



The Snohomish County Social Opportunities and Recreation (SOAR) program was created in 2011, to provide recreation programs for people of all abilities. It is the goal of this survey to assess the recreational participation of its members and provide opportunities for lifelong learning and growth through experience of recreation and leisure activities.

1. How many years have you been a member of SOAR?
 - a. 1-3 years
 - b. 3-5 years
 - c. 5-7 years
 - d. 7-10 years

2. How frequently do you attend SOAR events?
 - a. Weekly
 - b. Monthly
 - c. Occasionally
 - d. Never

3. Which days of the week provide the best opportunity for you to attend SOAR events?
 - a. Weekdays
 - b. Weekends

4. What time of days provides the best opportunity for you to attend SOAR events?
 - a. Mornings
 - b. Afternoons
 - c. Evenings

5. Which area of Snohomish County do you reside?
 - a. Urban
 - b. Coastal
 - c. Skykomish / Snohomish River Valleys
 - d. Stillaguamish Sauk / River Valleys

6. What type of events are you most likely to attend:
 - a. Educational (cooking, budgeting, technology classes)
 - b. Athletic activities (swimming, bowling,)
 - c. Art and crafts
 - d. Dances and dance lessons
 - e. Holiday dinners and activities
 - f. Social (bingo, game night, movie night)
 - g. Sporting events (AquaSox, Silvertips)
 - h. Volunteer opportunities



7. Please check the specific events you would be most likely to attend:

- Cooking classes
- Budgeting classes
- Technology classes
- Arts and crafts
- Open swim
- Swim lessons
- Dance lessons (country line dance, square dance, hip hop etc)
- Social dance night
- Bingo
- Game nights / board games /cards
- Movie nights
- Woodland Park Zoo
- Petting zoo/Alpaca farm/berry picking/pumpkin farm
- Everett Aquasox game
- Everett Silvertips game
- Holiday events
 - Easter Dinner/egg hunt
 - Thanksgiving Dinner/fall festival
 - Christmas Dinner/Santa
 - Veterans Day Parade
- Picnics/BBQ
- Theater/Concerts
- Participate in sports
- Bowling
- Basketball
- Soccer
- Kickball
- Frisbee golf
- Foot golf/soccer golf
- Fitness/exercise classes
- Hiking
- Fishing



8. What is your greatest unmet need in regard to specialized recreation and social opportunities? _____

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9. Do you belong to other organizations that provide social and recreation opportunities? If so which organizations?

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Mission Statement: To advocate for people with disabilities by promoting recreational and social activities for children and adults in Snohomish County. The program coordinator and staff will make a commitment to serve participants by providing developmentally appropriate activities that encourage growth, learning new skills, strong community relationships in a safe and positive atmosphere.

The Snohomish County Department of Parks and Recreation is committed to advocating for people with disabilities by using the varied background and skills of staff to promote social and recreational opportunities for all participants. Special needs recreation is dedicated to creating inclusive programming that is responsive to the participant's needs, capabilities, and interests. The parks department seeks to continue to develop inclusive programming that takes place in a positive atmosphere where it is safe to learn, have fun, make new friends and strengthen community relationships.