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# SOUTH WAIKATO YOUTH SURVEY RESULTS 2005

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## **1.0 METHODOLOGY**

A questionnaire form (refer to Appendix 1) was designed by South Waikato District Council in order to satisfy the objectives of the survey. The survey design was targeted at high school age students and was designed to appeal to this demographic group. As an incentive to increase the return rate, a \$50 prize draw was offered.

During May 2005, survey forms were delivered to Forest View High School, Tokoroa High School and Putaruru College. The survey forms were collected by each school and returned to South Waikato District Council for processing.

South Waikato District Council commissioned APR Consultants to prepare a report based on the processing and tables supplied to APR Consultants from South Waikato District Council.

## 2.0 RESULTS

Students from Forest View High School, Tokoroa High School and Putaruru College were asked questions about their lives in the South Waikato. The questionnaire covered what youth like about Tokoroa/Putaruru, what could be done to make it more appealing for youth, activities currently undertaken outside of school, activities youth would like to see run, plans regarding intentions to stay in town after leaving school and the biggest issues facing youth in the South Waikato District.

The results of these questions are shown in the following section.

### 2.1 Best things about respondents' towns

#### 2.1.1 Tokoroa

Students of Forest View High School and Tokoroa High School identified 463 things that they like about Tokoroa. The factors identified as 'best' included the people – family and friends (25.5% of responses received) and knowing everyone (14.5% of responses). Over half of all responses (53.1%) of all comments made were related to the people, lifestyle and culture experienced in Tokoroa, 44.9% of all comments made were related to the physical layout, facilities, and shops of the town and 1.9% were related to activities undertaken in Tokoroa.

**Table 1: Factors teenagers like about Tokoroa**

	Number	Percent
The people - family & friends	118	25.5%
Knowing everyone/Small town	67	14.5%
Town centre/Shops	42	9.1%
Food courts	37	8.0%
The culture	35	7.6%
Central/Easy to get around	33	7.1%
Swimming pools	27	5.8%
School	20	4.3%
Sports grounds	16	3.5%
Feel safe/Community	12	2.6%
Quiet/Relaxed lifestyle	11	2.4%
Talking Poles	11	2.4%
Other	34	7.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

#### 2.1.2 Putaruru

The students of Putaruru College identified 181 things that they like about Putaruru. The factors identified as best included the people – family and friends (33.1% of responses received) and shops (19.9% of responses). Of all the responses, 53.6% were related to the people, lifestyle and culture experienced in Putaruru, 45.9% were related to the physical layout, facilities and shops of the town and 0.6% were related to activities undertaken in Putaruru.

**Table 2: Factors teenagers like about Putaruru**

	Number	Percent
The people - family & friends	60	33.1%
Shops	36	19.9%
Knowing everyone/Small town	20	11.0%
Water park	14	7.7%
Sports	7	3.9%
Feel safe	6	3.3%
Central/Easy to get around	6	3.3%
School	5	2.8%
Quiet	5	2.8%
Food courts	4	2.2%
Other	18	9.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## 2.2 Worst things about respondents' towns

### 2.2.1 Tokoroa

Students of Forest View High School and Tokoroa High School identified 455 things that they do not like about Tokoroa. The five worst things that teenage respondents identified were having nothing to do (37.8% of responses), gangs and fights (19.6% of responses), not enough shops (11.9% of responses), not having a cinema (9.2% of responses) and graffiti (4.6% of responses).

**Table 3: Factors teenagers do not like about Tokoroa**

	Number	Percent
Nothing to do/Nowhere to go	172	37.8%
Gangs/Fights	89	19.6%
Not enough shops	54	11.9%
No cinema	42	9.2%
Tagging/Mess of town	21	4.6%
Other crime	13	2.9%
Not enough jobs	10	2.2%
Little town/Know everyone	8	1.8%
Weather	7	1.5%
Schools	7	1.5%
Not enough money	6	1.3%
No Subway	5	1.1%
People too noisy	4	0.9%
Lake is polluted	4	0.9%
Skate park floods	4	0.9%
Lack of recreational activities	4	0.9%
Fatal accidents	2	0.4%
Isolated	1	0.2%
Drugs	1	0.2%
No competitions	1	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## 2.2.2 Putaruru

Students of Putaruru College identified 135 things that they do not like about Putaruru. The five worst things identified about Putaruru were having nothing to do (37.8% of responses), not having enough shops (32.6% of responses), gangs (7.4% of responses), and noisy people (4.4% of responses). Lack of jobs, not having a cinema and the weather are all equal in fifth position, with each one representing 3.0% of all responses.

**Table 4: Factors teenagers do not like about Putaruru**

	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Nothing to do/Nowhere to go	51	37.8%
Not enough shops	44	32.6%
Gangs	10	7.4%
People too noisy	6	4.4%
Not enough jobs	4	3.0%
No cinema	4	3.0%
Weather	4	3.0%
Small town	3	2.2%
No hot pools	3	2.2%
Robberies	2	1.5%
Lack of education	2	1.5%
Tagging	1	0.7%
Drugs	1	0.7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## 2.3 Teenagers. ideas for making Tokoroa/Putaruru townships more exciting

### 2.3.1 Tokoroa

The most common ideas identified by students of Forest View High School and Tokoroa High School for making Tokoroa more exciting for teenagers were introducing a picture theatre (27.0% of comments), having a games arcade (17.7% of comments) and introducing malls (17.4% of comments).

**Table 5: Things to make Tokoroa more exciting for teenagers to spend time in**

	Number	Percent
Picture theatre	160	27.0%
Timezone/Games arcade	105	17.7%
Malls	103	17.4%
Club/Youth centre	36	6.1%
More shops/Better town centre	31	5.2%
Restaurants/Subway	30	5.1%
Big sports facility	26	4.4%
New skate park/Bowl	20	3.4%
Theme parks	15	2.5%
Hydro slides	12	2.0%
More recreational facilities	11	1.9%
Dance studio	9	1.5%
Burn out pad/Drag strips	8	1.4%
BMX track	5	0.8%
Concerts/Carnivals/Fun days	5	0.8%
Annual events	4	0.7%
University/More education	4	0.7%
Outdoor pools	3	0.5%
More people	2	0.3%
Ice-cream parlour	1	0.2%
Internet café	1	0.2%
Tagging wall	1	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

2.3.2 Putaruru

The most common ideas introduced by students of Putaruru College for making Putaruru more exciting for teenagers were malls (18.7% of comments made), restaurants (16.0% of comments), more shops (14.2% of comments) and introducing games arcades (12.9% of comments).

**Table 6: Things to make Putaruru more exciting for teenagers to spend time in**

	Number	Percent
Malls	42	18.7%
Restaurants	36	16.0%
More shops	32	14.2%
Timezone/Games arcade	29	12.9%
Picture theatre	22	9.8%
Better skate park	13	5.8%
Indoor heated pools	12	5.3%
Big sports facility	11	4.9%
Theme park	6	2.7%
BMX track	4	1.8%
Drag strips/Burnout pit	4	1.8%
Fair	3	1.3%
Youth centre	3	1.3%
Dance studios	2	0.9%
Aquatic centre	1	0.4%
Artwork shops	1	0.4%
Hydro slide	1	0.4%
Internet café	1	0.4%
More jobs	1	0.4%
Museum	1	0.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## 2.4 Activities undertaken by teenagers outside of school

The most common activity undertaken by teenagers from the South Waikato outside of school time were sports (33.2%), hanging out with friends (15.1%), working (8.2%) and shopping (6.6%). Other activities included music, sports (swimming, boxing, motor X), church, homework, talking on the phone, art and using the internet/computer. Of the responses received, 5.1% indicated that they did no activities outside of school.

**Table 7: Activities teenagers undertake outside of school**

	Number	Percent
Sports	247	33.2%
Hang out with friends/Town	112	15.1%
Work	61	8.2%
Shopping out of town	49	6.6%
Nothing	38	5.1%
Drinking/Party	33	4.4%
Playstation	29	3.9%
Biking/BMX	17	2.3%
Church	16	2.2%
Watch TV	15	2.0%
Performing	15	2.0%
Music	12	1.6%
Recreational clubs	11	1.5%
Skating	10	1.3%
Swimming	9	1.2%
Homework	9	1.2%
Hunting/Fishing	9	1.2%
Youth group	8	1.1%
Internet/Computer	7	0.9%
Driving/Racing	7	0.9%
Family stuff	5	0.7%
Talk on the phone	4	0.5%
Boxing	3	0.4%
Art	3	0.4%
Reading	3	0.4%
Walk	2	0.3%
Clean	2	0.3%
Fix cars	1	0.1%
Texting	1	0.1%
Knit	1	0.1%
Volunteer fire service	1	0.1%
Motor X	1	0.1%
Play pool	1	0.1%
Triathlons	1	0.1%
Farming	1	0.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>744</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## 2.5 Teenagers' perceived need to undertake more active recreation

A total of 530 students from Forest View High School, Tokoroa High School and Putaruru College provided answers to this question. Of these, 53.2% felt that they do not need to undertake any more active recreation than they do currently while 45.3% believed that they did need to undertake more. A further 1.5% did not know if they needed to undertake more active recreation or not.

**Table 8: Teenagers' perceived need to undertake more active recreation**

	Number	Percent
Yes	240	45.3%
No	282	53.2%
Maybe	8	1.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Of the 240 teenagers who felt they needed to undertake more active recreation, 194 teenagers identified reasons that stop them from undertaking more. The main reasons identified by respondents were not having enough [activities] to do (53.6% of responses), laziness (11.9% of responses), having homework to do (9.8% of responses) and not having enough time (8.2% of responses).

## 2.6 Activities that could be run in the South Waikato District to benefit young people

The activities that teenagers in the South Waikato would most like to see provided are a youth centre (15.1% of responses), sports days (13.6% of responses), a games place (13.2% of responses) and a cinema (11.2% of responses).

**Table 9: Activities that could be run in the South Waikato District to benefit young people**

	Number	Percent
Youth centre	73	15.1%
Sports days	66	13.6%
Games place	64	13.2%
Cinema	54	11.2%
Competitions	24	5.0%
Concerts	17	3.5%
Discos	14	2.9%
Improve pools/Water sports	14	2.9%
Dancing studio	13	2.7%
Graffiti/Bombing wall	12	2.5%
Better skate park	12	2.5%
Performance car expos	11	2.3%
Carnivals/Markets/Parades	9	1.9%
Dirt track	9	1.9%
Mountain biking/BMX track	8	1.7%
Tenpin bowling	8	1.7%
Theme parks	7	1.4%
Midnight madness	7	1.4%
Fun runs/Fun days	7	1.4%
Talent quests	7	1.4%
Street racers/Tractor racing	7	1.4%
Youth days/Teen days	6	1.2%
Holiday programmes/Weekend events	4	0.8%
Musicals	4	0.8%
Hip hop battles	4	0.8%
Triathlons	3	0.6%
Work shops/Business open days	3	0.6%
Camping	3	0.6%
Family day	2	0.4%
Ice skating	2	0.4%
Movie marathon	2	0.4%
Indoor raceway	2	0.4%
Recreational clubs	2	0.4%
Internet café	2	0.4%
Course on weekends	1	0.2%
Clean lake	1	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## 2.7 Teenagers' willingness to assist in the running of new events and activities

Of the 490 teenagers who provided an answer to this question, 62.0% indicated that they would be willing to assist in the running of new events and activities in the South Waikato District. A further 25.1% identified that they would not be willing to assist and 12.9% did not specify an answer to this question.

**Table 10: Teenagers' willingness to assist in the running of new events and activities**

	Number	Percent
Yes	304	62.0%
No	123	25.1%
Don't know	63	12.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## 2.8 Teenagers' willingness to live in the South Waikato District after leaving school

Almost two thirds of teenagers who responded to the survey (64.6%) do not want to live in the South Waikato District after leaving school. A further 19.4% do want to stay in the South Waikato District and 16.0% do not know yet.

**Table 11: Teenagers' willingness to live in the South Waikato District after leaving school**

	Number	Percent
Yes	109	19.4%
No	363	64.6%
Don't know	90	16.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

The major reasons given for an unwillingness to live in the South Waikato after leaving school included that the district does not have much to offer (44.8% of responses), better elsewhere (15.5% of responses), home town (13.1% of responses), training elsewhere (9.7% of responses) and close to family (5.4% of responses).

## 2.9 Factors that make teenagers want to leave the South Waikato District

The major reasons teenagers identified that would make them want to leave the South Waikato were better job opportunities elsewhere (35.8% of responses), nothing for young people here (21.0% of responses), gangs (15.6% of responses) and going to university (11.7% of responses). Other factors included family issues, town sizes, crime and drugs.

**Table 12: Things that make teenagers want to leave the South Waikato District**

	Number	Percent
Better job opportunities elsewhere	184	35.8%
Nothing for young people	108	21.0%
Gangs	80	15.6%
Go to university	60	11.7%
Family	21	4.1%
Too small to make friends/The people	12	2.3%
Break up with friends	11	2.1%
Not many shops	8	1.6%
Tagging	7	1.4%
Crime	5	1.0%
Drugs	4	0.8%
Appearance of town	4	0.8%
Weather	3	0.6%
The mill/Kinleith	2	0.4%
Sports	2	0.4%
Travel/experience other cultures	2	0.4%
Drinking	1	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## 2.10 The biggest issues facing young people in the South Waikato District

Teenagers were asked what they consider to be the biggest issues facing youth or young people in the South Waikato District. The major issues were drugs (28.3% of responses), gangs (14.1% of responses), alcohol (12.7% of responses), fights and bullying (11.7% of responses) and having nothing to do (10.8% of responses).

**Table 13: The biggest issues facing young people in the South Waikato District**

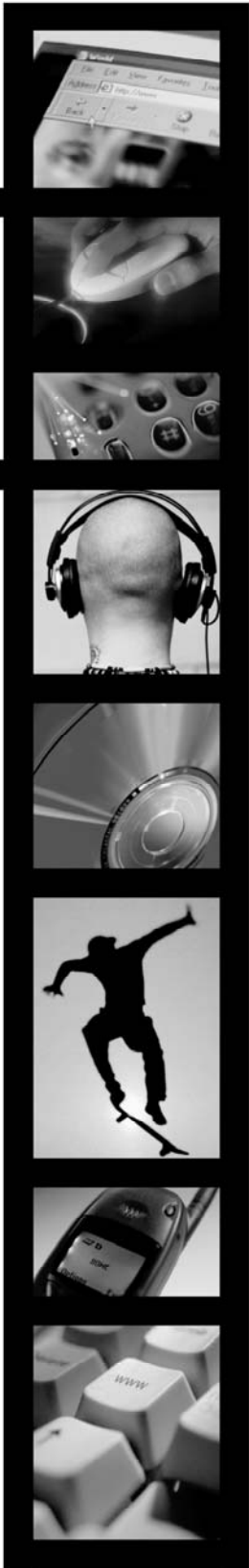
	Number	Percent
Drugs	215	28.3%
Gangs	107	14.1%
Alcohol	97	12.7%
Beaten up/Fights/Bullying	89	11.7%
Nothing to do	82	10.8%
Tagging	38	5.0%
Lack of jobs	27	3.5%
Poor behaviour	16	2.1%
Sex	16	2.1%
Teen pregnancy	13	1.7%
Peer pressure	13	1.7%
Transport	9	1.2%
Limited education	6	0.8%
Car crashes	6	0.8%
Crime	6	0.8%
Videos/Playstation/TV	5	0.7%
Suicide	4	0.5%
Family issues	3	0.4%
Abortions	3	0.4%
Safety	3	0.4%
School	2	0.3%
Culture	1	0.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>761</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**APPENDIX 1 - SURVEY FORM**

||||| Do **u** hav **ideas**  
4 the future? |||||

In the future, wot sort of place do u want 2 live in? Here's a chance 2 hav ur say and mayb gt 50-bucks! Just fill in ur answers. It Council no wot u think!!!!

- Ⓢ Wot R the best things bout ur twn?
  
- Ⓢ Wots not cool bout living hea?
  
- Ⓢ Wot new things wuld make ur town mor xcitng 2 spend tym in?
  
- Ⓢ Wot otha stuff do u do outside of skool?
  
- Ⓢ Do u need 2 do mor activ recreation?  Y  N  
If  Y wot stops u doin mor activ recreation?



Ⓛ Wot otha activities culd the District run 2 benefit yung pepl?

Ⓛ Wuld u b willing 2 play a part in running new events & activities?

Ⓛ R u keen 2 live hea aftr u leave skool?

Ⓛ Y?

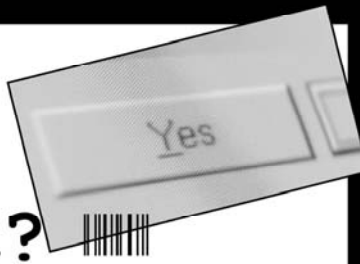
Ⓛ Wot things wuld make u want 2 leev?

Ⓛ Wot R the biggst issues facing yung pepl in the District?

Name:  
School:  
Class:



||||| Do ur ideas count? |||||



**APPENDIX 2 - RAW DATA****Q1 - WHAT ARE THE BEST THINGS ABOUT YOUR TOWN?**

TOKOROA – FOREST VIEW HIGH SCHOOL &amp; TOKOROA HIGH SCHOOL

	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
The people - family & friends	118	25.5%
Knowing everyone/Small town	67	14.5%
Town centre/Shops	42	9.1%
Food courts	37	8.0%
The culture	35	7.6%
Central/Easy to get around	33	7.1%
Swimming pools	27	5.8%
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Other	34	7.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

*Other specified:*

	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Skate World	6	1.3%
Things to do	6	1.3%
Tidy environment	5	1.1%
Skate park	5	1.1%
Mountain bike track	2	0.4%
Annual events	2	0.4%
Parties	1	0.2%
Weather	1	0.2%
Performance car expo	1	0.2%
Cosmopolitan Club	1	0.2%
Reputation	1	0.2%
Kinleith	1	0.2%
Little Theatre	1	0.2%
Colsons Hill	1	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>7.3%</b>

## PUTARURU COLLEGE

	Number	Percent
The people - family & friends	60	33.1%
Shops	36	19.9%
Knowing everyone/Small town	20	11.0%
Water park	14	7.7%
Sports	7	3.9%
Feel safe	6	3.3%
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*Other specified:*

	Number	Percent
Swimming pools	3	1.7%
Clean fresh water	3	1.7%
Skate park	3	1.7%
My home	2	1.1%
Drag racing	1	0.6%
Tourist	1	0.6%
Farms	1	0.6%
Tidy environment	1	0.6%
The culture	1	0.6%
Natural scenery	1	0.6%
Motels	1	0.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>9.9%</b>

**Q2 – WHAT'S NOT COOL ABOUT LIVING HERE?**

## TOKOROA – FOREST VIEW HIGH SCHOOL &amp; TOKOROA HIGH SCHOOL

	Number	Percent
Nothing to do/Nowhere to go	172	37.8%
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Tagging/Mess of town	21	4.6%
Other crime	13	2.9%
Not enough jobs	10	2.2%
Little town/Know everyone	8	1.8%
Weather	7	1.5%
Schools	7	1.5%
Not enough money	6	1.3%
No Subway	5	1.1%
People too noisy	4	0.9%
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Weather	4	3.0%
Small town	3	2.2%
No hot pools	3	2.2%
Robberies	2	1.5%
Lack of education	2	1.5%
Tagging	1	0.7%
Drugs	1	0.7%
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**Q3 - WHAT NEW THINGS WOULD MAKE YOUR TOWN MORE EXCITING TO SPEND TIME IN?**

TOKOROA – FOREST VIEW HIGH SCHOOL & TOKOROA HIGH SCHOOL

	Number	Percent
Picture theatre	160	27.0%
Timezone/Games arcade	105	17.7%
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New skate park/Bowl	20	3.4%
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Hydro slides	12	2.0%
More recreational facilities	11	1.9%
Dance studio	9	1.5%
Burn out pad/Drag strips	8	1.4%
BMX track	5	0.8%
Concerts/Carnivals/Fun days	5	0.8%
Annual events	4	0.7%
University/More education	4	0.7%
Outdoor pools	3	0.5%
More people	2	0.3%
Ice-cream parlour	1	0.2%
Internet café	1	0.2%
Tagging wall	1	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

PUTARURU COLLEGE

	Number	Percent
Malls	42	18.7%
Restaurants	36	16.0%
More shops	32	14.2%
Timezone/Games arcade	29	12.9%
Picture theatre	22	9.8%
Better skate park	13	5.8%
Indoor heated pools	12	5.3%
Big sports facility	11	4.9%
Theme park	6	2.7%
BMX track	4	1.8%
Drag strips/Burnout pit	4	1.8%
Fair	3	1.3%
Youth centre	3	1.3%
Dance studios	2	0.9%
Aquatic centre	1	0.4%
Artwork shops	1	0.4%
Hydro slide	1	0.4%
Internet café	1	0.4%
More jobs	1	0.4%
Museum	1	0.4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Q4 – WHAT OTHER STUFF DO YOU DO OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL?**

BOTH TOKOROA AND PUTARURU

	Number	Percent
Sports	247	33.2%
Hang out with friends/Town	112	15.1%
Work	61	8.2%
Shopping out of town	49	6.6%
Nothing	38	5.1%
Drinking/Party	33	4.4%
Playstation	29	3.9%
Biking/BMX	17	2.3%
Church	16	2.2%
Watch TV	15	2.0%
Performing	15	2.0%
Music	12	1.6%
Recreational clubs	11	1.5%
Skating	10	1.3%
Swimming	9	1.2%
Homework	9	1.2%
Hunting/Fishing	9	1.2%
Youth group	8	1.1%
Internet/Computer	7	0.9%
Driving/Racing	7	0.9%
Family stuff	5	0.7%
Talk on the phone	4	0.5%
Boxing	3	0.4%
Art	3	0.4%
Reading	3	0.4%
Walk	2	0.3%
Clean	2	0.3%
Fix cars	1	0.1%
Texting	1	0.1%
Knit	1	0.1%
Volunteer fire service	1	0.1%
Motor X	1	0.1%
Play pool	1	0.1%
Triathlons	1	0.1%
Farming	1	0.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>744</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Q5 – DO YOU NEED TO DO MORE ACTIVE RECREATION?****IF YES WHAT STOPS YOU FROM DOING MORE ACTIVE RECREATION?**

BOTH TOKOROA AND PUTARURU

	Number	Percent
Yes	240	45.3%
No	282	53.2%
Maybe	8	1.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

BOTH TOKOROA AND PUTARURU

	Number	Percent
Not enough to do	104	53.6%
Too lazy	23	11.9%
School/Homework	19	9.8%
Not enough time	16	8.2%
Family time/pressure	9	4.6%
No transport	7	3.6%
Embarrassed	6	3.1%
Work	3	1.5%
Weather	4	2.1%
Health	1	0.5%
No encouragement	1	0.5%
Stadium too small	1	0.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Q6 – WHAT OTHER ACTIVITIES COULD THE DISTRICT RUN TO BENEFIT YOUNG PEOPLE?**

BOTH TOKOROA AND PUTARURU

	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Youth centre	73	15.1%
Sports days	66	13.6%
Games place	64	13.2%
Cinema	54	11.2%
Competitions	24	5.0%
Concerts	17	3.5%
Discos	14	2.9%
Improve pools/Water sports	14	2.9%
Dancing studio	13	2.7%
Graffiti/Bombing wall	12	2.5%
Better skate park	12	2.5%
Performance car expos	11	2.3%
Carnivals/Markets/Parades	9	1.9%
Dirt track	9	1.9%
Mountain biking/BMX track	8	1.7%
Tenpin bowling	8	1.7%
Theme parks	7	1.4%
Midnight madness	7	1.4%
Fun runs/Fun days	7	1.4%
Talent quests	7	1.4%
Street racers/Tractor racing	7	1.4%
Youth days/Teen days	6	1.2%
Holiday programmes/Weekend events	4	0.8%
Musicals	4	0.8%
Hip hop battles	4	0.8%
Triathlons	3	0.6%
Work shops/Business open days	3	0.6%
Camping	3	0.6%
Family day	2	0.4%
Ice skating	2	0.4%
Movie marathon	2	0.4%
Indoor raceway	2	0.4%
Recreational clubs	2	0.4%
Internet café	2	0.4%
Course on weekends	1	0.2%
Clean lake	1	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Q7 – WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PLAY A PART IN THE RUNNING OF NEW EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES?**

BOTH TOKOROA AND PUTARURU

	Number	Percent
Yes	304	62.0%
No	123	25.1%
Don't know	63	12.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Q8 – ARE YOU KEEN TO LIVE HERE AFTER YOU LEAVE SCHOOL?**

BOTH TOKOROA AND PUTARURU

	Number	Percent
Yes	109	19.4%
No	363	64.6%
Don't know	90	16.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

	Number	Percent
Doesn't offer much	199	44.8%
Better elsewhere	69	15.5%
Identify/Home town	58	13.1%
Training elsewhere/Study elsewhere	43	9.7%
Close to family here	24	5.4%
Jobs not well paid	19	4.3%
Close to friends here	13	2.9%
Work locally	12	2.7%
Travel the world	2	0.5%
Too small/quiet	2	0.5%
Fighting/gangs	1	0.2%
Family elsewhere	1	0.2%
Weather	1	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Q9 – WHAT THINGS WOULD MAKE YOU WANT TO LEAVE?**

BOTH TOKOROA AND PUTARURU

	Number	Percent
Better job opportunities elsewhere	184	35.8%
Nothing for young people	108	21.0%
Gangs	80	15.6%
Go to university	60	11.7%
Family	21	4.1%
Too small to make friends/The people	12	2.3%
Break up with friends	11	2.1%
Not many shops	8	1.6%
Tagging	7	1.4%
Crime	5	1.0%
Drugs	4	0.8%
Appearance of town	4	0.8%
Weather	3	0.6%
The mill/Kinleith	2	0.4%
Sports	2	0.4%
Travel/experience other cultures	2	0.4%
Drinking	1	0.2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Q10 – WHAT ARE THE BIGGEST ISSUES FACING YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE DISTRICT?**

BOTH TOKOROA AND PUTARURU

	Number	Percent
Drugs	215	28.3%
Gangs	107	14.1%
Alcohol	97	12.7%
Beaten up/Fights/Bullying	89	11.7%
Nothing to do	82	10.8%
Tagging	38	5.0%
Lack of jobs	27	3.5%
Poor behaviour	16	2.1%
Sex	16	2.1%
Teen pregnancy	13	1.7%
Peer pressure	13	1.7%
Transport	9	1.2%
Limited education	6	0.8%
Car crashes	6	0.8%
Crime	6	0.8%
Videos/Playstation/TV	5	0.7%
Suicide	4	0.5%
Family issues	3	0.4%
Abortions	3	0.4%
Safety	3	0.4%
School	2	0.3%
Culture	1	0.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>761</b>	<b>100.0%</b>