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Phase 2 - Pop-Up Engagement with High School Students Results

Texada Youth Survey June 2018

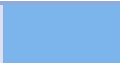


1) How old are you?

Respondents: 8

Choice	Percentage	Count	
13	12.50%	1	
14	12.50%	1	
15	25.00%	2	
16	12.50%	1	
17	12.50%	1	
18	25.00%	2	
19	0.00%	0	
Other	0.00%	0	
Total	100%	8	

2) How long have you lived on Texada?

Respondents: 8

Choice	Percentage	Count	
My whole life	37.50%	3	
Five years or less	50.00%	4	
Six years or more	12.50%	1	
Don't know	0.00%	0	
Other	0.00%	0	
Total	100%	8	

3) What is your favourite part about living on Texada?

Respondents: 8

Count	Theme	Responses
3	Nature/ Island	The nature, Fresh air; the island is beautiful
5	Peace & Quiet	The silence; peace 'n' quiet; It's quiet; The quietness; Peace and quite
4	Friendly People	The people; everyone is friendly; everybody is nice; knowing everyone by name, that you're not being judged walking down the street with some friends like Powell River
2	Quarry	The Quarries; the quarry
2	Climate/ Weather	Summer times; Barely any snow
2	Low Population	that there are so few people; by how small it is and not overloading of people

Unique alternatives:

- Sandcastle Weekend

4) What is the worst part about living on Texada?

Respondents: 8

Count	Theme	Responses
4	Ferry Commute	waking up early for school to catch the ferry; The commute; That we have to travel to Powell River for everything; The whole ferry idea
3	Low Population	Not enough people; Not enough kids, they're all family somehow; the social isolation
3	Boring	A little too peaceful things can get boring; Not enough entertainment; Nothing to do, not very many summer jobs for students

Unique alternatives:

- And all the lies and rumors that goes around and are not close to being true.

5) If you could keep 3 things about Texada, what would they be and why?

Respondents: 8

Count	Theme	Responses
10	Quarry/ Recreation	The Quarry is like going to the Bahamas; Great biking trails; the quarries; Sandcastle Weekend; The Quarry, because it's warmer than the ocean; that you're not allowed to go to Heisholt anymore but being a local it's ok; the quarries; Hecholt quarry; shelter point; shingle beach
6	Nature/ Forest	also very fresh; I want to keep the peace; The nature, because it's nice; the beauty, how natural things are; the easy access to the forest; The nature
2	People/ Population	The people, because everyone is friendly; the small population
3	Quiet/ Relaxing	the quiet environment; It's all so relaxing.

Unique alternatives:

- catching the ferry
- How far houses are from each other
- and something else I can't name

6) If you could change 3 things about Texada, what would they be and why?

Respondents: 7

Count	Theme	Responses
7	More things to do/ Complex	Not as boring; Have a mall; A complex so we could swim and skate; More sports so we could spend more time exercising; Add a recreation complex because we need more stuff to do; I'd change the buildings that aren't being used like the Elk's hall to something for the little kids to do; amount of activities [All too much or too little]
2	Ferry commute	A water taxi just for the kids during school days just for the students; The ferry, because it's too long of a ride
2	Roads	I would change the roads they are full of pot holes; I would change the streets for sure because there is a lot of dangerous spots
2	More people	Population [All too much or too little]; more people
3	Less industry, more tourists	get rid of Lafarge; get rid of the forestry; turn it from an industrial island to a retirement/ vacation island

Unique alternatives:

- The internet, because it's too slow
- I'd also change it so that in the summer when all the tourist come there was a big map right off the ferry so they don't get lost
- Heat [All too much or too little]

7) If you could imagine Texada Island in the year 2035 and you are an adult, do you live on Texada Island? Why do you live on Texada or another place? If you live on Texada, what does it look or feel like?

Respondents: 7

Count	Theme	Responses
0	Live on Texada	
6	Not Live on Texada	
(4)	Boring/ Not enough to do:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ I can't imagine myself living on texada because it's boring ○ family and them to be somewhere with lots to do ○ I would live in Powell River because there isn't enough stuff here that is easily accessible to me
(3)	No work:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ it would be harder to work ○ the career I would like to pursue will take me away from the Island. ○ There isn't much in the culinary field
(2)	Services/ Groceries:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ I probably won't live on texada because I want to have a family ○ it seems like it's turning into a retirement home but an island. I'd wanna live somewhere where there's things to do, places to buy groceries that aren't crazy expensive.
1	Alternative	You are asking me to write down my imagination this piece of paper cannot contain.

8) Thanks for sharing your ideas with us! Do you have any other comments?

Respondents: 4

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1	I think Texada kids shouldn't need to catch such an early boat.
2	Thanks for letting me speak my mind.
3	Thanks for letting me speak.
4	Nope.