Barry Curtis Park Playground Renewal

Feedback must be received by 5pm **7 May 2023**

The Howick Local Board is renewing the Barry Curtis Park playground on Stancombe Road.

We would like your help designing a playground that offers safe and exciting play equipment for children of a range of ages and abilities. We will replace the park furniture and provide improvements to shade, signage and pathways.

The playground has a strong native wetland theme, mirroring the wetlands and stormwater ponds found across the wider park.

What we want your feedback on

We want to know what you would like included as part of the playground renewal.
We would like your feedback on:

- what play experiences you would like to see in the playground,
- how we should improve seating, shade, signage and access, and
- how we can make sure the playground caters to a wide range of age groups and abilities.

Attend our open day onsite at the Barry Curtis Park playground on Saturday 29 April from 10am to 1pm.

What happens next

Your feedback will be used to inform a design for the playground.

We encourage you to give feedback online at akhaveyoursay.nz, or you can:

Scan and Email your completed form to:
Howick.Parks@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz

Hand the completed form to: your nearest library, service centre or local board office.

Post your completed form to:

Barry Curtis Park Playground Renewal
Auckland Council
FREEPOST Authority Number 190153
Private Bag 92300, Victoria Street West
Auckland, 1142

If you represent an organisation, please discuss the questions and intent collectively with key individuals, then provide a 'single voice' response.

Your details

Your name and feedback will be included in public documents. All other personal details will be kept private.

First name: Last name:

Email address or postal address:

Your local board:

Is your feedback on behalf of an organisation or business? (If yes, this confirms you have authority to submit on the organisation's behalf)

☐ Yes ☐ No Name of organisation/business:

Important privacy information

The personal information that you provide in this form will be held and protected by Auckland Council in accordance with our privacy policy (available at **aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/privacy** and at our libraries and service centres) and with the Privacy Act 1993. The privacy policy explains how we can use and share your personal information in relation to any interaction you have with the council, and how you can access and correct that information. You should familiarise yourself with this policy before submitting this form.

These questions are optional but will help us understand which groups of the community are engaging with us.

What gender are you?

☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Another gender (please specify):

What age group do you belong to?

☐ Under 15 ☐ 15-17 ☐ 18-24 ☐ 25-34 ☐ 35-44

☐ 45-54 ☐ 55-64 ☐ 65-74 ☐ 75+

Which ethnic group(s) do you feel you belong to? (Please select as many as apply)

☐ Pākehā/NZ European ☐ Other European ☐ Māori

☐ Cook Islands Māori ☐ Samoan ☐ Tongan

☐ Indian ☐ Chinese ☐ Southeast Asian

☐ Other (please specify):

Would you like to subscribe to any of the following (tick all that apply):

☐ People's Panel – to take part in council surveys

☐ Our Auckland – your weekly guide to what's happening in Auckland

☐ Auckland Conversations - free public events, offering ideas, inspiration and action for world-class cities

☐ Howick Local Board eNewsletter

You can also visit AK Have Your Say at akhaveyoursay.nz to find out about, or register to receive regular updates on, consultation activities happening across Auckland

Your feedback (all questions are optional)

Based on the above and the online information, we have a few questions. If you represent an organisation, please discuss the questions and intent collectively with key individuals, then provide a 'single voice' response:

1. Currently, on average how often would you or members of your household visit the Barry Curtis Park playground?

☐ Daily ☐ A couple of times a week ☐ Weekly

☐ Monthly ☐ A few times a year ☐ Once a year

☐ Never

2. How do you usually travel to the Barry Curtis Park playground? (select all that apply)

☐ Walk ☐ Cycle ☐ Bus

☐ Scooter ☐ Drive by car ☐ Other (please specify):

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3. Which of the following live in your household and use the playground? (select all that apply)

☐ Pre-school aged children ☐ Primary aged children ☐ Intermediate aged children

☐ Teenagers 14-18 ☐ None of these

4. What activities do you or those you are with do when you are at Barry Curtis Park playground area? (select all that apply)

- ☐ Children's play
- ☐ Sitting/ watching other friends/family members play
- ☐ Picnics
- ☐ Fitness programmes
- ☐ Walking (by myself/with friends/family)
- ☐ Bike riding
- ☐ Jogging
- ☐ Informal sports and games
- ☐ Events at the reserve
- ☐ Other (Please specify below)

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5. What equipment do you or those in your household regularly play on? (select all that apply)

- ☐ Swings
- ☐ Rope net pyramid
- ☐ Bird watching towers
- ☐ Balancing along low walls and edges
- ☐ Climbing tower and slides (pre-school/ young children)
- ☐ Imaginative or nature play around bird, nest or flax sculptures

6. How long on average do you or those in your household spend at the playground?

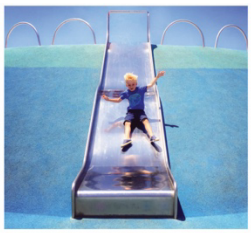
- ☐ Less than 30 minutes
- ☐ 30 - 60 minutes
- ☐ 1 – 2 hours
- ☐ Longer than 2 hours

7. Please rank the following <u>standard</u> play experiences from 1 to 8 that you would like to see included in the new playground. 1 indicates your highest preference:

☐ Swinging

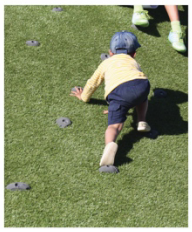



☐ Sliding

☐ Climbing/ crawling

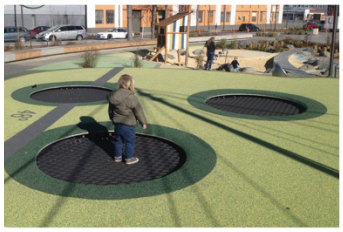




☐ Spinning/ rocking




☐ Jumping




☐ Balancing




☐ Hanging / overhead





☐ Rope play




8. Please rank the following <u>specialised</u> play experiences from 1 to 8 that you would like to see included in the new playground. 1 indicates your highest preference:

☐ Nature play





☐ Water play




☐ Sand play




☐ Sound / musical play




☐ Creative / imaginative play




☐ Learn-to-ride track




☐ Flying fox




☐ Inclusive play equipment for all abilities




9. What improvements to amenity and access would you like to see at the playground? (select all that apply)

☐ Shade provision

☐ Seating and picnic tables

☐ Signage and wayfinding

☐ Water fountain provision

☐ Accessible paths to play equipment

☐ Accessible playground surfacing

☐ Planting for biodiversity

10. Do you have a person with a disability or special needs in your household?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, could you please share with us some of the difficulties you have using the existing playground at Barry Curtis Park and any suggestions you may have to improve the space:

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11. Do you have any other feedback on the Barry Curtis Playground renewal?

This could include any other suggested improvements or ideas, local stories, historical references or the natural character of the area that you would like to see reflected in the space.

Would you like to receive email updates on the progress of the Barry Curtis Park playground renewal project?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Need more room? You can attach extra pages.