

# Survey Responses

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## Your Say SJ

Project: Youth Plan



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Respondent No: 1

Login: Registered

Responded At: Dec 10, 2024 14:52:10 pm

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Q1. How often do you participate in activities or events in the Shire of SJ?	Occasionally (1-2 times a month)
Q2. What types of activities and workshops would you most like to see more of in the Shire's youth programs? (Choose as many as you like)	Job and life skills training (cooking, car maintenance, career paths, etc) Outdoor adventures (hiking, biking, cultural experiences, local wildlife)
Q3. How easy is it for you to participate and access youth (SJ Youth Space, school holidays etc) or community events/activities?	Somewhat difficult
Q4. If you answered difficult, tell us why?	not answered
Q5. How much do you relate to this statement?  "The Shire's youth programs meet my interests and needs."	Somewhat disagree
Q6. How likely would you be to ask your mates to come along to a shire's youth program/event?	Somewhat likely
Q7. If you have selected not likely, tell us why?	not answered
Q8. What's the best way for you to get updates on what we are doing for youth?	Social media (Instagram, Facebook)
Q9. What skills or support do you feel are missing in current Shire youth programs? (Select all that apply)	Financial literacy (Job security, budgeting etc, Centrelink) Housing and Independent living Leadership development Education (current and further study, alternate pathways) Legal Rights (laws, justice, police)
Q10. What is the best part of the Shire's youth programs for you? (Select all that apply)	Meeting new people Learning new skills Access to resources
Q11. What do you think are the biggest challenges/concerns facing young people in our community?	Redirecting challenging behaviour in young people changing them into the positive young leaders of the future.
Q12. Tell us what you think about SJ's current youth services.	Great service. I would like to see the youth service grow towards becoming a program that works across all schools in the SJ Shire that works towards making positive young leaders and change makers of the future.

**Respondent No:** 2**Login:** Registered**Responded At:** Dec 15, 2024 11:28:51 am**Last Seen:** Dec 14, 2024 23:06:37 pm

Q1. <b>How often do you participate in activities or events in the Shire of SJ?</b>	Regularly (3-4 times a month)
Q2. <b>What types of activities and workshops would you most like to see more of in the Shire's youth programs? (Choose as many as you like)</b>	<p>Sports and fitness (yoga, personal training etc)</p> <p>Art and creativity (DIY, street art, music, photography, visual arts)</p> <p>Job and life skills training (cooking, car maintenance, career paths, etc)</p> <p>Technology and Gaming (coding, graphic design, film making)</p> <p>Mental health and wellness (self-care, counselling, goal setting)</p>
Q3. <b>How easy is it for you to participate and access youth (SJ Youth Space, school holidays etc) or community events/activities?</b>	Very difficult
Q4. <b>If you answered difficult, tell us why?</b>	<p>Hard to reach</p> <p><b>Other (please specify)</b></p> <p>I catch the bus home from school as my parents work. I don't get home until 4:30pm. The youth programs are usually finished before I could get there.</p>
Q5. <b>How much do you relate to this statement?</b>	
"The Shire's youth programs meet my interests and needs."	Definitely disagree
Q6. <b>How likely would you be to ask your mates to come along to a shire's youth program/event?</b>	Likely
Q7. <b>If you have selected not likely, tell us why?</b>	not answered
Q8. <b>What's the best way for you to get updates on what we are doing for youth?</b>	Social media (Instagram, Facebook)
Q9. <b>What skills or support do you feel are missing in current Shire youth programs? (Select all that apply)</b>	<p>Financial literacy (Job security, budgeting etc, Centrelink)</p> <p>Physical and Mental Wellbeing (Doctors, Case Work, Nutrition)</p> <p>Housing and Independent living</p> <p>Drugs and Alcohol (self or others)</p>
Q10. <b>What is the best part of the Shire's youth programs for you? (Select all that apply)</b>	<p><b>Other (please specify)</b></p> <p>Don't use it.</p>
Q11. <b>What do you think are the biggest challenges/concerns facing young people in our community?</b>	
Boredom, not a lot to do in Byford or not a lot of money to go places for teens which causes vandalism, drug and alcohol use.	

**Q12. Tell us what you think about SJ's current youth services.**

I am unable to use it. City of Cockburn does a good youth program.

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**Respondent No:** 3**Login:** Registered**Responded At:** Dec 21, 2024 15:56:56 pm**Last Seen:** Dec 21, 2024 07:38:10 am

Q1. <b>How often do you participate in activities or events in the Shire of SJ?</b>	Occasionally (1-2 times a month)
Q2. <b>What types of activities and workshops would you most like to see more of in the Shire's youth programs? (Choose as many as you like)</b>	<p>Sports and fitness (yoga, personal training etc)</p> <p>Art and creativity (DIY, street art, music, photography, visual arts)</p> <p>Job and life skills training (cooking, car maintenance, career paths, etc)</p> <p>Mental health and wellness (self-care, counselling, goal setting)</p> <p>Outdoor adventures (hiking, biking, cultural experiences, local wildlife)</p>
Q3. <b>How easy is it for you to participate and access youth (SJ Youth Space, school holidays etc) or community events/activities?</b>	Neutral
Q4. <b>If you answered difficult, tell us why?</b>	not answered
Q5. <b>How much do you relate to this statement?</b>  "The Shire's youth programs meet my interests and needs."	Neither agree nor disagree
Q6. <b>How likely would you be to ask your mates to come along to a shire's youth program/event?</b>	Likely
Q7. <b>If you have selected not likely, tell us why?</b>	not answered
Q8. <b>What's the best way for you to get updates on what we are doing for youth?</b>	Email or newsletter.
Q9. <b>What skills or support do you feel are missing in current Shire youth programs? (Select all that apply)</b>	<p><b>Other (please specify)</b></p> <p>I am not a youth, however, I am very interested in the youth and opportunities that can be made available to them.</p>
Q10. <b>What is the best part of the Shire's youth programs for you? (Select all that apply)</b>	<p><b>Other (please specify)</b></p> <p>I believe all the above should apply. I am the new owner of the old Keysbrook Shops and would happily be involved in anything that could be offered from here, once licensed, in the capacity of Barista course, cooking, art, music etc.</p>
Q11. <b>What do you think are the biggest challenges/concerns facing young people in our community?</b>	<p>- Being given opportunities as not all youth are exposed to different ideas and then building on new skills. In my opinion it is not all about adults instructing youth, youth can also learn from youth. I am passionate about youth and have worked in this area over many years with international students and university students.</p>

**Q12. Tell us what you think about SJ's current youth services.**

I am not up to date with current youth services however, I will definitely be following along in the future.

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Respondent No: 4

Login: Registered

Responded At: Dec 23, 2024 12:00:16 pm

Last Seen: Dec 23, 2024 03:55:21 am

Q1. How often do you participate in activities or events in the Shire of SJ?	Occasionally (1-2 times a month)
Q2. What types of activities and workshops would you most like to see more of in the Shire's youth programs? (Choose as many as you like)	Sports and fitness (yoga, personal training etc) Art and creativity (DIY, street art, music, photography, visual arts) Mental health and wellness (self-care, counselling, goal setting)
Q3. How easy is it for you to participate and access youth (SJ Youth Space, school holidays etc) or community events/activities?	Neutral
Q4. If you answered difficult, tell us why?	not answered
Q5. How much do you relate to this statement?  "The Shire's youth programs meet my interests and needs."	Somewhat disagree
Q6. How likely would you be to ask your mates to come along to a shire's youth program/event?	Very likely
Q7. If you have selected not likely, tell us why?	not answered
Q8. What's the best way for you to get updates on what we are doing for youth?	Email or newsletter.
Q9. What skills or support do you feel are missing in current Shire youth programs? (Select all that apply)	Physical and Mental Wellbeing (Doctors, Case Work, Nutrition) Housing and Independent living
Q10. What is the best part of the Shire's youth programs for you? (Select all that apply)	Having fun in a safe space
Q11. What do you think are the biggest challenges/concerns facing young people in our community?	not answered
Q12. Tell us what you think about SJ's current youth services.	not answered

**Respondent No:** 5**Login:** Registered**Responded At:** Dec 23, 2024 12:06:02 pm**Last Seen:** Dec 23, 2024 03:56:56 am

Q1. How often do you participate in activities or events in the Shire of SJ?	Regularly (3-4 times a month)
Q2. What types of activities and workshops would you most like to see more of in the Shire's youth programs? (Choose as many as you like)	Sports and fitness (yoga, personal training etc) Mental health and wellness (self-care, counselling, goal setting) Outdoor adventures (hiking, biking, cultural experiences, local wildlife)
Q3. How easy is it for you to participate and access youth (SJ Youth Space, school holidays etc) or community events/activities?	Somewhat difficult
Q4. If you answered difficult, tell us why?	not answered
Q5. How much do you relate to this statement?  "The Shire's youth programs meet my interests and needs."	Somewhat disagree
Q6. How likely would you be to ask your mates to come along to a shire's youth program/event?	Not likely
Q7. If you have selected not likely, tell us why?	<b>Other (please specify)</b> Don't know when they are on
Q8. What's the best way for you to get updates on what we are doing for youth?	School announcements
Q9. What skills or support do you feel are missing in current Shire youth programs? (Select all that apply)	Physical and Mental Wellbeing (Doctors, Case Work, Nutrition)
Q10. What is the best part of the Shire's youth programs for you? (Select all that apply)	not answered
Q11. What do you think are the biggest challenges/concerns facing young people in our community?	Mental health Boredom Social skills
Q12. Tell us what you think about SJ's current youth services.	Don't know much about them



**Respondent No:** 6**Login:** Anonymous**Responded At:** Jan 14, 2025 10:08:28 am**Last Seen:** Jan 14, 2025 10:08:28 am

Q1. How often do you participate in activities or events in the Shire of SJ?	Never
Q2. What types of activities and workshops would you most like to see more of in the Shire's youth programs? (Choose as many as you like)	<p>Sports and fitness (yoga, personal training etc)</p> <p>Art and creativity (DIY, street art, music, photography, visual arts)</p> <p>Job and life skills training (cooking, car maintenance, career paths, etc)</p> <p>Technology and Gaming (coding, graphic design, film making)</p> <p>Mental health and wellness (self-care, counselling, goal setting)</p> <p>Outdoor adventures (hiking, biking, cultural experiences, local wildlife)</p>
Q3. How easy is it for you to participate and access youth (SJ Youth Space, school holidays etc) or community events/activities?	Somewhat difficult
Q4. If you answered difficult, tell us why?	not answered
Q5. How much do you relate to this statement?  "The Shire's youth programs meet my interests and needs."	Somewhat disagree
Q6. How likely would you be to ask your mates to come along to a shire's youth program/event?	Somewhat likely
Q7. If you have selected not likely, tell us why?	not answered
Q8. What's the best way for you to get updates on what we are doing for youth?	Social media (Instagram, Facebook)
Q9. What skills or support do you feel are missing in current Shire youth programs? (Select all that apply)	<p>Physical and Mental Wellbeing (Doctors, Case Work, Nutrition)</p> <p>Housing and Independent living</p> <p>Education (current and further study, alternate pathways)</p>
Q10. What is the best part of the Shire's youth programs for you? (Select all that apply)	<p>Meeting new people</p> <p>Gaining support for personal goals</p> <p>Access to resources</p>
Q11. What do you think are the biggest challenges/concerns facing young people in our community?	not answered
Q12. Tell us what you think about SJ's current youth services.	not answered



Respondent No: 7

Login: Anonymous

Responded At: Jan 29, 2025 16:31:48 pm

Last Seen: Jan 29, 2025 16:31:48 pm

Q1. How often do you participate in activities or events in the Shire of SJ?	Occasionally (1-2 times a month)
Q2. What types of activities and workshops would you most like to see more of in the Shire's youth programs? (Choose as many as you like)	Outdoor adventures (hiking, biking, cultural experiences, local wildlife)
Q3. How easy is it for you to participate and access youth (SJ Youth Space, school holidays etc) or community events/activities?	Neutral
Q4. If you answered difficult, tell us why?	not answered
Q5. How much do you relate to this statement? "The Shire's youth programs meet my interests and needs."	Somewhat disagree
Q6. How likely would you be to ask your mates to come along to a shire's youth program/event?	Not likely
Q7. If you have selected not likely, tell us why?	<b>Other (please specify)</b> The youth programs/events don't really interest me, and I don't think they'll really interest my friends either.
Q8. What's the best way for you to get updates on what we are doing for youth?	Social media (Instagram, Facebook)
Q9. What skills or support do you feel are missing in current Shire youth programs? (Select all that apply)	<b>Other (please specify)</b> Getting young people outside and doing physical activities.
Q10. What is the best part of the Shire's youth programs for you? (Select all that apply)	<b>Other (please specify)</b> Not really sure, haven't participated in enough to judge.
Q11. What do you think are the biggest challenges/concerns facing young people in our community?	Broken families, lack of guidance and direction from parents, lack of motivation and direction for their lives.
Q12. Tell us what you think about SJ's current youth services.	not answered

**Respondent No:** 8**Login:** Anonymous**Responded At:** Jan 29, 2025 18:31:01 pm**Last Seen:** Jan 29, 2025 18:31:01 pm

Q1. <b>How often do you participate in activities or events in the Shire of SJ?</b>	Regularly (3-4 times a month)
Q2. <b>What types of activities and workshops would you most like to see more of in the Shire's youth programs? (Choose as many as you like)</b>	<p>Sports and fitness (yoga, personal training etc)</p> <p>Art and creativity (DIY, street art, music, photography, visual arts)</p> <p>Job and life skills training (cooking, car maintenance, career paths, etc)</p> <p>Technology and Gaming (coding, graphic design, film making)</p> <p>Mental health and wellness (self-care, counselling, goal setting)</p> <p>Outdoor adventures (hiking, biking, cultural experiences, local wildlife)</p>
Q3. <b>How easy is it for you to participate and access youth (SJ Youth Space, school holidays etc) or community events/activities?</b>	Somewhat easy
Q4. <b>If you answered difficult, tell us why?</b>	not answered
Q5. <b>How much do you relate to this statement?</b>  "The Shire's youth programs meet my interests and needs."	Definitely disagree
Q6. <b>How likely would you be to ask your mates to come along to a shire's youth program/event?</b>	Very likely
Q7. <b>If you have selected not likely, tell us why?</b>	not answered
Q8. <b>What's the best way for you to get updates on what we are doing for youth?</b>	<p><b>Other (please specify)</b></p> <p>All of the above</p>

**Q9. What skills or support do you feel are missing in current Shire youth programs? (Select all that apply)**

Financial literacy (Job security, budgeting etc, Centrelink)

Physical and Mental Wellbeing (Doctors, Case Work, Nutrition)

Housing and Independent living

Leadership development

Education (current and further study, alternate pathways)

Legal Rights (laws, justice, police)

Drugs and Alcohol (self or others)

**Other (please specify)**

- Volunteer positions in workplaces to gain experience. - Public Indoor/outdoor swimming centre with a variety of programs being provided for all ages and connected to the gym, sports and rollerskating section. - Include an area for presentations ie Visiting Authors, school holiday program for teens etc Similar to the Requatic centre in Kwinana. It's a great set up. I would also like to see positive interaction with the local police and community services near the pool/gym so youths and families can create better connections and relationships for themselves and their community.

**Q10. What is the best part of the Shire's youth programs for you? (Select all that apply)**

Meeting new people

Learning new skills

Having fun in a safe space

Gaining support for personal goals

Access to resources

**Other (please specify)**

There are quite a few sport teams and as Byford has a bus service, this would enable youths to access engaging, healthy and fun activities within their own community without having to leave their own area. This would also mean less driving for families and more exercise for young people.

**Q11. What do you think are the biggest challenges/concerns facing young people in our community?**

-The amount of fast food, smokes and alcohol that are directly available to youths in Byford. - A lack of community services and fun healthy activities that I highlighted in the previous question. - Deaths of young drivers in Byford due to driving recklessly. - Congestion on the local roads due to housing expansion. The two should go hand in hand so youths can easily access local services and feel safe crossing roads or practicing for their drivers licence and the families of youths will feel a little more confident their kids are safe in their own community. More support for families is less stress and trauma on our youths.

**Q12. Tell us what you think about SJ's current youth services.**

In all sports, community activities and services for youths there should be a built in component to value, teach and model health and wellbeing. Unfortunately the things that stand out the most are fast food, alcohol, drugs and fast cars. There are activities in Byford for youths but it doesn't cater for all youths, especially youths who are challenged physically, mentally or emotionally.

