

Currently the water play zone has a play set that constantly sprays water. My kids love playing at the one at the arc because they can choose to get sprayed or not. They refuse to use the one at Oakland because going down the slides and entering the structure means getting water in their faces. When considering replacing this, please, please make it so that kids with sensory issues can also use this structure. We love the slides, just less water everywhere. I realize it's a pool but the little ones who use this don't always go for water in their faces, at least mine don't. Thanks for considering this!

There is currently only one umbrella shade structure in the main pool area. Several more are needed. Adding these structures will increase revenues as currently many people sight lack of shade as being a primary reason they avoid going to Albert- Oakland pool.

There aren't many options for kiddos that can't really swim in the area except for Stephens Lake Park and it's leaving more to be desired to be honest? There are some great examples of splashpad parks in Boonville but also surprisingly Sullivan, MO. The pool looks great but we need more play areas for smaller kids too.

Drainage from the pool floods onto the disc golf course throughout the pool season. It destroys part of the park of others, creating a muddy pool in the middle of one of the disc golf holes. It is also horrible for the environment to have a constant flow of pool chemicals into the soil surrounding that area.

I've gone to Albert Oakland pool many times, and the major reason I don't take my kid there is because of the lack of shade. If you increase the shade area in just one spot, only one or two families will be able to use it as shade is in such high demand there that people horde it. Shade needs to be implemented in smaller, broken up pieces so not just one family can take it all. Large umbrellas scattered throughout the pool deck, not just one big shade area. Splash pad type feature for little kids would be a HUGE hit also (yes, there's a free one but parents will pay money to have a cleaner splash pad-I pay Wilson's prices for the shade and splash pad).

This pool is located directly adjacent to park property. Enlarge the fenced area to include at least an acre. This approach is standard in Europe. Kids and families spend all day at the pool, which includes playgrounds, ball fields, seating areas and shade trees to lay under. The large space allows people to spread out. The current cost of entry is unaffordable for many, especially if you can only stand in an overcrowded and over regulated pool for an hour or so. Add the green space and the expense may become more justifiable for a family. Also, lower fees for families. Also, keep the splash area for the little kids.

The question that was asked is:

Wondering if it would be possible to add a small slide for the littler kids in the big pool. I have 2 grandsons. One has been able to use the slide for the past 2 years but the other seems to be stuck as far as growing taller is concerned so he can't use the slide. We went to the Lake of the Woods pool where the sign says you have to be 48" tall. That sign appears to be incorrect because the smaller grandson is the same distance away from being able to use that slide as well. When we saw it said 48", we thought he was going to be able to use it. He was VERY excited. But when he was actually under the sign, he was just as far away as he is from being able to use the slide at Oakland. It would be nice if there was some kind of water feature the small kids could use who are too big for the baby/toddler pool but not big enough for the big slide.

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love the zero entry options, renovations to the kids spray ground is so so needed! More shade is always needed!

What would you change about the proposed potential improvements? Please be concise.

Needs a slushy machine! (from a 6 year olds perspective.)

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We like the big pool - please don't
make it smaller!

You could have a mural!

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We need deep indoor warm
hydrotherapy pools for
residents with edema -

Thank

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I seen the blue print of new pool. It looks great

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I think you should make the slide material clear.

Add an adult Area only

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I am very pleased that the swimming lanes & olympic sized pool are going to remain. I like all the proposed improvements.

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the climbing wall being longer across
is better than the new short ones

like the walk in entry

the new kiddie slide at the arc is
nice

add as many shade umbrella as possible
love the music here (oakland & douglas)

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What would you change about the proposed potential improvements? Please be concise.

new diving boards! high Dive potential
and being able to adjust the Axel
to increase or decrease bouncing is
important

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another slide

What would you change about the proposed potential improvements? Please be concise.

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one ~~thing~~ High Board
Rock Climbs

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tow slide.

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New liner in the Pool will help stop
the water damage on the disc golf course.

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The Improvements look amazing!

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Family slide

Competition swimming blocks on both sides of pool

Speaker system

Dedicated shade area for lifeguard staff

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Please comment on what you like about the proposed potential improvements. Please be concise.

~~more chairs, more shade~~
The deck lounge is nice.

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more chairs, more shaded areas.
add a shaded area that extends
over part of Baby pool.

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