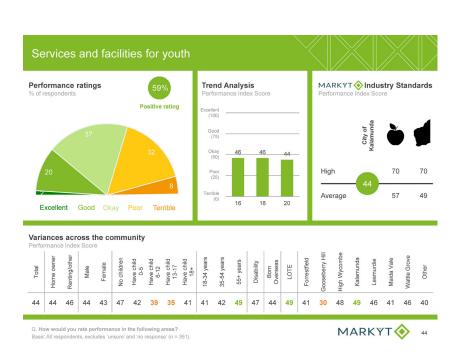
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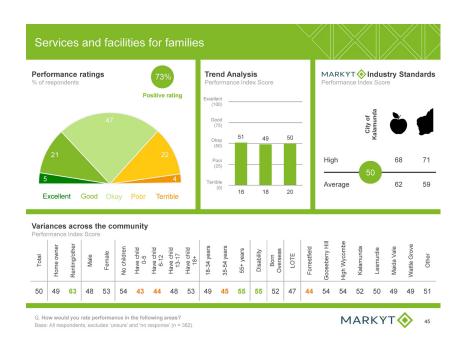
The City of Kalamunda commissioned CATALYSE®to conduct a MARKYT®Community Scorecard from 23 March to 14 April 2020. The purpose of the study was to evaluate community priorities and measure Council's performance against key indicators in the Strategic Community Plan.

Scorecard invitations were sent to 4,000 randomly selected households; 1,000 by mail and 3,000 by email.

483 randomly selected residents and ratepayers completed a scorecard.

One of the MARKYT Community Scorecard key recommendations is for the City of Kalamunda to take a more active leadership and advocacy role in relation to **climate change** and **community wellbeing.** 2 in 3 residents support further action by the City in these areas.





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#### **Strategic Planning Alignment**

Kalamunda Advancing Strategic Community Plan 2021-2031

#### **Priority 1: Kalamunda Cares and Interacts**

Objective 1.1 - To be a community that advocates, facilitates and provides quality lifestyle choices.

- » Strategy 1.1.2 Empower, support and engage with young people, families and our culturally diverse community.
- » Strategy 1.1.3 Facilitate opportunities to pursue learning.

Objective 1.2 - To provide safe and healthy environments for community to enjoy.

- » Strategy 1.2.1 Facilitate a safe community environment.
- » Strategy 1.2.3 Provide high quality and accessible recreational and social spaces and facilities.

Objective 1.3 - To support the active participation of local communities.

- » Strategy 1.3.1 Support local communities to connect grow and shape the future of Kalamunda.
- » Strategy 1.3.2 Encourage and promote the active participation in social and cultural events.

#### Priority 4: Kalamunda Leads

Objective 4.1 - To provide leadership through transparent governance.

- » Strategy 4.1.2 Build and effective and efficient service based organization.
- Objective 4.2 To proactively engage and partner for the benefit of community.
- » Strategy 4.2.1 Actively engage with the community in innovative ways.

#### **IAP2 Spectrum of Public Participation**

Community Consultation for the project will be delivered via this Communications and Engagement Plan prepared in line with IAP2 best practice principles. The plan is designed to meet IAP2 Spectrum Collaboration level.

**Public Participation Goal:** To partner with the public in each aspect of the decision including the development of alternatives and identification of the preferred solution.

**Promise to the Public:** We will look to you for advice and innovation in formulating solutions and incorporate your advice and recommendations into the decisions to the maximum extent possible.

Youth Plan 2023-2028: Engage (Survey)
Overview

# Survey | Gen Alpha

The Survey received 30 responses

# Survey | Gen Z

The Survey received 198 responses

# **Survey** | Gen You(th)

The Survey received 101 responses

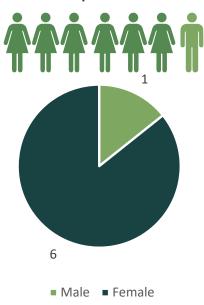


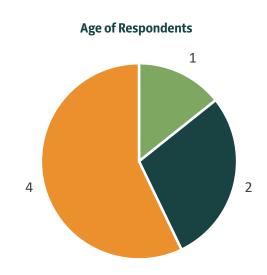


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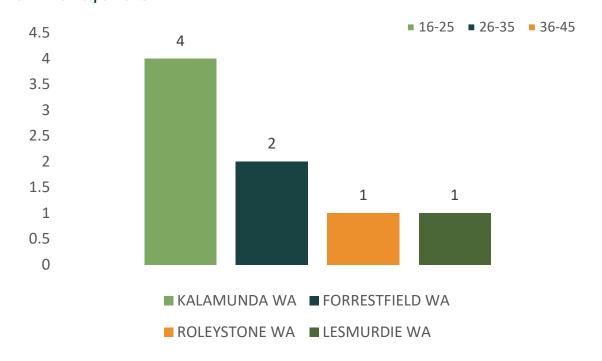
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### **Gender of Respondents**





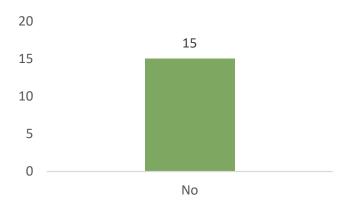
### **Suburb of Respondents**



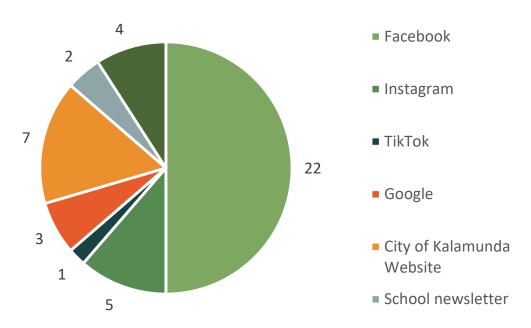
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# Do you live with a disability or require assistance with very day activities?



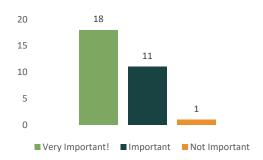
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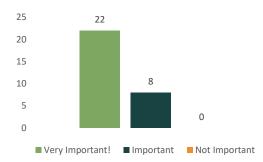
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### 1. What is important to you?

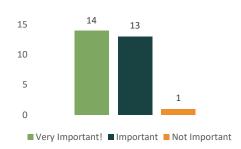
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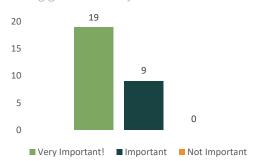
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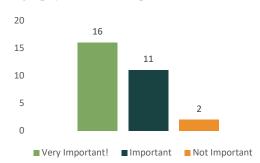
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Feeling good about myself

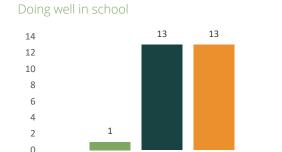


Playing sports and doing hobbies



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### 2. What worries you?

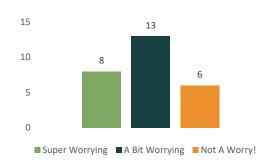


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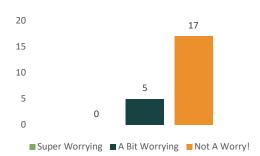
## Bullying







#### Home life



#### Social Media



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# Generation Alpha: Engage (Survey) Survey Outcomes

### 3. Pretend you are mayor for a day, you are the boss of your community! What would you do?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	More activities for parents who have small children. Activities that our children can participate with u or that provide some care so that we can participate
2	Answering on behalf of a 2.5yr old so, build a quality playground near home in Forrestfield
3	Make a Lego centre
4	Fix Stirk park
5	Family fun day, approve SOMETHING to go ahead in Stirk Park. If you have children under two there is not much to do in the hills.
6	More free events
7	Open more playgrounds
8	I don't know.
9	I would make an attempt to make Kalamunda a more engaging community for the youth by setting up installations of more teen-friendly attractions and spaces such as a pump track in stirk park, and an easily accessible community centre such as Margaret river has as an open interesting place for kid teens and families to hang out.
10	Play mindcraft, watch a computer, read a few books, play in a ballpit, go to bounce, play on a trampoline
11	Tel everebody what to do. I will tell everebody evrfin. I like everybody to write and draw evreday
12	Paint the footpaths and decorate everything with paint. Like dots and patterns
13	Make lots of fun spaces for kids to play
14	Inject money into play spaces, free community events for all ages, build nature playgrounds, build water playgrounds. More funding into the schools in the area. More entertainment, state parks, basketball courts, cricket grounds. Build fenced playgrounds and fenced dog parks. More funding int Hartfield Park Recreation Center (it smells bad)
15	build a private pool all for me and my friends
16	Do lots of science experiments and fun stuff for kids. Do a treasure hunt. Do gymnastics
17	be a princess, do lots of singing
18	Get a store such as Kmart to come to town.
19	Make animal life more safer
20	More community events, and opportunities to try different activities before paying for a course.
21	Clean up the rubbish in the bush
22	build a private pool all for me and my friends
23	More art. More playgrounds.
24	Play on park with family and friends

### 3. Pretend you are mayor for a day, you are the boss of your community! What would you do? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
25	More community parks.
26	Sleep over at my friends house.
27	Save the world and animals
28	Build a private pool all for me and my friends
29	I would build a public pool

# 4. What do you do to have fun (for example, BMX, gymnastics, art, footy, reading, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.)?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	Craft, board games, walking and enjoying nature
2	Playing in playgrounds, Rhymetime/Storytime, gymnastics, play dates with friends
3	Playing in the bush, building all kinds of things with natural materials, soccer, science experiments, spending time with fr
4	Playing Lego
5	Football, parks and bike riding
6	15 months old: sand pits, water play, play groups, books, interactive and messy play, discovering
7	Bush walking cooking sports coffee shopping Jungle body
8	Playgrounds, riding bike
9	Karate
10	Reading, swimming, bush walking, spending time with friends, running, music, nature,
11	play with my fiends, swimming, craft
12	Swimming, bushwalking, gardening, cooking, art
13	"Ride my scooter Play soccer Cooking Play games"
14	Bush walking, cooking, reading, spending time in nature
15	gaming and art and sport
16	gymnastics, play outside, play with my dog, go to the park
17	Singing and dancing. Writing. Play inside
18	Sport
19	Playing with friends
20	Attending community events with family and friends
21	jujitsu, basketball
22	gaming and art and sport
23	Cooking, gymnastics, art, colour run.
24	Play, xbox, football
25	Sports
26	Art at my friends house.

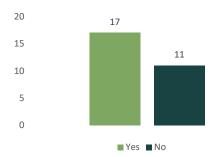
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# 4. What do you do to have fun (for example, BMX, gymnastics, art, footy, reading, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.)? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
27	Teeball
28	Gaming and art
29	Sport, netball, basketball, cricket, guitar, art

## 5. Are you a member of a sports club?



#### Which clubs?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	Hartfield Park soccer
2	Kalamunda tigers
3	Tennis, karate, swimming
4	High Wycombe Junior Football Club
5	Kalamunda United soccer club. Lesmurdie tennis club
6	Squash
7	Gymnastics
8	Dance school
9	Zodiacs netball club
10	Phoenix flyers
11	DJFC, Hills Raiders
12	Squash
13	Gymnastics, swimming, basketball
14	ABC
15	Teeball
16	Squash
17	Marys Mount Minis Netball, Hills Huskies basketball and High Wycombe Cricket

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### 6. Last Question! do you have any other comments, tips, questions or suggestions?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	The creek area that runs through the centre of Forrestfield is picturesque, especially in Winter and Spring, however it's so under utilised. It would be perfect for a drawcard playground with plenty of parking at Woodlupine FC and toilets already at the shops. It's really could be a stunning tourist addition and change the appeal of Forrestfield.
2	We need to establish a large nature play playground that is fenced with toilets so that we do not need to travel to other suburbs! What a draw card for our city that would be!
3	Make stirk Park better
4	Fix Stirk park
5	"Upgrade park in Stirk Park. An Adventure and Nature play ground like in Busselton, Jurien Bay, bremer Bay etc. a skate park that appeals to all ages.  Water play station for kids in stirk park.  A venue that can cater for families for coffee / lunch or breakfast.  A pavilion that sells ice cream or coffee in Stirk Park would be great.  There is nothing for toddlers to do in Kalamunda.  Pool upgrade with a water play station for young children.  A trail in Jorgensen park that can be used for prams.  Escarpment trail that is pram friendly.  A footpath from Williams Road tot the zig zag so you can walk there or push a pram."
6	Water Park please Luke the one in kwinana adventure park or Elizabeth quay. Public swimming pools with grassed area please. Better shops. More cafes
7	We need more playgrounds and bike/skate parks
8	Please can we have a skate park at Stirk Park.
9	Why do we invest our community funds into upgrading spaces that are inaccessible to students and teens? There a no open community spaces that support us as teenagers and are open and inviting. Why not build a youth centre somewhere easily accessible from everywhere in Kalamunda that busses run to, or bikes can be ridden to, as an inviting location for teenagers to study, learn, spend their time, develop, and make friends. This simply does not exist.
10	"We want a big nature play, with flying fox and ninja slack line course. (Gooseberry Hill Recreation Reserve seems a good spot for potential nature play)-mum"
11	"Can there be water play area around. Soccer goals that I can use with my friends. "
12	Please inject more money into Forrestfield. I feel the community will really benefit from having upgraded facilities
13	no
14	Nil
15	Build more play grounds for kids in the community
16	Faire and Co give free Art lessons on the school holidays in other shopping centres, why not Kalamunda?

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## 6. Last Question! do you have any other comments, tips, questions or suggestions? (Cont.)

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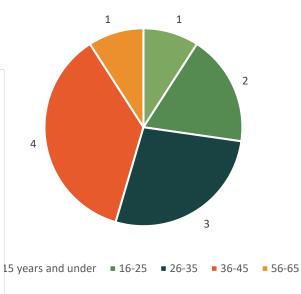
Respondent	Comment
17	no
18	Need more rides for under 5 kids
19	Help them.
20	No

# **Generation Z: Engage (Survey) Demographics**

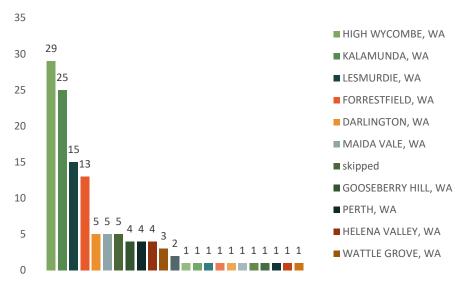
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#### **Age of Respondents**



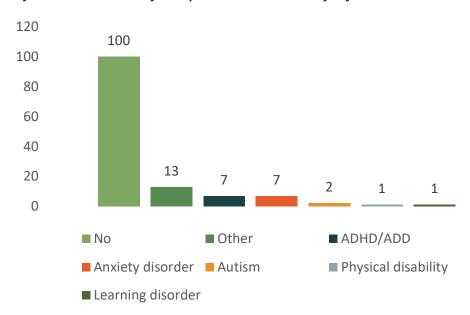
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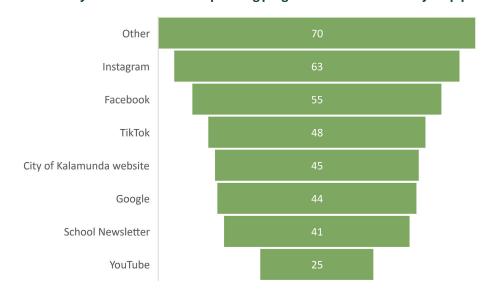
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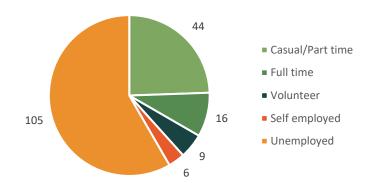
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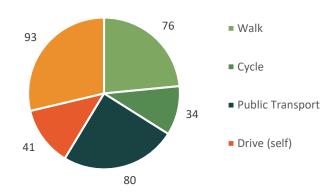
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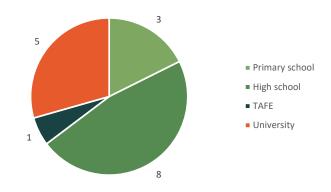
### What is your employment status?



### What is your method of transport outside of school hours?



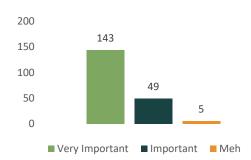
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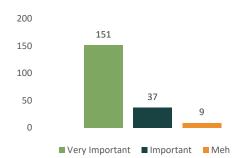
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#### 1. What do you value?

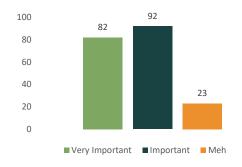
Friendships (other than family)



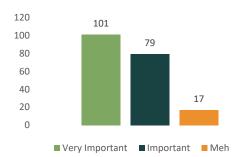
Family relationships



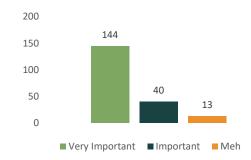
School or study satisfaction



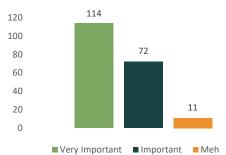
Education opportunities



Mental health

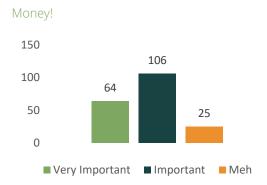


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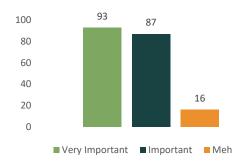


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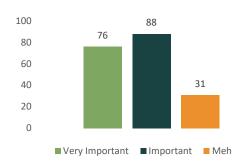
#### 1. What do you value? (Cont.)



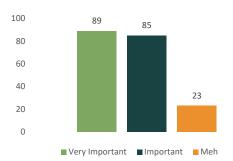
#### Securing/performing in a job



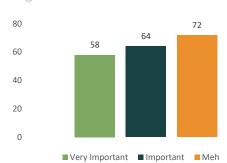
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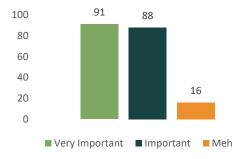
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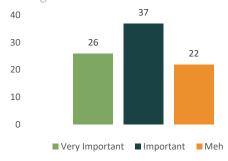
Sports/hobbies



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#### 1. What do you value? (Cont.)

Other \* no comments were provided detailing óther'activities



#### 2. What do you do for fun (e.g. BMX, gymnastics, art, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.)?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	Art, youth justice involvements, volunteering
2	Netball, bushwslking, gaming, playing at a park with my friends
3	Play at a decent playground, exploring, places to have coffee in a child friendly setting, places to have dinner in child friendly settings
4	Music listening and playing
5	Markets.
6	Swimming,soccer and local parks,skate parks
7	Bike and scooter
8	Rollerskating, walking, bush walking, riding my bike, playing an instrument
9	Bush walking, gym, running, swimming at kala waterpark, karate at kala kickboxing
10	Bmx and mtb
11	Mountain biking
12	normally I like doing sports but I also like doing some cooking
13	Soccer, Cricket
14	Art and hanging out with friends
15	Ballet, running, swimming, reading, bike-riding, playing + listening to music

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### **2. What do you do for fun** (e.g. BMX, gymnastics, art, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.**)?** (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
16	Playing volleyball, dance and painting
17	Basketball
18	"Baking/cooking Sports/working out"
19	art, listen to music, make videos
20	Kickboxing, netball and running
21	gaming, netball
22	I play footy for Forrestfield football club and i like to play video games with my friends
23	I like to make time for Netball on the weekends and this helps clear my mind and give my self a break and a chance to be social and have fun. When I have spare time (which is very unusual due to school work) I also like to take a walk, which has the same effect as playing Netball. Anything that can help breakaway from the school work, I love to do!
24	Netball
25	I do music and run
26	I go to my cousins and play with them
27	What I do is Netball
28	Gaming
29	Cooking and hangout with friends
30	Dance and netball
31	I play netball, dance, sing and act for fun.
32	swim
33	drawing, writing, gardening, hanging out with friends
34	mountain bike
35	Tennis
36	Art and violin
37	Sport - netball and hanging out with friends
38	Dancing
39	Music or surf
40	Art, sculpture, digital art, painting
41	Cooking, dance, arts.

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### **2. What do you do for fun** (e.g. BMX, gymnastics, art, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.)? **(Cont.)**

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
42	Reading
43	Skate
44	Dancing, reading, cooking
45	Hang out with my friends
46	Netball, shopping, bush walking, cooking
47	I do squad swimming
48	Dance
49	Cooking, bush walks
50	Hike playing video games and cooking
51	Mountain biking
52	Computer Video Games
53	Art, basketball, surfing, skateboarding, hiking,
54	l eat food/shop
55	Swim, hang you with friends and shopping
56	I play/do calisthenics
57	Gaming, cricket
58	Soccer, art, netball
59	Mtb, AFL and hang with friends
60	Dance
61	A lot
62	Gaming with friends. Bike riding with friends
63	"Gaming with friends Bike riding with friends"
64	Netball, hang out with friends
65	Play footy and video games
66	Skate
67	Play video games
68	code, read

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### **2. What do you do for fun** (e.g. BMX, gymnastics, art, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.)? **(Cont.)**

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
69	Drawing/art
70	Netball, gaming
71	"Umpire netball Performing arts"
72	hand with friends
73	Sport, my phone, cooking
74	hang with friends
75	Gaming
76	I play guitar and write music
77	listen to music
78	play guitar, trampolining, softball, animating
79	Icook
80	Sports
81	Anything that keeps me and my friends active.
82	Bmx and mountain bike riding
83	My kids like skateboarding parks etc
84	Play Netball, swim, music with my band
85	Gaming
86	I make scrunchies for my business
87	Playing music, and sports.
88	Play clarinet
89	Play the guitar and play games with friends.
90	play afl or with friends
91	"Gymnastics: Swan Districts Gymnastics: Kalamunda Performing Arts (KSHS)"
92	Cooking, hockey, geography, shopping, volunteering
93	BMX, mountain biking, hiking, art, music, 3D printing, gaming.
94	Mountain biking, swimming, tennis, art, music, concerts, shopping, Toyworld, walking, cafes,
95	I like doing art.

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### **2. What do you do for fun** (e.g. BMX, gymnastics, art, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.)**?** (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
96	Shopping trips with mates
97	Dancing, swimming, gymnastics, tee ball, reading, play dates with friends
98	BMX
99	Skating
100	Play giutar
101	Gaming, kickboxing
102	Gaming, singing, walking, cooking
103	I play video games and art
104	Partys
105	Play video games and g to gym
106	BMX
107	gaming
108	Art, reading, gardening
109	Hiking, swimming, playgrounds, skate parks, libraries (mostly with kids)
110	Play in park with kids, walking, ballet
111	Hanging out with friends and family at local parks. Community events
112	Nothing because our area doesn't have any thing for teens
113	Rowing, reading, volunteering
114	Soccer
115	Play classical guitar, read, do puzzles.
116	Horse riding, swimming, athletics
117	Swim
118	Camping
119	I swim, rock climb, read, write, draw, and play music.
120	Tennis, netball, swimming, drama, reading, cooking, robotics, gaming, community
121	Netball, swimming, bush walking, walking dogs, trails, e scooter, e skateboard and e trike
122	Waterskiing, gymnastics, motorsport
123	Photography, cooking, reading, craft,

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### **2. What do you do for fun** (e.g. BMX, gymnastics, art, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.**)?** (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
124	Cooking
125	Gym, sports and playing basketball with mates.
126	Swimming, bike riding
127	Netball coaching
128	Play Softball, exercising, family outdoor fun
129	Bush walking, riding my bike, playing the piano, walking the dog, cross-stitching, cooking, gaming
130	gaming, music, listening to music, drawing, sleeping, video and photo editing, skateboarding
131	Dance,swim,hang with friends
132	basketball, jujitsu, bushwalking, library
133	biking, cooking, other sports
134	playing an instrument
135	dancing
136	cooking, fitness
137	Skateboarding, cooking,
138	fitness, games
139	Bush walking, Hilking, Swimming, Cooking, Hanging out with my friends, going on cahoots camp, colouring, bike riding.
140	Swimming and Cooking
141	Hanging out with friends, going shopping, facials
142	Swimming and the gym
143	Walking
144	"Swimming- but not at Kalamunda Pool too cold!  Netball- Ray Owen Football - Kostera  Violin  Art"
145	Swimming, bush walking / dog walking, reading, listening to music, watching K-Pop videos, spending time with friends, reading my bible, baking, watercolour painting etc.
146	Netball, cooking, art, tennis, swimming
147	Volleyball
148	Footy cricket bushwalking camping fishing

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### **2. What do you do for fun** (e.g. BMX, gymnastics, art, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.**)?** (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
149	"Reading
150	Gaming. Soccer (winter)
151	Hockey, running, football, and tennis.
152	Bush walk, art
153	Gaming, exploring
154	Singing
155	Boxing, cooking
156	Gymnastics, swimming
157	Sport. Netball and basketball.
158	Any type of sport.
159	Gymnastics
160	Yoga, running, reading, cooking
161	Play sport
162	Art, gaming, hiking
163	Play together
164	Surf, paddle board, b-ball
165	Gaming
166	Cheerleading, swimming
167	Gaming
168	Gaming, rocket league, minecraft
169	Play an instrument (guitar)
170	Hang with mates
171	BMX and Skate
172	I ride BMX and skate
173	Gym/game.
174	Go do something with friends.
175	Gaming

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### **2. What do you do for fun** (e.g. BMX, gymnastics, art, playing an instrument, gaming, bush walking, cooking, etc.**)?** (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
176	Gaming
177	Netball
178	Soccer
179	Call my friends
180	Cooking
181	"Go on roblox. Call friends."
182	Music, drama
183	Gaming
184	Cooking for family
185	Gaming and making things
186	Play footy
187	Play rugby
188	Talk to my friends and play games with them.
189	Art all the way.
190	None
191	BMX
192	Kickboxing
193	PLay football and ride motorbikes.
194	gaming
195	Minecraft

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#### 3. What general 'adulting skills' would you like to learn (e.g. changing a tyre, taxes, driving, etc)?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	Taxes and other finances!
2	N/A
3	Playing
4	Car maintenance and how to write resumes how to get a job
5	I'd love there to be a community weight loss support group I think it would be terrific to be a low cost options and support each other
6	Sewing, exercise with crèche and mental health support
7	For a 9 yr old?
8	Changing a tyre, prestarting a vehicle, servicing a push bike/ fixing flat tyre
9	None
10	More 4x4 tracks
11	maybe to learn how to do taxes
12	Engineering
13	Taxes
14	Changing a car tyre, taxes, day to day things, organisation,
15	Driving
16	Taxes, Investing, How to be financially stable, mortgages,
17	yeah, what the hell are taxes? Money management in general
18	"Change a tire Tax return"
19	taxes,
20	Taxes
21	taxes, driving
22	I would like to learn how to pay our taxes and how to choose the best loan if I were to take one out of the bank
23	Some 'adulting skills' that I personally think would benefit the up and coming youth is definitely all those crucial financial things. Like how to pay taxes, bills, tax returns, rent etc. Also kind of relating to finances - like how to buy a house and a car. I know there must be heaps of paperwork!
24	Driving
25	Driving, how to do taxes, be an adult.
26	kayaking

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#### 3. What general 'adulting skills' would you like to learn (e.g. changing a tyre, taxes, driving, etc)? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
27	I would like to surf and learn how to drive about.
28	Taxes
29	Driving and drinking
30	Driving, saving money
31	taxes, how to ask employers questions e.g. payrise, day off etc.
32	taxes, how to approach employers, how to hand in a resignation, how to open a bank account
33	taxes
34	Taxes
35	Taxes
36	Taxes
37	Driving
38	How to read
39	Cooking, socialising, taxes, changing tiers
40	Taxes and driving
41	Driving
42	Driving
43	Driving, looking after myself
44	Learn how to pay taxes
45	Taxes, drive
46	Driving
47	Driving
48	Changing a tyre, taxes, financial planning, languages
49	I hope I can decorate the house by myself
50	Writing a resume
51	Changing tyre is a biggie. Buying house
52	Taxes, investing money,
53	cooking
54	Driving, working

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#### 3. What general 'adulting skills' would you like to learn (e.g. changing a tyre, taxes, driving, etc)? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
55	Driving
56	Taxes
57	Changing a tire
58	Driving, taxes
59	Learning taxes
60	driving
61	Driving, responsibilities, running a business
62	"Driving, running a business and taxes
63	Driving
64	How to drive
65	None
66	How to drive
67	taxes
68	Cook
69	How to be more responsible
70	Drive when old enough
71	taxes
72	cooking, driving
73	taxes
74	Driving
75	Driving and experiencing a full time job
76	how to get more money
77	taxes, driving
78	driving
79	Sports
80	General fix-it things around the house.
81	Na
82	How to cook

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#### 3. What general 'adulting skills' would you like to learn (e.g. changing a tyre, taxes, driving, etc)? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
83	Driving and taxes
84	Driving
85	Driving
86	Driving a car
87	taxes and general workplace skills
88	Problem solving
89	Taxes, driving, employment opportunities, budgeting
90	Home repairs skills, car mechanics, taxes, how to manage your life
91	What's above plus proper cooking for 11yo not the inedible stuff at rec centre holiday classes, even if adult had to come too.
92	I would like to learn how to manage a business
93	Taxes and house funds and stuff
94	Budgeting, healthy eating on a budget and that kids actually eat
95	TAXES
96	Coding
97	Driving a car
98	Driving
99	Taxes, driving
100	Driving, resume writing and doing taxes
101	Taxes
102	Driving
103	driving
104	driving
105	Taxes, tire changing, simple sewing to fix/alter clothing, how and what to recycle (what goes in each bin?).
106	Noongar language by having multi cultural signs
107	Cooking, art,
108	Resume writing to get a job, car mechanics
109	Taxes, mortgages, your rights as an employee, cooking, maintaining a life whilst doing chores

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#### 3. What general 'adulting skills' would you like to learn (e.g. changing a tyre, taxes, driving, etc)? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
110	Taxes
111	Stuff about cars, taxes and finances.
112	Driving, money management.
113	Driving
114	Driving
115	None to be considered.
116	Organisational skills, responsibility, robotics, cooking better
117	Survival skills, home safety Inc fire's, electricity, security etc, budgeting, mental health and resilience
118	Auslan for deaf/hard of hearing, autistic& disabled people
119	Basic mechanics
120	All of them
121	Budgeting
122	taxes
123	Home maintenance
124	Car maintenance, how to protect local bushland
125	literally everything i have no idea what im doing
126	Changing a tyre
127	cooking, accounting, book keeping, budgeting, first aid, fashion styling with op-shops,
128	survival skills and how to manage money as well as general knowledge about cars
129	setting up tents, drinking
130	Changing tires, setting up tents
131	Driving, learning work, workplace
132	Driving, learning work, workplace
133	Driving, learning work, workplace
134	Learn to drive a car Learn near skills
135	"Driving Changing and Servicing a car"
136	Taxes, superannuation
137	Car servicing and taxes

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#### 3. What general 'adulting skills' would you like to learn (e.g. changing a tyre, taxes, driving, etc)? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
138	Animal care
139	"Driving How the Laws and Punishments are decided."
140	Essential house maintenance, paying bills, budgeting, cooking healthy meals, driving etc.
141	Changing a tyre, learning to drive, how to use power tools to do things like put a picture up on the wall etc.
142	Taxes
143	Dealing with money smartly
144	Buisness
145	Shooting (target) eg Olympics
146	Inglish
147	Car maintenance
148	Farming.
149	Driving
150	Taxes
151	Driving
152	Paying bills and taking care of a child.
153	Communication skills, taxes, managing money.
154	Driving, cooking, sewing
155	Taxes, mortgages
156	Driving
157	Changing tyres, taxes, driving, insurance
158	Clean
159	Taxes, saving/banking
160	Taxes
161	How to earn my own money
162	Mountain biking
163	Driving cause if I drive I could go to Crown in Perth.
164	Learn to change a tyre.

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#### 3. What general 'adulting skills' would you like to learn (e.g. changing a tyre, taxes, driving, etc)? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
165	How to be a sick parent
166	Driving
167	I wanna learn to drive
168	Changing a tyre, taxes, driving, etc
169	Manage money
170	Paying taxes
171	Flying plane
172	Driving
173	Driving
174	Taxes
175	Taxes
176	Driving
177	Engineering
178	Driving a car
179	Changing a tyre, money skills
180	I want to be a actor
181	Cooking
182	I would like to learn driving.
183	How to handle stressful situations.
184	Change tyres
185	How to manage taxes
186	Motorbike riding
187	How to drive

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#### 4. Alright! Let's think BIG! You are mayor for the day!... What would you do?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	Create a community hub to increase social connections and provide a safe place for everyone particularly those struggling
2	"Have some safe and fun hang out places for primary school ages Make stirk park a nature playground "
3	Updated play ground that's fenced around the busy roads. Close by skate park, pump track, child friendly areas in the village, update pool facilities including heating, coffee areas/van near play areas, more interactive bush areas/courses
4	"Add radios to playgrounds.
	More youth activities in high Wycombe like a youth center "
5	"Upgrade Stirk Park, more updated playground for all ages, more picnic table gazebos and BBQ picnic facilities Stirk park used to be the park people came up to the hills for its so horrible now we take our grandchildren to Belmont now to parks there.  Also a bus service to the beach for youth even just summer holidays there was a trial years ago but not advertised so not utilised.  More free events for family's at stirk Park maybe buskers for music or local up and coming bands.  Make Barberry square owners fix their parking lot I have nearly fallen so many times and know that
	some if the businesses there say it's a regular occurrence we have a lot if elderly that use that car park it really is quite a disgusting looking centre for a main thoroughfare for visitors to the hills, they seem obove any scrutiny at all.
6	Make child care cheaper for working parents, build local swimming in Forrestfield so we don't have to travel around. Make kids sports and holidays activities cheaper. Clean up side of the roads, streets, parks and highways. Build more environmentally friendly parks and preserve native plants and animals. Plant more trees and employ local people.
7	Stirk park upgrade with skate park
8	"Add more designated foot paths/ cycle paths seperated from the road.
	Make more areas accessible for people in wheel chairs, blind, deaf.
	Remove the use of chemicals to spray weeds in public areas and start using steam Get kids involved through local schools in removing noxious weeds from local areas."
9	FINALLY Upgrade stirk park and provide a nice nature playground like Woodbridge or even better. Upgrade the kala waterpark and improve the town Center area Auto Master and post office.
10	Put the skatepark at stitk park like you've been talking about for the last 5 years
11	Build a mountain bike park, dirt jumps, and a pump track at Jorgensen park.
12	I would put out new rules and but a house and a car
13	Give money to the poor

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#### 4. Alright! Let's think BIG! You are mayor for the day!... What would you do? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
14	Let the youth contribute to major things in the community eg not having so many aged care centres and having something for the youth
15	Help the poor people on the street
16	Build another basketball court in Wattle Grove
17	First of all, the public transport around and to/from the hills is terrible. Two buses run to the city once an hour. Difficult and time-consuming to access trains. Increasing access to buses/trains would certainly be a priority.
18	"- make school more engaging and exciting - do more to stop climate change "
19	create a safe space for LGBTQIA+ youth to connect with each other
20	Have a celebration for the city of Kalamunda inviting everyone to share their values about the city and to share what they think and meet other people in the community
21	probably nothing, I would mess something up
22	I would make the day a free day off for everyone and i would set up a big carnival so that people can go and enjoy themselves with friends/family
23	Ooooo, I would put on a fair in stir park. Like the royal show but smaller and like the Friday night markets but bigger. With food, some rides, and show bags. it would bring everyone together to have a great time. I love to see people be happy and smile so this would be a great opportunity.
24	Help others
25	Promote mental health and climate change action, get better health and make medicine for all.
26	I will have no homework besides the that be naughty. Respect other religions. Donate money. Fun day at school. Help sick people.
27	"- Respect aboriginals - Help the sick - Respect others - No homework - Donate money - No work for a day - No math - No bulling"
28	Give money to people
29	Making more job positions available and interesting outtings ie carnivals/fairs
30	I would take the day off school and do fun stuff.
31	I would spend a bit of money, try to change a few things (like the age you have to be to drive and the hours of school). I would also make sure everyone would have a say.

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#### 4. Alright! Let's think BIG! You are mayor for the day!... What would you do? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
32	create equal pay laws between people legislating that it is illegal to pay someone less on the basis of any differences other than skill and job level. e.g. race, ethnicity, gender, religion, sexual orientation etc.
33	communism probably
34	"if i were mayor for the day i would set in a plan for a high grade public use dirt jump track, this is because of the general public of Perth has a growing interest in the mountain biking industry (riding the trails, setting up bike shops, etc) i believe if Kalamunda were to put a focus to improving mountain biking facility's up here in the hills it would attract a large range of bikers, this would not only be good for the current youth but also get people of all ages involved and the influx of people coming to ride would then provide good business to already existing shops and a even better business opportunity for people.  this would ultimately boost Kalamunda's economy growth in general while giving us youth an activity that i believe (if given a go)can be enjoyed by all). "
35	"Make new laws World peace Better school"
36	I would change laws about child care and child protection
37	Give to homeless
38	"Dancing Acting Get rich Perform Be rich Buy whatever I can Pay off Mum's house"
39	"School hours less More money for less work"
40	I would implement centres for Igbtqt youth that have been kicked out of from there homes and animal recovery centres and I would like to make adoption cheaper.
41	Find an orphanage and let them have a day of fun. Build an homeless shelter for beds and clothes.
42	I would gather data from a range of ages and solve most major problems.
43	"No taxes Assanation of pedos = legal"
44	"- Ensure the safety of everyone - Make sure that everyone gets a fair go at everything"
45	I would make more facilities for the public and make an inclusive community
46	I would end hunger

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#### 4. Alright! Let's think BIG! You are mayor for the day!... What would you do? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
47	I would make everyone's lives equal
48	I will make the security of the whole city safer and ensure people's personal safety.
49	Dunno
50	open comments on city of Kalamunda youtube channel. Also get more jobs for kids
51	Set up a casual community event so that people can meet and chat and I can listen to community needs
52	I would up the disability funds because the NDIS is awful
53	Request for a change the laws so people without rights get them
54	Give money to friends make everything in the world right. Be nice.
55	Plan a big fun free event for everyone to go to
56	change laws eg uniforms
57	I would do a fun raiser event for Perth Childrens Hospital and make it fun for everyone
58	I would help younger people learn how to read, since some people don't know how to read.
59	Not have school
60	Get a good gaming console and stop bush land from being destroyed.
61	Kill everyone w/nuke
62	"Take all the money Go bowling Buy everything on the maccas menu"
63	I would donate money to homeless shelters and animal rescue places
64	Help people
65	Change the amount of homeless people or make there more shelter homes.
66	I would run a large community event for free
67	more help for school eg groups
68	be rich
69	no school homework
70	Parade around with Mayor sashes
71	I would try and make as much good changes as I could, by making the place I am mayor for eco friendly.
72	I would make people give me money

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#### 4. Alright! Let's think BIG! You are mayor for the day!... What would you do? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
73	I would try to stop crime and I would donate.
74	I would make sure people get the help they need with mental health
75	Extra oval at Ray Owen
76	Build a mountain bike track/jumps in Forrestfield
77	Fix up our local Kalamunda town. It's a mess. Would love to see our elderly members be able to walk around safely. Also a skateboard park and play equipment in stirk park upgraded.
78	Put a public pool in Forrestfield at hartfield park. Refurbish the zig zag. Create a walkable city in the heart of Kalamunda with ample parking at shopping centres and outside of the main strips.
79	Outlaw racism
80	I would help the sick and homeless and donate lots of money.
81	If I was a mayor I'd probably just explore and inpsect all round the city.
82	I would help the people that have as many benefits as us.
83	If I was Mayor for the day I would help the poor by making sure they have shelter and give them some money.
84	address problems like the pay gap, racism and climate change/have a festival for fundraising
85	"Cut down on climate change, clean up the streets from rubbish. Work towards lowering drug use."
86	I would introduce the three bin system for organic waste (keeping half of all waste out of landfill and it can be used for compost/ replenishing ground nutrients). I'd buy a bunch of modern looking park benches and street art. And introduce a friendly program to convincing antivaxers that they are wrong.
87	Open the pool til 8pm!! It doesn't get dark til 8.30pm. My mum won't take me after school as she says it closes at 5 and by time we get there she's not paying for an hour. Opening late would allow my dad to come too. I could also meet my friends and their families for fun and dinner. Start art classes for tween boys only, I love my boy art class.
88	A local art project for the kids to do.
89	Organise a full town cleanup of all rubbish
90	l'd fix Stirling park to make a beautiful playground
91	Donat
92	Fix the City
93	If I was Mayor I would give people free food
94	Try to make sure that as many homeless people get houses

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#### 4. Alright! Let's think BIG! You are mayor for the day!... What would you do? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
95	Donate to cancer research
96	I would clean up the local areas like parks and streets then decorate them and make them prettier
97	idk
98	Host an event
99	tell everyone that the world is ending. everyone go crazy
100	I would give everyone the day off
101	Increase funding to the libraries and create a student band concert at Stirk Park to showcase local musical talent.
102	A day? I don't think much expenditure could be approved, things designed or events planned. But assuming they could - design and commission a free splash pad/water play area, arrange a winter solictice celebration including a light trail and bonfire, open a family friendly farm experience allowing interaction with animals/fruit/veg that also includes a play zone
103	Ensure all cats were spade and indoor/secure.
104	Basic cooking classes for healthy dishes. Adopt a family day- match families with no extended family with elderly resident who would love to join a family.
105	Create a youth centre/ youth groups for more teen activities
106	Implement better mental health out reach services. Improve education on life skills
107	Talk to the community
108	Probably hold a fun community event, put forward a set of actions that could make the area I'm Mayor of better.
109	More entry level jobs for teens.
110	Feed the homeless
111	Drop speed signs around Schools to only 20
112	I would create a DND club, a reading club for ages 15-18, create a decent young adults reading section, stop cars from making loud noises intentionally, remove adults from blocking the young adults reading section (it's very off putting for teenagers and young readers).
113	Host a community event to get everyone together, support small businesses financially
114	Invest is shared path and cycle ways, review existing paths to ensure meet disability standards.
115	Allow community free access to all recreational facilities for a day like a come and try
116	Make Ray Owen and all the other rec centres alive! High Wycombe rec centre is closed on the week- end! Doh! These places need to be open for us to meet
117	Create more houses for the homeless and struggling

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#### 4. Alright! Let's think BIG! You are mayor for the day!... What would you do? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
118	environmental protection animals and nature included
119	Spend a lot of time talking to different community groups to see what people want/need. Improve walkability with shaded greenspaces in the town area. More things for young people to do (improve skatepark, creative spaces, green spaces to relax/loiter friendly design). I would also reconsider some of the dense housing areas that remove most of the mature trees and pack the houses in tightly.
120	try not to mess up
121	I would create and event to run every year that would be inclusive for everyone.the community to be together.it would be a day for everyone to gain learning experience and opportunity and be a diversity event.i would go to the event to get a better understand of what our town needs and improve on it.
122	clean up the major shopping area and the derelict building
123	i would create a day where all sports and hobbies were being done in their own locations and you had an hour at whatever one you want to go to and you learnt how to play and got to play a proper game. then you have to option to go to another location to do another sport or craft.
124	I'll work on a lot of issues, like homeless people
125	I will work hard to solve many people's livelihood problems, such as helping people in need
126	Help the homeless
127	Help the homeless
128	Help the homeless
129	Tell people what to do buy anything I want
130	I would allow all activities to be free
131	"Put a roundabout at the Canning and Glyde Road crossing. Bring McDonalds to Kalamunda. Outdoor beach volleyballen courts and organised competition. Add a green waste bin."
132	Make a youth group to meet people similar ages
133	Start an animal sanctuary and put myself in charge.
134	I would build a big playground in the bush and also build an Aquatic Centre (like Beaty Park or Belmont Waves) up here we need something better to learn to swim in it's a life skill and all the schools even drive out of the Kalamunda Lesmurdie area for their School Swimming as Kalamunda is not ok for kids especially small children it's just too cold!
135	I would host an event that people could go to and have fun and relax at. I might make a clean up litter day or go out into the community to help people in need. I would talk to people and listen to their needs, and try to make a difference.

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#### 4. Alright! Let's think BIG! You are mayor for the day!... What would you do? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
136	Upgrade Stirk Park so my Mum doesn't have to take me on a long car trip to a better park and build a train station so we could just jump on a train to the beach or the city. Also a containers for change depot up in Kalamunda.
137	Make homeless people get free food
138	Increase job opportunities for youth
139	"Plan some events for the community (youth) to do "
140	I would like to them to work on climit chang
141	Crete new employment education opportunities
142	Make sure that everyone has a home.
143	Big art show
144	Save he animals to not be extinct and help people in need
145	Free swimming for everyone
146	I would like to see people helping others.
147	Community activities bringing everyone together.
148	Try to get more libraries built and free pool day.
149	Free public transport
150	Give homeless people money
151	Stop throwing rubbish
152	I would create a huge open forum with morning tea/snacks to answer the communities questions and ideas. It would be all day ad would give everyone (who wants to) a chance to voice their say.
153	I wold make education free
154	Help the homeless and make sure everyone can eat.
155	Play games and go chill with my Dad
156	I would make lives better by if stealing there will be consequences, going through red lights as well.
157	Give everyone who is homeless food, water, clothes, some money. Enough stuff to get them a job to sustain the rest of their life.
158	Make everything not bleagh
159	Cure world hunger
160	Try to stop world hunger

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#### 4. Alright! Let's think BIG! You are mayor for the day!... What would you do? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
161	"No gays. Segregate rich from poor."
162	Remove no phone policy
163	"Banish LGBTQ haters. Better internet. No hating."
164	Stop bigger issues (vaping, smoking)
165	Give to the homeless
166	Give to the homeless
167	I would give to the homeless
168	Make everyone respect others and make everyone be treated as equals and buy homeless people houses.
169	Help all the homeless
170	Make most parks a nature reserve
171	Make sure the bins get emptied and all government roles are fulfilled.
172	Stop palm oil production
173	Stay in my office and sleep or walk around town
174	I would probs make teaches get higher wages cos they deserve it.
175	I would make public trasnport free.
176	"Talk Game Friend Family Study"
177	I would make public transport free
178	"Make everything free Buy all the iphones"
179	Sit and stand and be confused

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#### 5. Which sports/hobby clubs are you a member of?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	Maggie's netball club
2	Football, Athletics
3	High Wycombe football club
4	Swimming, local activities that include child parent
5	Kala tigers
6	None
7	Gymtonic, kala kickboxing
8	Mazenod
9	Tennis, swimming, mountain biking
10	none right now
11	Willetton cricket, WACFA soccer, state swim swimming
12	Kiwales netball club
13	Swimming club, local athletics club, ballet school.
14	Kalamunda volleyball club
15	KDBA
16	N/A
17	none
18	KDNA
19	KDNA
20	I am a member of the Forrestfield Rhinos football club and I used to be a part of the high Wycombe cricket club
21	I play netball with the Pickering Brook Netball Club and we play under the Ray Owen KDNA association
22	Netball, Football
23	Kalamunda Districts Hockey Club
24	Math club
25	Netball
26	None
27	"- School band - Sign lan class"

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#### 5. Which sports/hobby clubs are you a member of?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
28	"Dance Fit Academy Phoenix Netball Association"
29	l am a part of the KDNA umpires and also netball, dance.
30	volleyball club, swim club
31	i volunteer at vinnies but thats its
32	Tennis
33	MVPS Drama
34	Hillians Netball Club
35	Kalamunda Performers
36	The art program at Kalamunda SHS
37	Hurricane Go Kart Club
38	Karate, tennis
39	The skate bois
40	Kalamunda Performers
41	Drama, netball, YAK
42	GR Swim
43	Kalamunda Performers
44	No
45	MCC, KADS
46	Labor party Kalamunda branch
47	Tigers domestic basketball, Lesmurdie tennis club
48	"Drama YAK"
49	Swimming club squad
50	Calistenics
51	"Bayswater lacrosse Caversham cricket club"
52	Specialist soccer program
53	AFL Kalamunda JFC

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#### 5. Which sports/hobby clubs are you a member of?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
54	An Art club
55	a lot
56	My friend with a bike riding hobby.
57	I am a part of the Hillians netball team and part of KPA
58	Netball
59	"Kala footy High Wycombe cricket"
60	Skate
61	Programming club
62	"I'm lazy. Don't do anything."
63	None
64	Netball
65	"KDNA Marloo Youth Theatre Helen O'Grady Drama"
66	"Netball Tennis"
67	netball
68	netball
69	Bayswater lacrosse
70	I am in the school soccer team and swimming club
71	drama
72	Kalamunda Rangers
73	none of them
74	HWFC
75	Kalamunda Cougars
76	Taekwondo
77	Hills bmx
78	N/A

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#### 5. Which sports/hobby clubs are you a member of?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
79	I have my own scrunchie business
80	None
81	I used to be a part of Kalamunda Performers
82	Kalamunda Music
83	afl thats all
84	Swan Districts Gymnastics
85	Youth action Kalamunda, mazenod hockey club, vinnies kalamunda
86	Mazenod Hockey, Young Vinnies, Air Force Cadeys
87	Tennis club, swimming class out of shire, art class out of shire that caters to tween boys
88	None.
89	I'm not
90	Tee ball
91	none
92	Basketball
93	I don't know
94	Kalamunda kickboxing
95	Netball
96	I do Scouts and I am part of a school art program
97	non
98	None
99	cadets
100	GATE
101	Lesmurdie Tennis Club
102	None at the moment
103	Rugby
104	None yet

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#### 5. Which sports/hobby clubs are you a member of?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
105	"University of Western Australia Rowing Club Teach Learn Grow Ignite Mentoring RADIANT Gym"
106	Soccer
107	"'- School classical guitar ensemble - School media club"
108	Horse riding.
109	Rugby
110	Swan district teeball
111	Walliston venturers.
112	Lesmurdie tennis club, hillians netball club
113	"Kalamunda District Netball Association Kiwales Netball Club Kalamunda Bulldogs Rugby League Club"
114	Show ski WA, kings gymnastics, west coast Jetsprint club
115	None.
116	n/A
117	Basketball, cricket and football
118	Scouts
119	Hillians Netball Club
120	Kalamunda rangers, hillians netball club
121	None
122	YAK
123	girl guides wa
124	jujitsu, Hills raiders, Darlington football club
125	"kalamunda soccer/afl lesmurdie tennis"
126	Hip-hop, skateboarding
127	Street dance,Working out

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#### 5. Which sports/hobby clubs are you a member of?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
128	Working out, skateboarding
129	skateboarding. Street dance
130	Swimming club
131	Lesmurdie Warriors Netball Club.
132	Anytime fitness
133	None.
134	Lesmurdie Warriors Netball Team
135	I'm hoping to be a member of the Darling Range swimming squad, and I was previously a member of the swimfit classes at Thornlie Leisureplex.
136	Mary's Moubt Netball Club, KDNA, Maida Vale Tennis Club, Swan Active.
137	Kalamunda cougars and glen forrest cricket club
138	I do Coder dojo at the Kalamunda library
139	"Kalamunda United FC (Soccer) Kalamunda/Guildford Swimming Club
140	Hockey, football
141	None
142	Hockey
143	N/A
144	swims, gym, tumbling after school, choir
145	Swan gymnastics
146	"Phoenix Netball Club Lightnings Basketball Club"
147	Athletics, AFL
148	Swimming, gymnastics
149	N/A
150	None
151	N/A
152	Swimming

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#### 5. Which sports/hobby clubs are you a member of?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
153	"Lesmurdie Tennis Club Ray Owen Basketball"
154	YAK
155	Edge Flight Allstars Cheerleading
156	None
157	I'm not a member of any sport just like hockey and soccer.
158	School
159	Basketball
160	Boxing
161	EHMAF (Easter Hills Martial Arts Fighting)
162	None.
163	None I'm lazy
164	Kalamunda Kickboxing
165	None
166	Hillians Netball
167	Soccer
168	None
169	None
170	None
171	Calisthenics, Drama
172	Soccer
173	None
174	None
175	little hotshots tennis
176	Kalamunda Bulldogs, Perth Brotlers
177	None.
178	Soccer, swim squad (competitive swimming), art, music
179	Volleyball

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#### 5. Which sports/hobby clubs are you a member of?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
180	Hurricane Go Cart Club
181	Swimming, kickboxing, netball
182	High Wycombe Footy Club
183	Hockey, tennis

### **6. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stress-free zones in libraries, meditation events etc.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	Support groups
2	Kids yoga
3	All of the above
4	Yourh groups
5	Create a local hub in Forrestfield so the youth can come together and find out ideas/explore interests and make friends. The youth are disconnected from their local areas and communities in general because every thing is scattered and not organised. The city of Canning have a very good hubs which has local library, swimming pools, gymnasium and other amenities.
6	Facilities and activities
7	More activities for local children to keep them engaged in the community and feel valued
8	Stress free zones in library and town Centersinvolve youth in real projects like an art/painting competition for civic Center reception areait would be awesome to have a school/youth competition to make it more colourful or even the councils offices. Let the youth design real ideas and get them involved
9	A skatepark
10	I like the idea of meditation events
11	more support groups
12	Fun events for mental health
13	Meditation events, libraries, support groups, stress-free zones
14	Events that takes the youths mind off all stress and depression.
15	Support groups

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**6. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stressfree zones in libraries, meditation events etc.) (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
16	LGBTQ+ safe zones and a gender clinic to help give queer/trans youth access to the spaces and services we deserve.
17	'- out of school social events e.g. somewhere we could go afterschool to destress and chill out without judgement etc
18	mental health support within the community and local schools e.g. having therapists/psychologists on site
19	Stress free zones
20	easy access to mental health support
21	I would like to see more festivals/sporting events in which you can visit/enjoy yourself at.
22	I would love to see more youth groups. These are basically a support group and a mediation 'event' but all put together. A group of people (not too big) comes together and they do some mindfulness. It's a great opportunity to make friends and let it all out. It can include fun games and yoga - all things stress-free. But also some downtime where people can share their feeling and emotions without being judged.
23	Meditation
24	More support groups and promotion in mental wellbeing.
25	Plant trees to help the environment.
26	Clean up day for ocean and beach.
27	Support groups
28	More stress free zones and comfort.
29	Small amounts of time out of class each day.
30	Support groups, stress free zones in libraries.
31	support groups for all ages, meditation events, stress-free zones, a space for people to express their opinions without judge- ment
32	support groups, and idk how to describe it but like art clubs to destress or something
33	stress free zones not only in library's but also within the bush
34	Meditation
35	Support groups
36	Stress free zones
37	Support groups
38	Support group
39	Sensory rooms and free pools
40	Support group, mindful activities.
41	Stress free zones

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**6. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stressfree zones in libraries, meditation events etc.) (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
42	Quiet places
43	Support for everyone
44	People and teachers more supportive and understanding
45	More community events
46	Support groups
47	Quiet zones in rooms
48	Meditation events, mind body and soul events.
49	I hope that we can set up a stress-relieving zone for young people, where we can release our psychological pressure to our heart's content.
50	Libraries are cool. ldk a bigger Library? With bean bags maybe? And a mote neutral area for teens/adulte also free wifi?
51	Group hiking, morning meditation sessions,
52	Stress free zones
53	Meditation events, people you can talk to about problems
54	More support groups
55	Stress free zones and support
56	Support groups/stress free zones
57	Stress free zones
58	I want stress and safe zones in local area's.
59	More libraries
60	Stress free zones
61	better people
62	None
63	Better humans
64	Support groups
65	Stress free zones
66	More sport opportunities
67	Support groups
68	stress free zones

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**6. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stressfree zones in libraries, meditation events etc.) (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Comment
support groups
meditation
Probably meditation zones to help relieve stress.
support groups
stress free zones
support groups
my horse
A place to go for those who identify they have needs, with trained youth workers where no stigma is attached- for those youth workers to visit teenage and adolescent groups so that people know they're available.
Na
Ray Owen netball
Music events
Stress free zones or meditation
Stress-free zones in libraries.
Stress free zones.
Library and free zone
a care for it
Promote youth services
Definitely support groups in the library
Stress free zones/ places to escape to for a while and relax
Better hours for sport. Not fair to take up Saturday morning and means I can only do one sport. I'd like to see evening or night training and evening mid week games now it's hot. Training followed by a game would be great so I could do lots of different sports. Mondays nothing happens and I'm bored.
Stress free zones in schools.
Chill zones in most large centers
Resilience and building positive friendships. Something like the 'Standing Strong' program in Vic Park
events
Stress-free zone
Meditation
Areas in libraries to recommend books

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**6. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stressfree zones in libraries, meditation events etc.) (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
96	Stress free zones
97	Quiet spaces and inclusive clubs
98	a cave for it
99	Libraries
100	group activities
101	meditation events
102	Career workshops aimed at highschoolers to give hands on experience working in retail/hospitality/etc to relieve job basec stress and add to the resumes of young people looking for a job.
103	Art zones, open space for youth to express themselves
104	Teen centre for catch ups, social groups, outings and drop in centres to hang out
105	Mental health services accessibility or interim support whilst waiting for access to mental health services
106	Meditation
107	More + easier access to mental health services, stress-free library zones.
108	Support groups.
109	Counseling
110	Playground at high school
111	"I would like to see a decent young adults reading section, there is a large table blocking the section and groups of adults often sit on it completely blocking the section, the selection of books for my generation is small and has little diversity between the book genres.  Reading can help teens mental health but the environment in which they can gain this help is off putting and quite frankl ridiculous.
	Changing the way that Kalamunda senior high school conducts math tests would be excellent as the way that they do it is abnormal and causes a lot of stress of students (please contact the education department)."
112	More events to get young people together without electronics
113	Space for young people to gather that is safe. Eg community centre, skate parks, walkways that are well lit, free BBQs and water refill stations.
114	Support groups,
115	Auslan classes, more support for teens, free/ low cost classes to keep kids occupied & out of trouble so they can also learn new skills.
116	More free mental health access
117	More sports places

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**6. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stressfree zones in libraries, meditation events etc.) (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
118	Events on coping with stress
119	stress or support stuff
120	Youth chill out zones at rec centres. Pool tables, basketball courts, table tennis tables with the guidance of chaplain
121	More clubs and better advertising of them. Public fitness equipment in more parks. I would also love more transparency with the community garden (I have no idea how to use it/if I am allowed to).
122	library stress free zone, LGBT youth group, music group
123	Fun activitys that also have learning experiences
124	youth groups, helping seniors, craft
125	i'd like to see safe spaces where all ages can go to feel safe and to relax.
126	Cooking, guitar
127	A place to relax
128	A place to relax
129	A place to relax
130	Yes
131	Increase Regular Events
132	A gym for young teens that is a safe place to train.
133	Yoga group
134	Army style boot camps to help with mental health and physical health. And show them just how capable they are.
135	I would like to see community run classes that are for youth things to help us get jobs in the future, life skills Lyle classes, groups that can help with self esteem and social emotional education. My school ran the rock and water program and a group for girls but now that I've left that's school there's nothing like that in the community.
136	I would like some free exercise classes to start up in the community. I would love to have an walking/running/exercise club with other teenagers in the community. It would be very motivating. Support groups would be great, including get-togethers to talk about and help mental health.
137	A music hub to chill & listen to music being played live.
138	Free music area
139	Meditation events
140	Support Groups
141	Yoga. Anything.
142	Support groups

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**6. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stressfree zones in libraries, meditation events etc.) (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
143	Free events.
144	Support groups
145	Support groups
146	Skate parks
147	Local youth drop in centre
148	Study help, stress free zones, support groups.
149	Supporter groups.
150	Yoga and meditation
151	Stop littering
152	Support groups and more self driven
153	Eat carrots
154	Incorporating like an op-shop market in Stirk Park.
155	Support groups
156	More help with young kid
157	Support groups
158	Meditation cause I get anxiety a lot.
159	Stress free zones
160	Good people
161	Stress free zones
162	Stress free zones
163	Support groups, stress free zones in libraries, meditation events etc
164	Stress free zone
165	Stress free zones
166	Support group, meditation event
167	N/A
168	Support groups
169	Stress free rooms
170	Stress free zones

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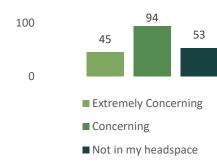
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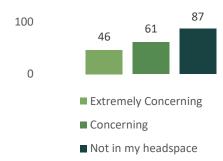
Respondent	Comment
171	Stress free zone
172	Let kids buy houses
173	More groups
174	Stress free zones
175	More free sports clubs
176	therapy
177	Better cures?
178	Meditation.
179	less noisy music :)
180	Libraries
181	Support
182	Less class

#### 7. What concerns you?

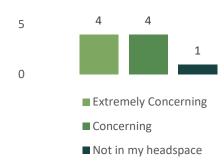
#### Academic ability



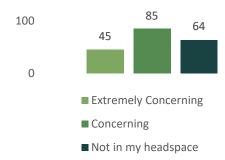
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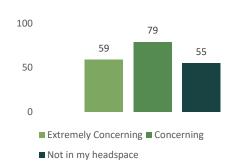
#### Bullying/emotional abuse



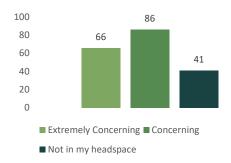
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#### COVID-19



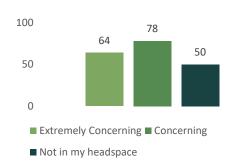
#### Securing a job/career path



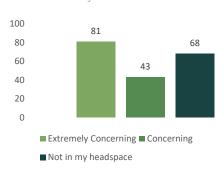
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#### 7. What concerns you? (Cont.)

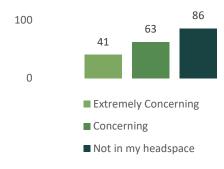
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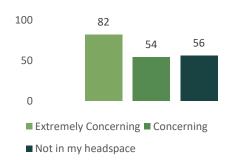
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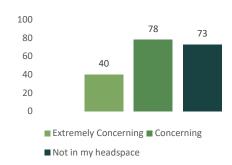
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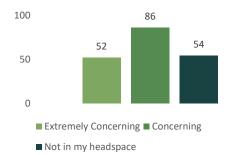
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#### Social Media



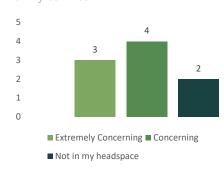
#### Money!



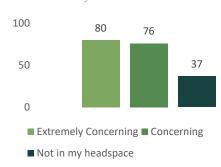
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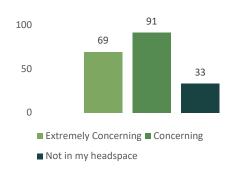
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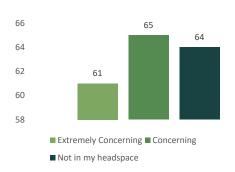
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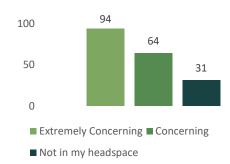
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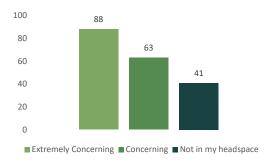
#### Body image



#### Mental health



#### Climate change/environment



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#### **8. What should our priority be?** (Rank from 1-6 in order of preference, 1 being your most preferred)



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#### 9. What would improve the lives of young people in our region?

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	"Better mental health Less stress"
2	having LGBTQIA+ events/spaces in the community
3	Having more free time and weekend activities to attend to
4	I believe that most negative things in a young person's life is about parenting, bad parenting can lead to bad mental health, and involvement in illegal activities such as underage drinking. Therefore allowing young people access towards better parenting substitutes and allowing them to talk to someone about their bad parents could overall help some issues in younger people
5	If we could have kore activities such as more entertaining things to do and see such as a movie night or more parks
6	"Provide more support - like youth groups, free education, healthcare cover, a roof over their head. But also putting a stop to these drugs, alcohol and vapes. If someone is caught on social media holding a bottle underaged, I think they should be punished. Someone caught with a vape - punished. They're only ruining their own lives but eventually, it affects all our lives. In the future i don't really want to live around a bunch of wasted, high, retards in the future. And we need more higher educated people in this society."
7	Money
8	Being able to support people more.
9	No to be treated badly. No violence
10	"No abusive parents No bullying No teasing"
11	More job ops and mental health clinics.
12	More fun events
13	I think more opportunities would improve our lives.
14	spaces that accept them for themselves and support their personal interests. support groups, opportunities to have fun in a safe environment e.g. concerts, movies, activities, festivals.
15	communism probably
16	a push to be more active and outdoor orientated
17	Mental health
18	Social media addictions
19	Mental health
20	"Nicer people Being rich"

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#### 9. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
21	Less stress in school
22	More mental health support
23	Letting them know that they have someone there to support and listen.
24	Sexual equality
25	"Better school Skate park"
26	I would ensure that everyone knows that they are supported and loved
27	Parents and teachers being more supportive and understanding of youth issues and mental health
28	Community events
29	Helping them feel safe and like they have meaning
30	Having the same opportunities no matter your skin colour or religion.
31	Increase more employment opportunities for young people.
32	You guys are doing the best you are atm so no real complaints
33	Teaching youth valuable life skills they may not be able to learn anywhere else
34	Better mental health spaces
35	If everyone got a fair go at anything they want to.
36	More classes on body image
37	"More community events and fun activities Support"
38	Being more understanding
39	for people not to be rude about it and to apperiate the region your in.
40	More outdoor areas for younger people to grow up with since most kids spend all their childhood indoors.
41	Money for covid vaccine
42	None
43	Money for covid jab
44	No discrimination as it would encourage people to be themselves.
45	More safety
46	More support
47	More social events to meet others

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#### 9. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
48	groups to chat and talk
49	mental health
50	more support
51	To focus on stopping climate change for a brighter future.
52	I don't know
53	I would make it safer
54	mental health help
55	more support
56	See answer to number 6. Also making sure the right people are in charge of youth based programs.
57	Stuff for us to do - bmx jumps/mountain bike tracks or let us be when we make them - stop taking them away
58	A nice playground and skateboard park. Stirk park is so beautiful and our play equipment is embarrassing
59	Access to event and places. Increased public transport to attend
60	I'm not too sure
61	Probably discipline and freedom.
62	to have a safer community
63	I don't know
64	Motivation and opportunitys for fun so kids don't find there own fun.
65	Positive opportunities: learning, fun, mental health, ext
66	I would have more support groups for different groups of people up here, like for people with mental health issues, or for members of the LGBTIQ+ group and activities for them to do once a week or so
67	a greater sense of community, like a Kalamunda show or concert featuring local bands and home businesses.
68	Training and sport on same day and in evening or at night. Places for families open at night and Mondays. Only a handful of restaurants, I want more cheap places to go with mum and dad. Lots of the restaurants are too expensive, even Thai has put it's prices up. Please convert empty banks to night time cafes and pop up classes
69	More social activities
70	"Check out the resilience and self esteem Program 'Standing Strong' in Vic park. That would be great in our area. Bring Stirk park playground up to date as a priority."

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#### 9. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
71	Respect
72	Don't smoke
73	Not sure
74	More help for people with mental illnesses.
75	Support them
76	I dunno
77	motivation
78	Allowing phones in schools with regulations
79	eating more
80	Getting fun opportunities such as kalamunda day
81	I would create gardening workshops that teach how to grow food from scratch which is both a relaxing activity and sustainable. It would encourage being outside and finding healthy hobbies.
82	More safe social fun events
83	Have them volunteer in aged care or Child care, interact with other generations
84	Anti bullying
85	"More resource Better community events More support Less ominous messaging (the shire literally all year round either tells you you're going to die because of storms or because of bush fires. People are perfectly aware these are risks but they're also risks out of their control so they can prepare but there's a point that all the negative marketing is detrimental) A responsive local government"
86	Education and skills
87	Better mental health care in schools, more community events for socialising and helping charities.
88	I want more small businesses to apply for jobs.
89	Fun
90	Better young adult reading section, dnd club, reading club for ages 15-18.
91	More after school educational activities and more volunteering opportunities for younger people
92	Somewhere to go and something to do - Lesmurdie
93	Learning new skills& keeping busy to keep kids off the streets & out of trouble.
94	More access to community programmes at a free rate

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#### 9. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
95	Facilities for sports all year round. Basketball courts we can go to. Youth Centres. There is so much for 0-12s but nothing after that.
96	More life skills and places to have a safe and fun time
97	Support. In all kinds of varieties and ways
98	Having others outside of family and friends they can count on and talk to
99	More fun things to do together outside (playgrounds adapted to adults?) For those it would concern, it would be good to see easier, more open access to services for youth that are struggling with drug and alcohol issues. More clubs would also be good, as well as opportunities to engage with the sustainability of our bushland.
100	'- undercover lgbtqia+ youth groups (disguised as something else so those whose parents dont approve have a chance, although i dont know how that would work becuase then how will people who belong to that community would find out about it)
101	Fun activities that are inclusive and are insured to be safe
102	Having more free activities run on school holidays.
103	a community where everyone feels safe and has lots of opportunities to enjoy themselves
104	WA
105	Employment
106	I would like a volleyball competition at Ray Owen.
107	Youth counseling
108	More activities involving mental and physical activity
109	Engaging things to do outside of school that are free to attend and community based.
110	More support systems and health/fitness clubs
111	Learning classes like woodwork, power tools, changing a tyre, life skills to prepare us for when we're older.
112	More activity going on then staying home
113	More job opportunities
114	"less junk food shops no covid learn better manners money?"
115	More job opportunities
116	Better nail polish.
117	Save the earth from gases.

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#### 9. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

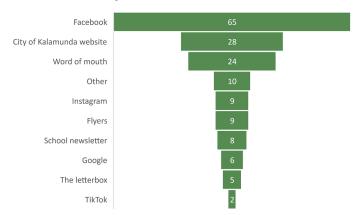
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Respondent	Comment
118	More youth activities
119	More community fairs.
120	Life skills and personal development.
121	Give everyone a good chance of education.
122	More resources for mental health and outreach.
123	Letting their voices be heard and taking them seriously.
124	More fun stuff (concerts, skate parks, b-ball courts) skate rinks.
125	Access to free education
126	Cheap help for more people in need.
127	Respecting our land by following every rule in WA
128	No druggys
129	Being happy and grateful
130	Being happy and thankful
131	Leaving Igbtqtu +
132	Younger councillor so they relate to us.
133	Better Centrelink support
134	Money. Friends.
135	Jobs
136	Money
137	No vaping
138	No vaping
139	More clubs/rec centres
140	Give them hope if they don't have any
141	no homework
142	Being supportive of one another.
143	Have fun
144	ldk
145	Less class

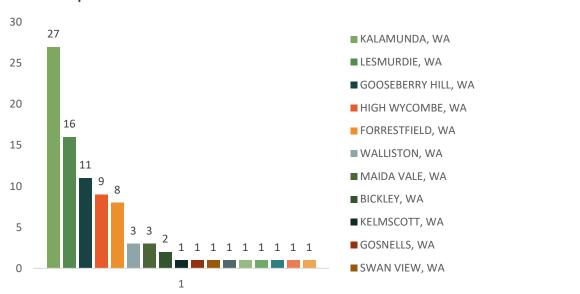
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#### Where do you find out about our services and events?



#### **Suburb of Respondents**



#### **1. What should our priority be?** (Rank from 1-6 in order of preference, 1 being your most preferred)



#### 2. What would improve the lives of young people in our region?

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Respondent	Comment
1	More things to do - a proper skate park and basketball courts. A drop in centre or social activities.
2	Kalamunda is jokingly known as the shire that hates kids- there's so little infrastructure here for them. No decent play areas/nature play/skate parks/pump tracks/areas in the village/lack luster facilities at the pool/child space at restaurants. The shire has consistently dragged its heels in making any major changes for kids
3	Entertainment options. Activities. Something for them to do. Somewhere for them to "hangout". Having a connection to our community and a feeling that they belong and are valued.
4	UPGRADE STIRK PARK!!! The playground is absolutely appalling!!!
5	Develop Stirk park to be the Hyde park of the hills
6	Swimming pool in Forrestfield
7	More free family activities that involve young children- we have just moved from Belmont shire where there are many throughout the year

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#### 2. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

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Respondent	Comment
8	"An upgrade of play equipment to Stirk Park. As a new mother it would be so good to take my son to a park suitable for toddlers and stay in the area.
	A play space aligned to current pedagogy that encourages child development.
	Also, a child health nurse with current knowledge and an ability to actually help new parents. This is a severe gap"
9	"Upgraded playground and skate park for all ages at Stirk Park and make it accessible / disability inclusive
	More mountain bike tracks and jumps, and rock climbing for kids  More family friendly activities
	Upgrade Kalamunda Water Park with splash park for younger kids"

#### 2. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
10	"We need better recreational a facilities for the kids.
	Upgrade Kalamunda water park to what it used to be. There used to be so many slide options, diving boards, hot spa for when the pool was too cold, lots of seating and shaded stands. People travelled from the flats to go there! It was the place to be until it was run down.
	Upgrade Stirk Park playground and add a splash pad like what Hyde Park in Mount Lawley has.
	It would be amazing if we had a dedicated space to run playgroup in the hills.  I run the local Gooseberry Hill Playgroup at the Multi-Use Hall in Gooseberry Hill. We are one of several permanent users for that hall.  What would make the playgroup run better would be to have a building dedicated to just the playgroup where we wouldn't have to put away toys in a tiny store room at the end of each session. That is really difficult when you have one or multiple very young kids with you that need your constant attention. It would be even better if we didn't have hall hire fees. We are volunteers trying to provide a safe environment for families to connect, learn, grow and play. We've met many amazing local families through playgroup and now my kids will go to school already knowing other kids putting less stress on them.  Parkerville Playgroup is a fanatic example of what we need here in the City of Kalamunda. They are fully set up inside, with an amazing outdoor space too. They are able to hire out their facility and toys to families, for parties. Which makes their playgroup more sustainable. At the moment it's not viable for us to hire our toys out as the insurance is too much, and having to set up the facility is too much work. We need to fundraise to keep us going strong which is hard to do when everyone has young kids. If we could have all our equipment already set up, it would be a fantastic opportunity for the community.
	Install that skate park that was designed for Stirk Park!
	Bring back Rollerama. Retro will always be in fashion if you have the right people running it.
	New fenced adventure playground area with cafe attached fully enclosed (like Woodbridge Riveraide Playground/Park). Sleep deprived Mums all around will thank you for being able to have a coffee while entertaining their kids."
11	More time in nature and interacting with society.
12	Youth activities
13	Swimming pool in the foothills, rollerdrome, more playgrounds around Hartfield park, cinema, more buses
14	Things to do up here. Boredom is a huge factor in many of the other issues with youth here.

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#### 2. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

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Respondent	Comment
15	Definitely upgrade Stirk Park ASAP! It could be such an amazing nature play park. We want our kids to be able to play in it now and not wait another 5 years when they are too old. At the moment we drive out of area to visit great playgrounds and would love to be able to just walk to Stirk Park .Also keep and upgrade the water playground please. We want to be able to stay up in the hills where we have chosen to live and support businesses, etc up here.
16	Appropriate places to hang out. The stirk park playground needs a massive update for the younger kids but the middle group need somewhere to hang out so they don't fall into mischief groups.  Somewhere open and public where they can be seen.
17	An upgrade to Stirk Park including a nature play area. My husband is nearly 40 and played on the same equipment when he was a child. Time for a serious upgrade to attract both the younger families now living in the area (no longer just an aged demographic) and the 100's of visitors that come to the hills with their families and spend in our local stores and cafes.
18	Outdoor areas to play, which encourage being in nature (ie, less plastic equipment and no soft fall area, kids need to learn their limits)
19	Providing them with opportunity to contribute in the region and making them feel valued. Giving them opportunities in local area so they don't have to leave home to obtain opportunities in life.
20	For the council to adopt a plan to be a Glyphosate free shire Schools, parks, walking tracks! There has to be a better way than spraying a known carcinogen around all of our loved outdoor spaces!  Other shires do it why can't we!!! That would certainly be good for the future of our children.
21	"Improve the public facilities for young people by prioritising the redevelopment of Stirk Park. Show young people they have a place in this region.  Currently we travel away from Kalamunda to visit a decent playground. We have been complaining about it for so long and the region isn't making it a priority. This makes us feel like we are irrelevant to this region."
22	Mental health services and recreational activities
23	A place for teenagers to hang out that is safe and fun. Like Club Adolescent at PCH
24	A safer place to live. Crime control, youth off the streets and into activities
25	The families in the City of Kalamunda need a place to come together as a community. The Stirk Park redevelopment needs to be prioritised, I filled out surveys for this development almost 10 years ago when my son was born, and still nothing has happened. I want to see this happen asap, so that my children can benefit from it. Our family will drive half an hour to go to playgrounds in other areas, because the local ones are not up to date. Give us somewhere to be together, for all ages, where we can run into friends from school, build our community and encourage our kids to be active.

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#### 2. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

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Respondent	Comment
26	A place to have fun and build great memories in a safe environment. Kalamunda water Park is really the only place to go and I hear they are wanting to move it away from our village. I think that would be a massive mistake. A few more play parks tthat are managed and maintained, and places to keep busy in, like Bounce, Time zone, drop in centre where youths can get counciling and have roll models around. Public transport more available to travel and experience these great memories if they are not possible in kalamunda.
27	Keeping the Kalamunda Pool open! Creating a skate park.
28	Things to engage them. More upgrades sports facilities. Bring back the pony club. Open space & safe hang out zones.
29	Having places to go to with peers. Improving Kalamunda Water Park for summer fun, updating Stirk Park with spaces for families and youth. Huge nature play area for all ages, skate park for lessons to be run at. Also need a centre run with counsellors offering support for those in need. The mental health system is not enough with long waitlists and the expense that comes with it.
30	The youth need activities like Ray Owen. The pool needs to remain and expand for the young to be able to access by walking or riding. The old youth clubs like PCYC.
31	"Makerspace. A intergenerational non gender limited space to allow young and old to explore develop and inspire innovation.  Parkour based parks where teens and tweens can exercise with or without their parents."
32	Something for them to do!
33	Better play spaces. Especially an upgrade of the playground at Stirk Park
34	More casual, safe and active public spaces in Kalamunda township - ie parks for older children/ teens, skatepark, bike pump track, social mountain bike groups etc
35	Giving them outlets to hangout that are safe and providing a safe community.
36	More activities/concerts arts and crafts free for them to do
37	"Positive experiences Life skills learning about money and savings More skills development days in small groups"
38	More to do out of school hours
39	"More frequent opportunities to engage in mental health workshops. Working with local law enforcement with CCTV to assist with reducing anti social behaviour."
40	Decent parks
41	As someone who has worked with troubled youth, they need things to be open at night. We need more cheap cafes and art or craft for youth. Avoid the skate park and drop in centres, they only bring more trouble.
42	I feel young people need more opportunities to connect & feel part of a community

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#### 2. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
43	More nature play, opportunities to be outside connecting with nature/ arts
44	More places to spend time with friends eg outdoor bbq facilities.
45	Somewhere where children from 0-15 can go to ie parks/skate parks
46	Things for them to do, indoor pool area, sports and recreation, skate parks, movies, esp in the Kalamunda lesmurdie region
47	Transport for down the hill on weekends for socialisation and reduce loitering and vandalism in the hills
48	Having places to go to hang with other young people, and places to entertain them.
49	Access to good quality out door based recreational areas - skate parks, climbing walls, bike trails, foot paths, walking tracks, green open spaces, etc.
50	Free live music events
51	Opportunities to engage positively. Youth events run by youth (concerts, markets etc).
52	"More activities here in Kalamunda. Eg sports centre, a child and parent center. There is NOTHING for babies up here. Look to the likes of the child and parent center in East Maddington and Gosnells. They have a range of parenting workshops. City of Gosnells host jingle all the way, there is nothing on a par up here with their calendar of events throughout the year. We need more school holidays activities here that don't cost the earth."
53	More community events. Kalamunda has quite a few at the moment but family events are a great way to get kids used to community and engaging with others.
54	More police presence in the local communities like high wycombe, to put a stop to graffiti, and anti- social behaviour by guiding behaviours and deterring youth with their presence
55	Developing Stirk Park and having more playgrounds especially up the hill. The playgrounds are woeful compared to other shires.
56	More usable facilities for young people - Stirk Park, Skate Park. Holiday programs - look at what Mundaring Shire provides. Not just programs for under 5's.
57	Upgrade Stirk Park. Skate park upgrade. More leisure activities.
58	Regarding the options in Q1 you could almost combine all those options into "fun events". Kids often learn when they're not "told to" - ie having fun, family centered events enables opportunities to meet different people, learn and build social skills which in the end contribute to life skills, employment skills, etc.
59	More fun stuff

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#### 2. What would improve the lives of young people in our region? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
60	Learning practical skills for real life delivered by good role models in the community ie/ gardening, car service, changing a tyre, cooking, volunteering for elderly and disadvantaged people, giving back to the community
61	Opportunities to be involved in the community sport arts culture volunteering
62	Build a better sense of community and opportunities to connect esp single families
63	Strong male role models
64	More options for healthy social activities eg the mixed netball competition on Friday nights terms 1 and 4 at Ray Owen provide a great opportunity for youth to interact and learn new skills in a safe supported environment
65	Health & Fitness
66	An inclusive youth centre like the Base in Belmont which provides a number of social activities for youth.
67	Activities and facilities available so they are not left to roam the streets. Offering educational programmes and Social facilities
68	Employment opportunities
69	More access for free to community services
70	Love and care
71	A drop in centre that offered specialist skills classes or fun events or a safe haven if they're in trouble.
72	The possibility of meeting their peers from different schools in a safe environment.
73	More fun activities that promote all of the ideas above to get kids engaged and learning. Needs to be marketed towards both primary and high school aged children the earlier the better.
74	Activities that are exciting to them, new hyped up facilities with adventure qualities, think outback splash- adventure world, Royal show
75	Stirk park, it's old dated and under used facilities need upgrading, a skate park like so many down the hill, pump track nature play, there's no shortage of coffee shops for the parents!
76	Access to mentors and volunteer counselling.
77	Better parks/playgrounds/natural areas and opportunities for engagement/building social skills - let's build community spirit, improve engagement and encourage a better sense of belonging and participation in public life. They get enough career development at school.
78	Better conection and comunication opportunities for new parents
79	Better swim facilities
80	Having an alternative education provider in the area and a youth drop in centre e.g. a PCYC
81	More activities, festivals. Better playgrounds!

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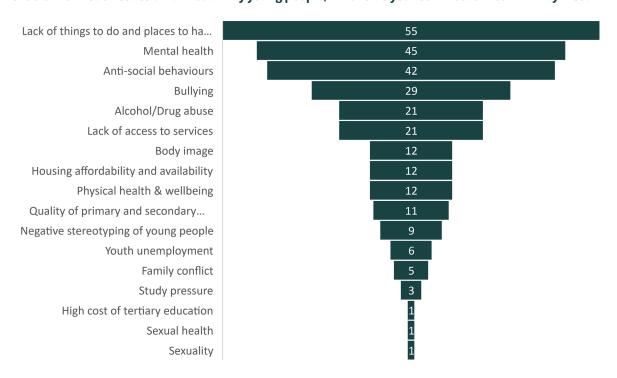
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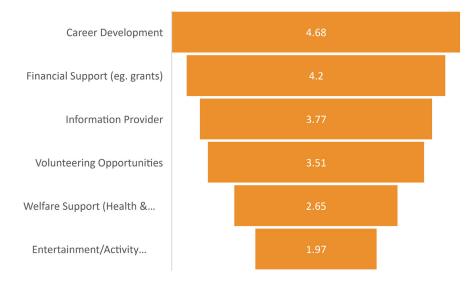
Respondent	Comment
82	"1. Free club memberships cricket/soccer/netball/gymnastics. Unlimited free access to all gyms, Hartfield Park, pool. 2. Bad on fast food outlets. Close them down."
83	More help for homeless kids.
84	Definately more drop in Centres.
85	"'- workshops/seminars - fair/dayout/celebration"
86	Opportunity for entry level jobs and on the job training
87	more fun experiences like concerts etc @ Stirk Park
88	Affordable sports and activities
89	More community day to connect everyone.
90	More activities within the community, family nights, fun activities for all ages. Groups for parents.
91	Spiritual leaders.
92	I believe that helping youth with mental health and suicide.
93	Providing more opportunities to come together and get to know each other.

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#### 3. Below is a list of issues that affect many young people, which 3 do you feel affect our community most?

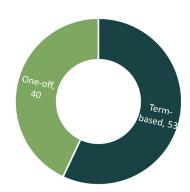


## **4. What role(s) do you think the City of Kalamunda should have in the lives of young people?** (Rank from 1-6 in order of preference, 1 being your most preferred)



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#### 5. Would one-off or term-based programs be more beneficial?



#### 6. Which sports/hobby clubs are youth in your care a member of

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	Swimming, karate and scouts
2	AFL, Athletics
3	None
4	Gymnastics, swimming, art classes
5	None currently, I have a 2 year old
6	None yet (only 6 weeks old)
7	Swimming
8	None
9	Gooseberry Hill Playgroup & Meerilinga Playgroup
10	KDJFC
11	None as of yet
12	Gym, football club
13	Ballet, music, teeball, swimming
14	nil
15	Nil

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#### 6. Which sports/hobby clubs are youth in your care a member of? (Cont.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
16	None
17	None
18	Basketball, gymnastics, football, netball, dancing, swimming
19	Swimming club, library, art classes
20	Kalamunda kickboxing and Kalamunda performers
21	Netball and school band
22	Parks, tee ball
23	Scouts
24	School based sports and activities, Kalamunda kickboxing, Kalamunda Church of christ youth group and church
25	Lesmurdie Legends Swimming Club, Kalamunda Tigers Junior Football Club, Lesmurdie Mazenod Junior Cricket Club, Maida Vale Masters, Warriors Netball Club
26	Baseball, Hockey, Teeball, Tennis, Dancing & Basketball
27	Netball, basketball, swimming
28	My grandchildren are all involved with sport in the district. They are all under 13
29	martial arts, scouts, tennis, coding
30	Playgroups, jump n jiggle, music and movement
31	Tee Ball
32	Tennis, karate, swimming, mountain biking
33	library - lego, skateboard ramps
34	Footy
35	library - lego skate board ramps
36	Swimming
37	Soccer, bounce, swimming
38	Kalamunda kickboxing
39	Netball Cricket
40	None

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#### 6. Which sports/hobby clubs are youth in your care a member of? (Cont.)

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Respondent	Comment
41	I go out of area. Art is too expensive, sport is on weekends or evening practice. Nothing convenient or cheap in hills
42	netball. previously a member of guides.
43	High Wycombe Cricket Club and Foot all Club
44	None - too young
45	Nil
46	Skating but have to bus downhill as Kalamunda skate park is atrocious
47	Local gyms and footy club
48	Netball, AFL, Scouts, Kickboxing
49	Gymnastics and dancing
50	Tennis, ausick
51	Dance, music lessons
52	None
53	Netball, cooking class during school holidays, music class, gymnastics, swimming.
54	Scouts and dancing
55	Mazenod football club
56	Kalamunda Rangers. Kalamunda Junior Football Club
57	Football, music
58	None
59	Playgroup - child is only 14mths
60	Huntingdale footy
61	Swimming
62	Rugby League And Athletics
63	Non can't afford it
64	Ju jitsu, hockey
65	Netball, cricket, gym (but Shire gym not available to < 16 years and teen program has limited availability and times)
66	Swimming, Gymnastics

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#### 6. Which sports/hobby clubs are youth in your care a member of? (Cont.)

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Respondent	Comment
67	Scouts (Venturers), archery, dungeons and dragons group, swimming, community band, rock climbing
68	KDBA
69	Lesmurdie club
70	Forrestfield flyers teeball
71	N/A
72	Netball, music, swimming
73	None because we don't know what's around we are new to the area
74	GKSC- swimming and Kalamunda performers, acting
75	Kalamunda cricket club, Kalamunda bulldogs
76	Anglican Church youth program
77	Kalamunda hockey club, Lesmurdie Mazenod Cricket Club, Lesmurdie Tennis Club, Kalamunda library, swimming.
78	3yr old private run art classes, community run kindy gym
79	Toddler activities
80	N/A
81	Basketball, football, netball, parkour, skateboarding, arts and crafts, drama
82	Soccer, pool, K/G swim club, MT biking
83	Basketball, football
84	Brazillian jui jitsu, swimming and dancing
85	Gymnastics
86	Basketball @ Ray Owen - Dance in High Wycombe and Gymnastics in High Wycombe
87	Hockey and football
88	Basketball
89	Footy, Joondalup, Basketball, Lego Club
90	Green Tag, Esther Community
91	N/A
92	Meditation events

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### **7. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stress-free zones in libraries, meditation events etc.)

**Comments** Note: Text has been included without edits as provided by respondents.

Respondent	Comment
1	Support groups would be great.
2	Above mentioned
3	Teen yoga, meditation, study skills workshops, nature based
4	Support groups and meditation/well being events
5	Mentor programs
6	Meditation
7	Recreation centre in Kalamunda/ lesmurdie
8	Na
9	"Support groups and clubs Youth activities especially focussed on fitness and yoga Youth centres Outdoor school holiday activities Activities for dads and kids to spend more time together"
10	"What about a venue that's kind of like a men's shed but for youth. Kind of like the Artifactory in Osbourne Park but for youth.  Somewhere where the kids can connect and create. Form a sense of belonging and ownership.  The Artifactory has all sorts of facility's to create, from 3D printing, laser cutting, cnc machine, the welding, music studio, etc. There's a common area for hanging out. You can add a gaming room, a meditation room whatever is needed. You could have youth leader/councillor oversee it all, hangout with the kids, form relationships to then provide guidance."
11	Nature based "forest school" programs provided to primary and high school students. Dedicated youth venue with activities, workshops, support workers etc. A skate park with pump track. Child-friendly design in planning (eg. Car-less walking routes to schools, cbd closed to traffic, multiuse green spaces that allow children to play while parents shop/cafe etc) to allow kids to once again safely venture around independently.
12	Clubs that aren't all about sports, mindfulness groups, proper sex ed, lgbtiq support group, neurodiversity / mental health support groups, creative expression groups without achievement pressure, swimming pool in foothills, youth workers to support the kids who have need for practical support where parents are not supportive enough.
13	Youth drop-in centre providing all these suggestions - and that provides an alternative to detention/ suspension from school - instead work with schools to provide volunteering opportunities/meditation/yoga/mental health education etc Detention/suspension is a win for misbehaving instead of directing them into better choices.
14	Playgrounds!! Evidence states so strongly that outdoor play and socialising is pivotal in children's learning, well-being and development.

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**7. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stressfree zones in libraries, meditation events etc.) (Cont.)

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Respondent	Comment
15	Upgrade Stirk Park ASAP- this would be used so much by all generations in the Hills- children, parents and grandparents! Playing outside also assists with improving mental health and connects people in the community together. Upgrading Stirk Park would make it a wonderful place for the community to come together, regardless of age, gender, etc.
16	Support groups definitely. Structured activities and events.
17	Yoga for youth
18	Activities such as how to budget, how to fix your push bike, how to use a telescope, how to be involved in tracking wildlife travelling through your own garden. Yoga classes, meditation classes, writing classes
19	Yoga and mediation classes. Group therapy sessions.
20	Play spaces!!
21	Yoga and meditation, life skills groupa
22	A dedicated youth hangout that they can get info on a range of topics from
23	Understanding of other ethnic groups - We are one.
24	This isn't something our family needs. We don't need structured activities or spaces, we need improved facilities where our family can spend time together.
25	Drop in centre at churches for young people to become part of, belong and welcomed as well as couciling being available there
26	Somewhere safe and open for them to hang out with friends
27	All of the above! Council programs, community volunteering opportunities, better schools, crack down on hoons & anti social behaviour.
28	Drop-in Centres welcoming all kids in area. To have support workers for kids in need of counselling and also offer entertainment (concerts), music jamming sessions, spaces to hang out with friends.
29	The youth need safe places to hang out with their friends like the old youth clubs which provide fun activities and leadership
30	Better play spaces, nature play etc in central Kalamunda
31	"Life skills course Safe events for the primary and high schoolers"
32	Youth stress free zones, youth meditation
33	Meditation, breathwork course, sensory room
34	Positive events and hang out opportunities
35	Mental Health Workshops for different age groups/gender groups

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**7. What would you like to see in the space of health and wellbeing for youth?** (e.g. support groups, stressfree zones in libraries, meditation events etc.) (Cont.)

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Respondent	Comment
36	Decent secure parks and playgrounds would be beneficial to both health and wellbeing.
37	More pop ups in town at night. More concerts, perhaps cover bands of modern generation. For goodness sake, put on a band everyone can dance to for NYE and attract more families. Food van nights, particularly Monday evenings when this sleepy town is shut. Albany is slowly transforming itself, kala is stuck in the mud
38	"fun, low key workshops on managing anxiety opportunities to develop a network of friends outside of school"
39	I would like you to ask the target groups in face to face focus groups what they need and want. I doubt they're going to follow your page and fill out the online survey, especially 0-8 year olds
40	Youth group for school age kids, to socialise, play social sport etc (may already exist!)
41	Parks to play on, or at least Stirk Park, I am 30+ and this park hasn't had a proper upgrade since then!
42	Groups teaching art/music, youth club for social activities where they can also learn dance, yoga, meditation and sports such as table tennis, darts, card games, computer games, outdoor Ed such ad camps etc
43	Discounts for rate payers for massage, health and well being centres and gyms
44	Less involvement in this and provision of more facilities.
45	Unsure
46	Mindfulness sessions. Access to counseling.
47	"Cok swimming lessons locally. Info sessions for youths on a range of mental health talks over the holidays."
48	Mental health support groups, anxiety and autism friendly events, stress free study sessions in the library with people available to mentor and support. Local support for youth at risk as support services and CPFS are either at their limit or have extensive wait lists (support services and referral agencies) so there's no where else to turn for these kids.
49	Youth centre drop in
50	More playground facilities, , pump track, skate park, upgrade Stirk Park.
51	Yoga for kids

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52	My child is only very young (14mths) and we did go through a good Child health nurse program which formed my mothers group - however there are not a lot of places to go in Kalamunda for young bubs and toddlers. The parks are beautiful but it would be good to have more shaded areas - especially given the prevalence of skin cancer in Australia. There are some wonderful child care centers that offer great programs too, and the library has some great programs on offer - but only set days and often at difficult times for a lot of baby nap schedules. The library kids room is the only free community place I know where you can take a toddler indoors to play. It would be nice to see another space - perhaps the new Community Centre or repurposing some of the vacant land on Haynes Street? The empty block next to The Best Drop had a pop up cinema a few years ago - perhaps a pop up play area with sections for different age groups to gauge interest levels and feasibility?
53	More swim groups
54	Access to free psychology services, free group exercise classes such as Pilates or yoga that connects mind and body, free access to sports and coaching such as golf and tennis that are normally expensive to engage in
55	Yes
56	Need a sensory space room and a youth group /leadership program or something similar to like the "big brother" program
57	Support groups
58	Best to ask the youth directly, but organised activities that are well supervised would be great
59	Mediation and exercise events. Health & Well being.
60	More opportunities for youth to connect Social groups are a good way for youth to feel connected and this promotes positive mental health. Meditation and yoga events are good but regular meet ups for kids would be more helpful for their overall well-being.
61	Upgraded water park ,rollerskating brought back
62	More community programmes for free
63	Spiritual growth groups that explore self love and coping mechanisms for life.
64	Drop in centre, support groups
65	Support groups and activities to keep them busy and involved.
66	Mental well-being events, meditation, self care, stress free study groups, youth counseling, support groups, especially for chronic health issues. My son has type 1 diabetes and our nearest family support is in Stirling.
67	Resilience , how to deal with setbacks and things that don't happen instantly
68	Engagement of youth in Kalamunda would be a start

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Respondent	Comment
69	Chill out zones, youth expos with information stalls and activities
70	Dedicated and easily accessible youth Drop In spaces where kids can go for events/activities/classes and also feel comfortable to access support when needed. Library activities/clubs for the less social/sporty kids.
71	Family engagement activities
72	Yoga and fitness classes
73	Access to hang-out and after school spaces with youth workers onsite e.g. The Base in Belmont run by The Y. And youth mental health providers who also provide youth health services and sexual health clinics e.g. Headspace in Armadale
74	Better playground and recreation spaces for the whole family; parkour and fitness zones as well as childhood playground spaces so the whole family can enjoy the area. Shaded spaces.
75	Meditation (at schools) weight loss support, mental health free counselling.
76	Support group, info sessions.
77	Education on mental health, mindfulness, physical health, meditation, support for drug and alcohol.
78	N/A
79	Support groups - meditation events etc
80	Free/affordable health/sports activities
81	Support groups
82	Support groups for Mums
83	More real souls
84	A youth drop in centre.

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#### 8. Last Question! do you have any other comments, tips, questions or suggestions?

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Respondent	Comment
1	No
2	Please see above- Kalamunda is consistantly lagging behind in upgrading and showing dynamic and purposeful initiative in providing safe/exciting and interesting spaces for kids in the community. There's always proposals and nothing gets done. Parents fear by the time anything happens their children will be too old to enjoy them.
3	Please give them something to do. We are constantly travelling out of the City of Kalamunda as there is nothing for them to do and nowhere to hang out. Would love to see a youth club, blue light discos, youth movie nights mental health and well-being based activities. Cool things that they will be attracted to.
4	"Please do something to stirk park, I'm literally begging you. The playground is boring and outdated.
	Upgrade the equipment and it will make more and more people use it/travel up the hill = more money for the community, and a more vibrant, fun hub.  Kalamunda is turning into a ghost town with for lease stickers EVERYWHERE.  Something needs to change. "
5	"Men's shed youth engagement More festivals in stirk park"
6	"Pool More off leash dog areas Events put on by Hawaiian in Forrestfield are great, please keep supporting Outdoor cinemas are great keep supporting Music events Disco's Mullet competition (jokes, but there are so many kids running around with mullets in this LGA) "
7	More free events (for Kalamunda shire families) where families can gather together with vendors like food trucks, kids animal farm or Australian animal interactions, face painters etc etc
8	Na
9	Greater activation of the main shopping area and Stirk Park to make it a place families and kids / teens spend time
10	"Just do something, anything! Once off events are great but we need something permanent and ongoing for the kids."
11	Plan for the kids and the future, not for appeasing those who want to drive everywhere, park out the front of every shop rather than seeing kids walking to school, hanging out with their friends and interacting with the community. Thanks
12	Please put into action the plans of the Stirk Park upgrade. This has gone on long enough and it's truly absurd that we are still waiting for this.
13	"PLEASE UPGRADE STIRK PARK ASAP!! Thank you :)"

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14	As previously stated an upgrade to Stirk Park including a nature play area. My husband is nearly 40 and played on the same equipment when he was a child. Time for a serious upgrade to attract both the younger families now living in the area (no longer just an aged demographic) and the 100's of visitors that come to the hills with their families and spend in our local stores and cafes.
15	"Upgrade stirk Park! And have more areas where youth can create their own dirt bike ramps "
16	Energy should be spent on developing access for everyone so everyone can be included.
17	For the council to adopt a plan to be a Glyphosate free shire Schools, parks, walking tracks! There has to be a better way than spraying a known carcinogen around all of our loved outdoor spaces!  Other shires do it why can't we!!! That would certainly be good for the future of our children.
18	"Please prioritise Stirk Park. I continue to ask what can we do to make this happen and keep getting the same response about funding. Every other council has prioritised money to upgrade their park and we have not. This is so frustrating.
	Make it happen! "
19	Be the leader in youth entertainment in Perth. It wouldn't take much effort!
20	I would like to see more interaction within the aboriginal and "other Australians". We are not doing enough in the way of reconciliation.
21	COK has more and more families in our community, mostly with similar values and desires. We need facilities to give our children something to do, somewhere to hang out, where they can stay in our community, where we know they are safe and close to home. We love our home in the hills, but really feel Kalamunda is way behind other areas in terms of playgrounds. We need a skate park, pump track, all ages playground, and I would LOVE to see the Kalamunda pool redeveloped and to stay in Kalamunda - not down the hill. Kalamunda residents want a strong community, and we need support from the city to make that happen.
22	There really isn't much in the way of activities in kalamunda. I'd love to see a place like Bounce or Latitude instead of another pizza shop or winery.
23	Keep Kalamunda Pool open! Upgrade it! Allow the history of Kalamunda to stay alive! Provide somewhere positive for our youth to hang out with friends for the day!
24	Strongly feel the council does no where near enough for local youth. Most leave as soon as they can.
25	My daughter went to workshops regarding Stirk park 5 years ago and nothing had been done. All I suggest is you act quickly as our youth need facilities urgently. And if I'm allowed to say UP the hill
26	"we need the kalamunda pool to be open for longer so young people have a save healthy space to hang out. we also need parks aimed at tweens and teens and not just little kids. Parkour /ninja warrior style areas Makerspaces so skills can be developed in crucial future aspects."

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27	Instead of wasting money use it to benefit the community and making it safe with security. Like the footpath to the new train station on Palmer Crescent as they already had a foot path. Then you did the work and didn't complete it properly all the paving in the driveways have sunk or the sprinklers have not been re-installed properly.
28	Trampoline park, maze, creative play, work ventures for youth eg shipping container cafe youth can lease it and run pop business
29	I've had to move my son from kalamunda high school because of lack of support, and a deteriation in his mental health due to the stress and antisocial behaviour at the school. He now really needs local opportunities to connect with the few mates he made at Kalamunda.
30	Survey isn't targeted to our very young, who also need representation
31	This town is boring for adults, let alone youth. I have nothing to do with my tween at nights, and there's nothing for me. The Perth Symphony was BADLY advertised. I only heard about it through friends going. More visual advertising like a Upcoming Events board near the Red Rooster roundabout.
32	"* need to offer a wide range of different things. My daughter is not into crowds, and few teens would feel comfortable going to a workshop that was marketed as being about managing anxiety or developing coping mechanisms / resilience, but would very much be into personal challenges of the type that Nearer to Nature used to run, or high ropes etc - challenge by choice. But others love the events at the Kala pool at the end of the school year & other big crowd events.  Get young people to consult on marketing so that the name and description appeals to tweens & teens rather what we old folk think would be appealing.  Lots of different things in different locations so teens don't need to rely on parents getting them there - maybe some at a location near centro, or stirk park, or the oval behind kala high, but also some in forrestfield and beyond, and the far side of lesmurdie it's frustrating as a parent that so many of your great holiday activities are all in the one location, which isn't always convenient.  The kala show didn't run last year because of a lack of volunteers - find a way to get more young people involved in organising and running it as an event that they want to attend and is family friendly. This may be a move away from the traditional same thing every year events  good luck!"
33	As above plus more nature playgrounds/ wild spaces for kids
34	More sanctioned mountain bike trails in the valley.
35	Upgrade Stirk Park at the very least, I would love to walk to my local parks but they are covered in bush and not safe
36	Look after the young with better playgrounds for the under 12 and much better facilities for the over 12. Bored kids become troubled kids and thus is getting more apparent in the Kalamunda shire esp. in the hills
37	Stop focusing on the elderly as they have more than another units and centres and start focusing on the youth. Clearly crime is increasing due to bored youth and a lack of police presence

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38	Young people need spaces to hang out and improved facilities. ie. long awaited skate park at Stirk Park, improvements to pools (heating, indoor pool, better slides, open more of the year). Perhaps a youth club, mini cinema, fun things to do!
39	Not at this stage
40	Battle of the bands.
41	See answer to q 2
42	More funding for police presence and support in the high wycombe and Forrestfield areA
43	Start developing Stirk Park asap.
44	"Provide programs and facilities for primary school aged children. Consult with more parents with primary school aged children ie - at targeted events."
45	Better playgrounds
46	I'm a project manager in state government - happy to be contacted to provide further feedback or elaborate on ideas!
47	Upgrade parks to have safe scooter/bike tracks for toddlers learning to ride (no hills or uneven paving). Consider days where young people visit aged care facilities to volunteer/contribute (music, reading, listening to storytelling). Consider incorporating Aboriginal culture in all schools and social activities (ie/ teaching kids about Aboriginal art, language, dance, song, yarning, country and embed it in everyday life to create pride in culture)
48	Clubs like Kalamunda Bulldogs need more support need proper clubrooms better lighting better facilities and not treated like the poor Cousin to Union. Hartfield Country Club was nearly insolvent and if not run properly council should take over and run as a public course
49	Be nice as a single mum with no family support to have a place to interact and seen other parents and have a safe place to talk
50	None
51	As previous
52	Easier access to information about local sporting clubs in the area.
53	It's important to cater and provide inclusive opportunities for all youth. Games clubs that promote Chess, dungeons and dragons and other such games are generally more inclusive and would be a good start (and low cost). Also consider home school youth who are looking for social opportunities to connect (some activities could run during school hours).
54	Attraction of business ,that provide youth training and employement
55	Events for older kids similar to those offered to younger kids at the libraries; junior music bands and orchestra; a covered swimming pool in Kalamunda.

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56	A youth group on Friday nights to get kids engaged and off the streets, somewhere fun yet safe to go. A place they can learn all of the essential skills to thrive, make friends and socialise outside of school cliques.
57	Nope
58	No
59	A mix of one-off events and term-based activities is required. And more community events where young people can do stuff WITH their friends, families and the broader community. Activate the facilities/parks you have with more events/activities and actually promote them properly.
60	Look to what other areas in South Metro are providing for their youth - Kalamunda may have a relatively older, wealthy population at the moment but the City encompasses some areas which are lower socioeconomic and youth from all backgrounds appreciate having a space that is their own. Armadale has a youth council which gets to meet and consult with the city once a month - great for their resume! Currently youth from Kalamunda have to travel to either Midland or Armadale to access state run mental health support (Headspace, CAMHS) which is quite a trek on public transport. Same for alternative education courses - all in Midland, Armadale, Kensington etc. would be great to have alternative education option in Kalamunda/Forrestfield/High Wycombe.
61	Modernising facilities so we don't need to drive out of the city of Kalamunda to access nice play space. More community events to get the kids engaged and again, so we don't have to leave our beautiful city to spend time and money in other locations
62	Young people in this Shire have the disadvantage of poor education support from home, no where to go 12 weeks of the year (holidays) due to 2 parents at work. And - inschooling when we make the suburb attractive to Asians the grades will improve (eg Wattle Grove).
63	No
64	Better transport services
65	"What roles do you think the City of Kalamunda should have in the lives of young people: (no number order given) Financial support (eg grants), Volunteering Opportunities, Career Development"
66	No
67	God bless this community.
68	thx.

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**Appendix A** 

**Workshop Materials** 

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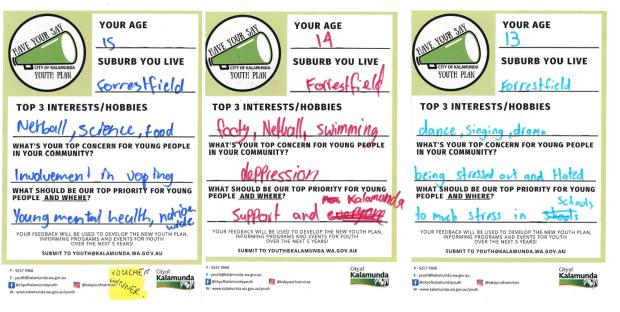
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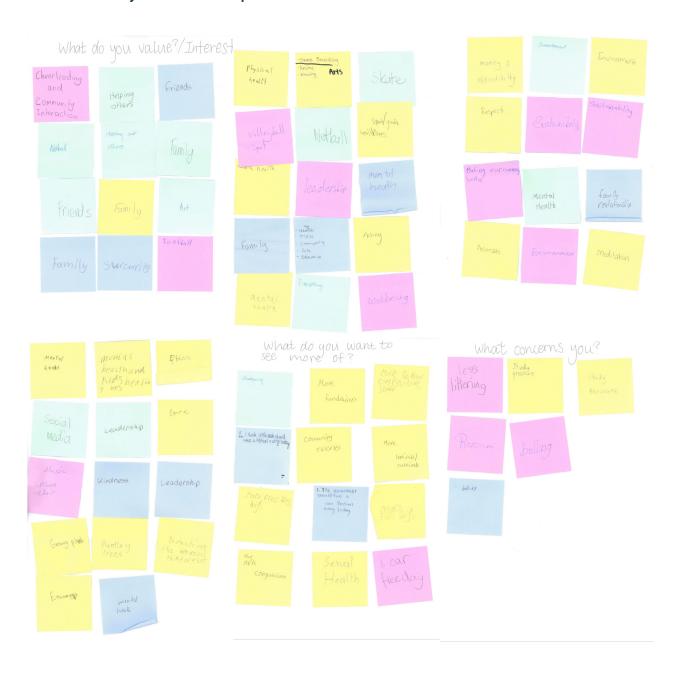
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