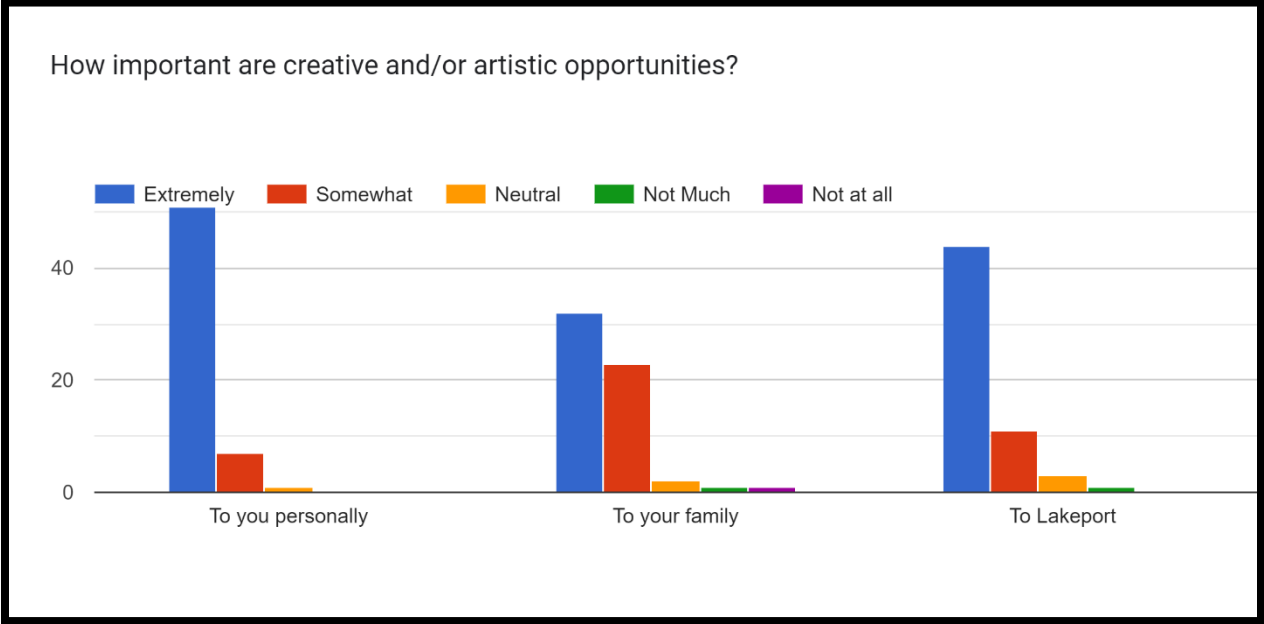
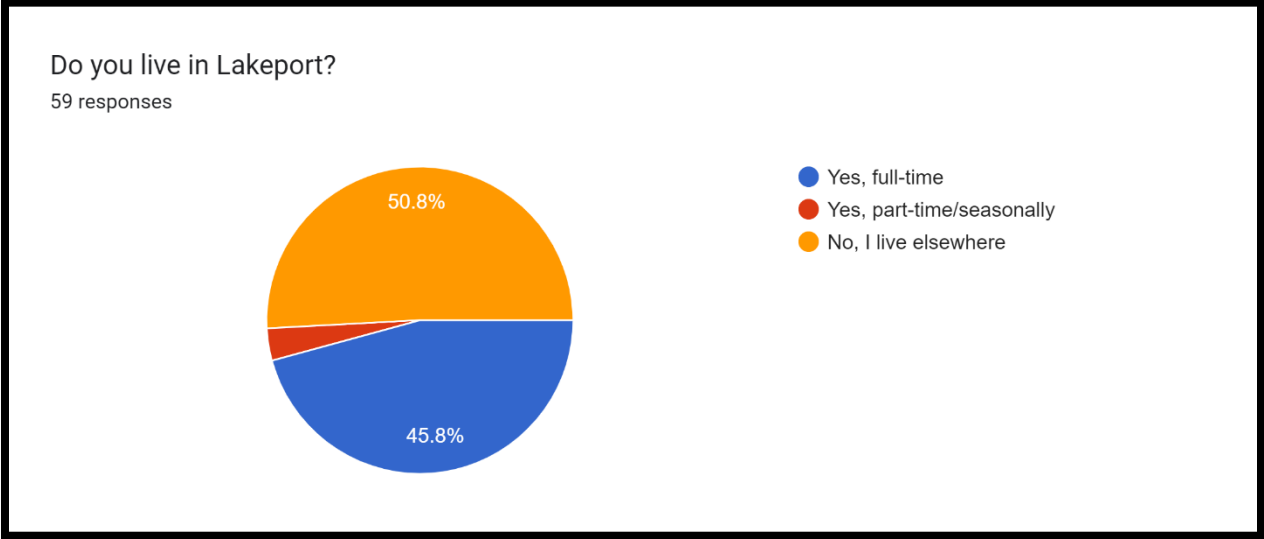


# City of Lakeport – Arts and Culture Survey Results

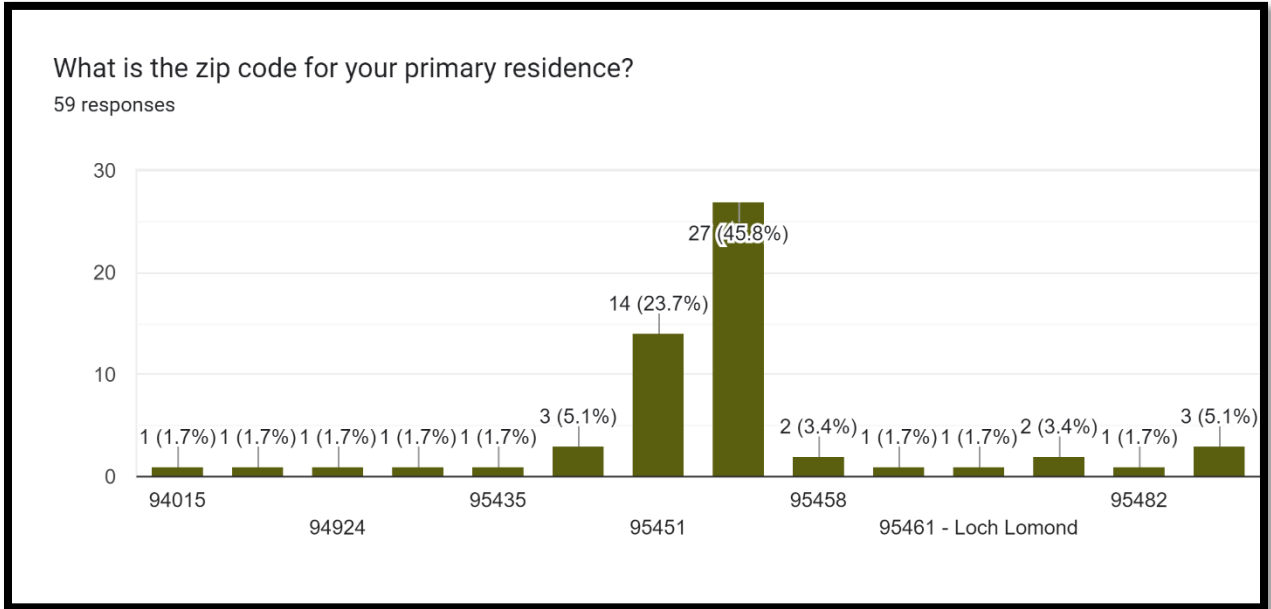
## Question 1:



## Question 2:



**Question 3:**



**Question 4 and 5:**

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**What creative activities do you and your family members participate in?  
(Examples include: Concerts in the Park, Soper Reese Theatre, Lakeport Cinema Five, Lake County Symphony, Lake County Theatre Company, Shakespeare at the Lake, Spring Dance Festival,**

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| Concerts in the Park/ Museums  |
| Soper Reese, Concerts in the park, Symphony, Theatre, music events   |
| Concerts in the Park, Soper Reese Theatre, Lakeport Cinema Five, Lake County Symphony, Lake County Theatre Company, Shakespeare at the Lake, Spring Dance Festival, Poetry Out Loud, First Friday Fling, festival art, dance recitals, visiting local art galleries and museums, summer youth art camp, other music events, viewing murals, observing public art |
| Mostly Main St and Library Park activities   |
| Current President of Lake County Arts Council, Manager Soper Reese Theatre, Poet   |
| Music Events   |
| Very few   |
| Concerts in the Park   |
| Concerts, Cinema Five, LCTC, Museums, view murals.   |
| All of them! Love theater, music and dance!  |
| some music events, some arts events  |
| Concerts in the Park, Soper Reese Theatre, Lake County Symphony, Lake County Theatre Company, Shakespeare at the Lake, First Friday Fling, festival art, visiting local art galleries and museums, summer youth art camp, Lakeport Bldg Wall Murals, Halloween Costume Contest, Christmas Tree Lighting  |
| Sooner Reese, First Friday Fling, Main Street Art Gallery, book readings...  |
| Traditionally Poetry Out Loud, First Friday Fling, visiting local arts galleries, art centers, and museums, observing public arts, visiting local businesses.  |
| Concerts in the Park, Soper Reese Theater, LC Symphony, LCTC, Shakespeare, Poetry out Loud, First Friday Fling, local art galleries, other music events, viewing murals, observing public art, festivals, events   |
| Sadly, none...   |
| concerts in many genres of music, theater, poetry readings, art exhibits, writing workshops for adults and children, visual arts and theater classes for adults and children, library-sponsored events   |
| All of the above   |
| Viewing murals, street festival, art galleries, plays  |

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| <p>Visiting galleries, art classes online and in person, music events, pop up art shows, craft and holiday shows, farmers markets, performing arts events, mural viewing, community discussion on area potential and art tourism, visiting websites and artists' social media, downtown Main Street events, viewing art for sale in local businesses</p>   |
| <p>Soper Reese, Poetry out loud, the theater, art galleries.</p>   |
| <p>concerts, first friday fling, festival art, art galleries, murals</p>   |
| <p>Gallery nights, Soper Reese performances and film nights, live music</p>  |
| <p>i try to attend as many as listed above. I am also part of the lake County Arts Council and KPFZ Community Radio</p>  |
| <p>symphony, LCTC, local galleries, festival art, viewing murals</p>   |
| <p>Theater, Avery's, film, music and dancing.</p>  |
| <p>Concerts in the park, Soper Reese events, street festivals, Poetry Out Loud, Poetry box, viewing art and murals, live music at Andres, Poetry readings</p>  |
| <p>Concerts in the park, cinema, Museums, viewing murals, visiting art galleries.</p>  |
| <p>I love looking at the beautiful artwork on the exterior walls of the city buildings. Lake Works is a fun place to visit as well as the arts council building when open. Seeing the creations of local citizens is exciting - there is talent all around us. As a past teacher (elementary) I had my students participate in poetry and art contests. We visited the museum every year and during the summer school sessions we would view a Disney movie at the Theatre - First Soper Reese and then the Cinema 5 when it took over. Before COVID I enjoyed the Cinema 5, many different plays, concerts, and dance festivals at the Soper Reese theater. I enjoy seeing paintings and photo shots that are in the local doctors' offices and the hospital as well. I recently enjoyed the Lore of the Lake and one summer before COVID the Summer Daycare program at Lakeport Elementary had the arts council come and do a program with the children as there were too many to fit into the arts council work area - this was wonderful of them to do this, and the children loved the activities they shared. The statues we have in Court House Square are fantastic and even some of the buildings in downtown (like the old Bank of Italy) are forms of artistic expression. The quilt squares, the downtown streetlamps, and the murals are all such wonderful things to share from our community to the tourists as well as our own families.</p> |
| <p>First Friday Fling, art galleries, music, observing art &amp;viewing murals on walk.</p>  |
| <p>Concert in the park,viewing murals, we prefer outdoor family friendly activities that are budget friendly. We love Story time in the park during the warm months as well as all the "holiday" festivals and fair downtown. We love a parade.</p>  |

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| <p>symphony..poetry..murals.public art...museums..theater..soper Reese</p>  |
| <p>All of the above</p>   |
| <p>Concerts in the park and Soper Reese events and LC symphony and theatre company and Shakespeare in park and first Friday fling and music events and art at tasting rooms. Public murals too.</p>   |
| <p>We've participated in nearly all of the above, including art classes at the Main Street Gallery.</p>   |
| <p>Playing Music events, farmers markets, art gallery, wood carving, dog park, flea markets, yard sales, hiking</p>   |
| <p>Lake County Symphony, Shakespeare at the Lake, LC Theater Company</p>  |
| <p>Participate in many of the mentioned events above with family.</p>   |
| <p>Almost all of the above.</p>   |
| <p>concerts in the park &amp; other public events; viewing murals; supports arts in schools</p>   |
| <p>Exhibiting artist with Main Street Gallery and Lake County courthouse, Lake Co Library member of Creative Club (teacher and/or participant.)</p>   |
| <p>Soper-Reese, LC Symphony, Shakespeare at the Lake, FF Fling, focus on local/regional music at wineries and restaurants, LC Theater Co.</p>   |
| <p>Farmers Market, Concerts in the Park, we enjoy the addition of new murals and art galleries.</p>   |
| <p>Soper Reese Theatre, Lakeport Cinema, festival art, local art galleries, viewing murals, public art, dance recitals</p>  |
| <p>Soper Reese, First Friday Fling, writers circle, cinema 5, book launch</p>   |
| <p>Concerts, Theatre, Symphony, and a lot more</p>  |
| <p>visiting local galleries, poetry out loud, first Friday fling, murals</p>  |
| <p>Concerts in the Park, Soper Reese Theatre, Lakeport Cinema Five, Lake County Symphony, Lake County Theatre Company, festival art, dance recitals, visiting local art galleries and museums, other music events, viewing murals, observing public art</p> |
| <p>Concerts in the Park, Soper Reese Theater, Lakeport Cinema, Shakespeare at the Lake, public art displays &amp; murals, local galleries, local crafts-persons at events, High School Theatre,</p>   |
| <p>Soper Reese Theatre, LC Symphony, dance recitals, murals</p>   |
| <p>Concerts in the Park, Soper Reese Theatre, Lakeport Cinema Five, Lake County Theatre Company, First Friday Fling, festival art, visiting local art galleries and museums, viewing murals, observing public art.</p>                                      |
| <p>Lake County Symphony</p>   |
| <p>Soper Reese events, Symphony, Theatre Co., local galleries, observing public art, viewing murals, the recent history tour of Lakeport, sometimes concert in the park. Live music - Andre's Lounge is a nice addition.</p>                                |

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| Plays at the Soper Reese Theatre  |
| ALL of the above, either in person or financially.  |
| Poetry Boards, Poetry Out Loud, Writing Workshops, visiting Arts Council Gallery, member of Arts Council.   |
| farmers markets, city wide yard sales, lakeport Cinema,etc  |
| Soper Reese Theatre, Lakeport Cinema Five, Lake County Symphony, Lake County Theatre Company, Shakespeare at the Lake, Poetry Out Loud, visiting local art galleries and museums, other music events, viewing murals, observing public art, etc.) |
| Making art, Lake Co. Symphony, Poetry boxes, visiting local art galleries and museums, observing public art and murals, photography, pottery, writing.  |

**What events or artistic activities have you attended in other communities that you would enjoy locally?**

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| Concerts in the Park/ Museums  |
| First Friday, art shows, concerts, workshops, museums, street performances, plays  |
| Small artist pop-up street events/boutiques  |
| Shakespeare Festival   |
| Cultural events  |
| Light up the night   |
| Art Shows, music festivals, live plays and performances, dances  |
| Festivals and celebrations, theater in San Francisco and other areas   |
| art walks, more events at local galleries  |
| More writing classes   |
| Poetry readings and open mics.   |
| Art Walk, such as in Eureka and Cloverdale   |
| Arts Festival, Open Studio for artists   |
| see above  |
| Dragon boat race, theatre and classical concerts in the park , street performers ,sculpture gardens art shows in empty store fronts  |
| Viewing murals, art galleries  |
| Cultural performance arts and crafts (examples: Japanese taiko drumming, Polynesian dancing, weaving, etc.)  |
| art fairs, music and making art, food trucks   |
| I exhibited my art in Ukiah at a free juried show, also, we like art festivals and workshops, and the open studio days in Santa Rosa where a space for art studios is open to the public. We need art and maker spaces here! |
| Wine and Art Festivals and outdoor art shows (Art in the Park)   |
| street dances, more public art   |
| Argentine Tango  |
| Art galleries, Poetry readings, sculpture walks  |
| Art competitions. See Art and Soul - Twin Falls, Idaho   |
| Ice Skating shows at Charles Schultz in Santa Rosa, music concerts, and  |
| Art in garden/outdoor recreational areas, walking trails, museums  |
| classical music concerts...lectures and films....local artists in their studios..  |
| Art studio tours, walking tours of local towns   |
| In summer san Anselmo closes a block or two of Main Street on Friday and Saturday afternoon or early evening so residents can stroll and enjoy food and music and such. Very convivial.                                      |
| Art shows, music performances, a much nicer caliber of a "Sip and Paint". (I'll never attend another one here!)  |
| plant sale events, baker creek heirloom festival. bigger concerts. Flea markets.   |
| Symphony, plays, festivals   |
| Middletown Arts Center events and classes.   |
| Jazz Festivals   |
| pastels in the plaza (Ukiah), interactive exhibits (multiple locations), festivals (music & otherwise)   |
| Local community chorus   |

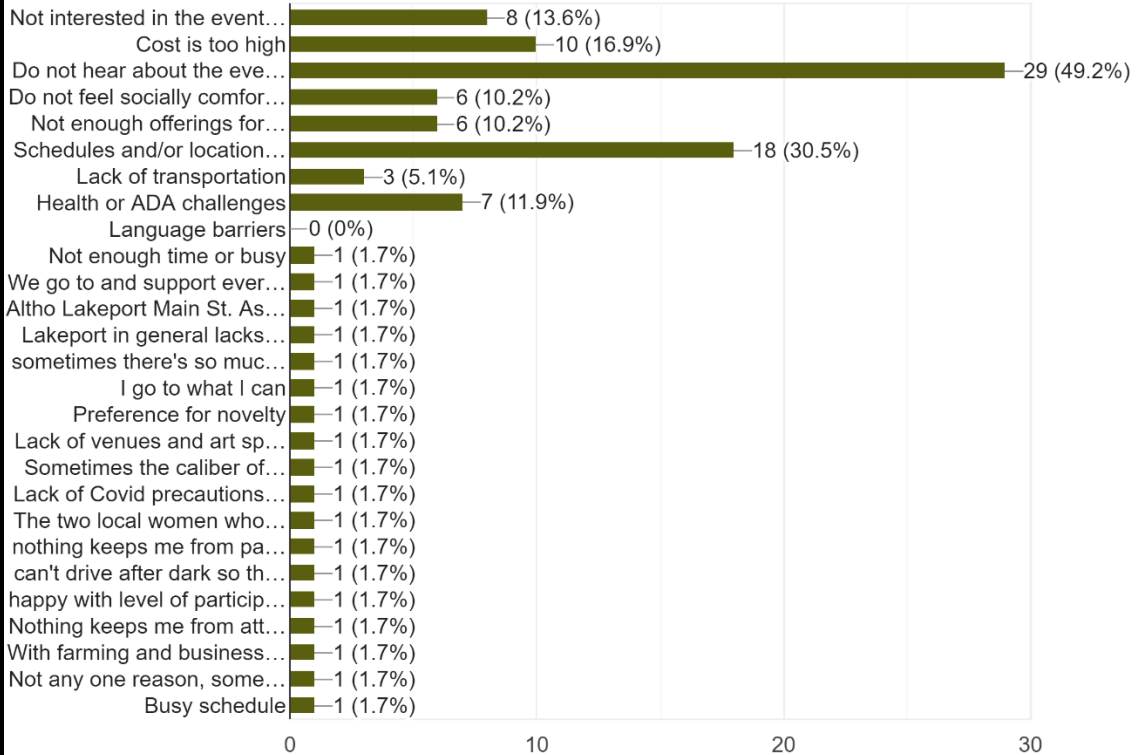
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| Smaller classical concerts or small groups like quartets at different venues; artists in the park; Renaissance Fair; more plays - e.g. theater in the round;   |
| Pastels in the Plaza is a really fun event in Ukiah that raises money for a local charter school. It involves the business community promoting their businesses, it attracts community members, the art work is beautiful and the school raises money. |
| Art walks, museums, public parks for concerts and walks, coffee shops and restaurants  |
| Poetry Workshop, art trails, cemetery walks with acting vignettes  |
| More theatre would be nice.  |
| public art, galleries  |
| Music Festival   |
| Art in Public spaces (City Hall, County Buildings, Parks); Art Galleries, Festivals, Museums,  |
| Events where the nonartist gets to make art. I have done this at the Ukiah Library and at galleries.   |
| Cemetery Tours with local theatre persons recreating the lives of the deceased.  |
| Mural tour, live music venues, art shows.  |
| Dinner theater; guided walking tours of public art; open studio tours of artists.  |
| Readings and workshops at bookstores or library. Focused classes on literature & art history.  |
| Chuseok (korean holiday similar to thanksgiving/harvest festival), Pottery festival (we got to make our own pottery and paint it for \$10-\$20)  |
| glass blowing exhibits and art, art sales and displays   |
| Photo exhibits, more native American art exhibits, poetry walk, art walk.  |



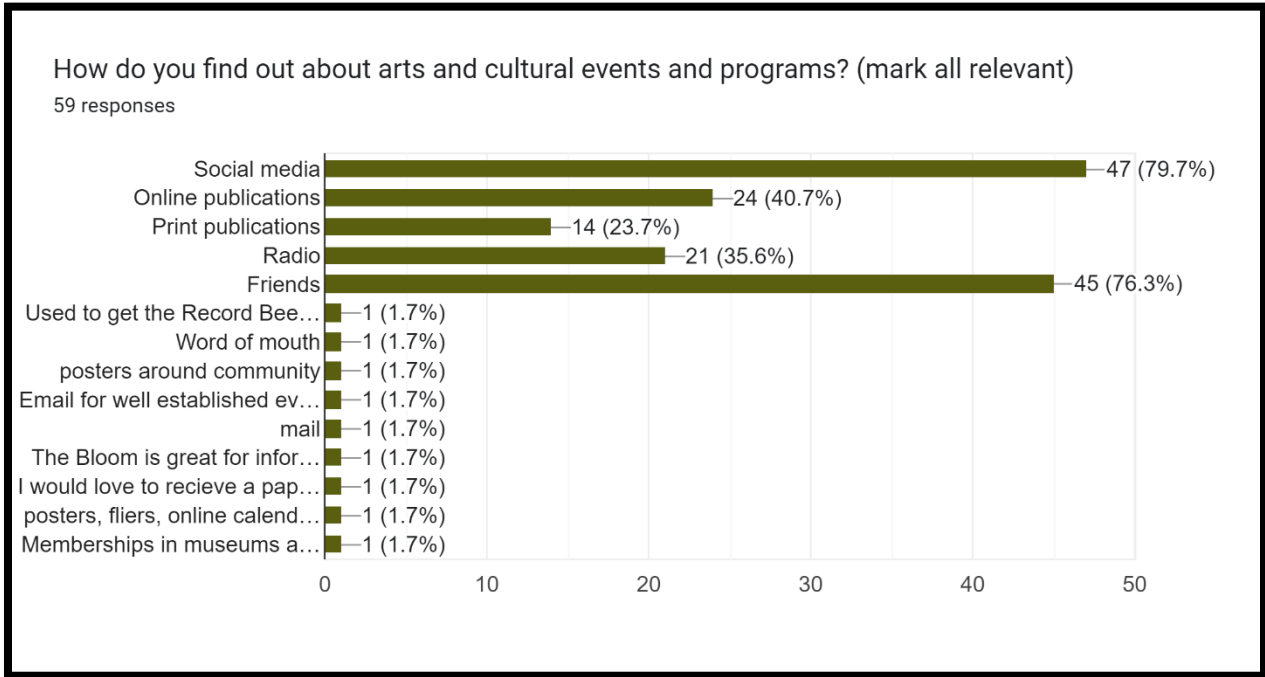
**Question 6:**

What (if anything) keeps you from attending and/or participating MORE in creative activities and/or arts and cultural events (Choose your top 3)

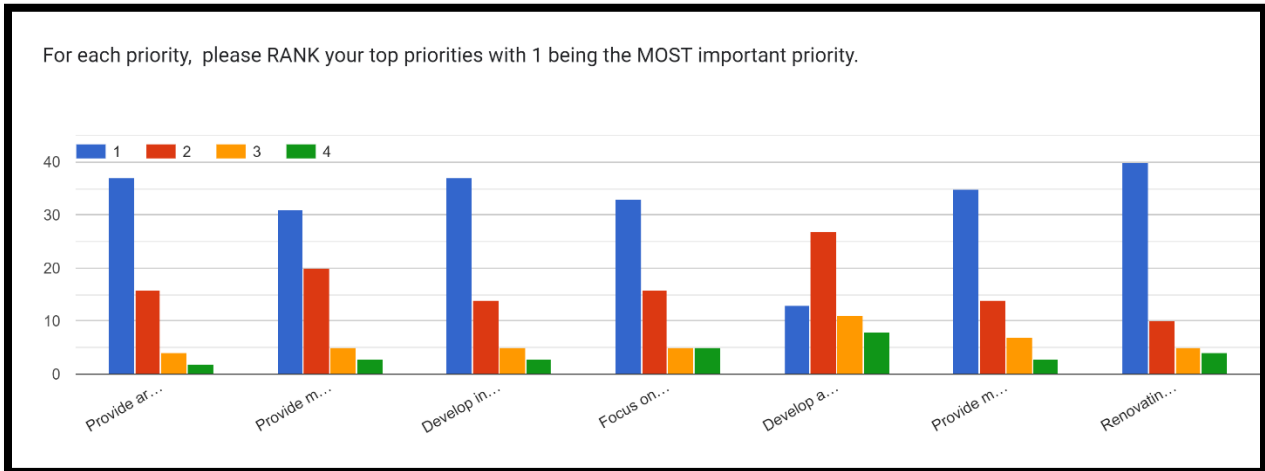
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**Question 7:**



**Question 8:**



**Question 9:**

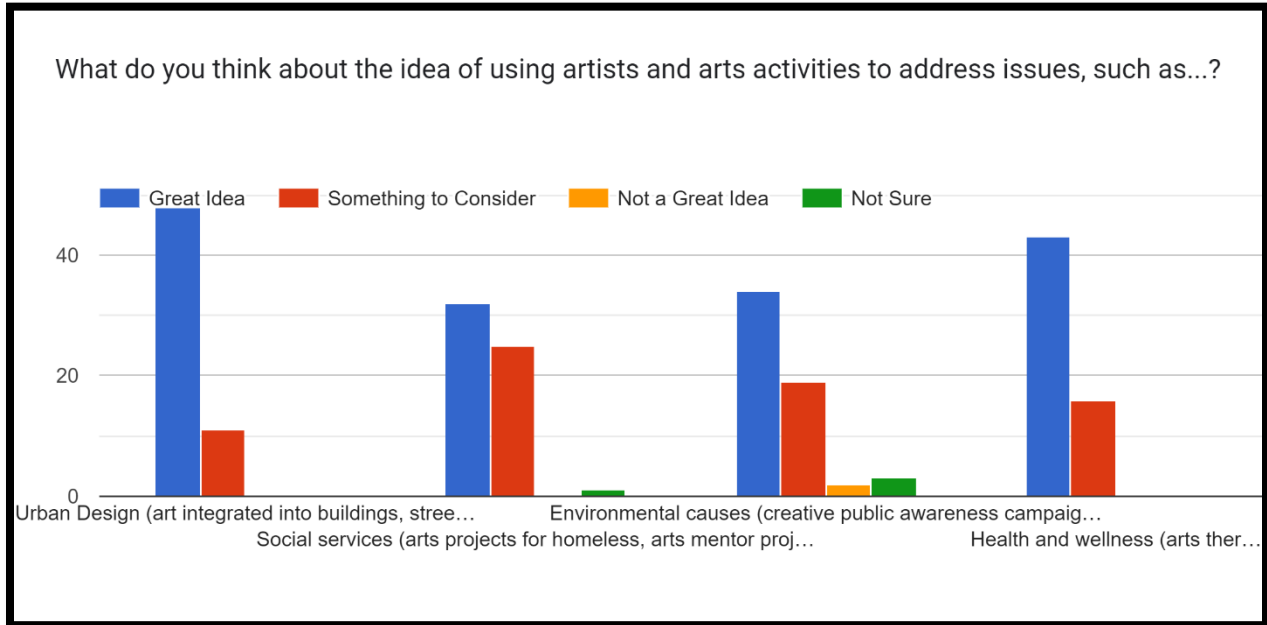
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**Thinking ahead 5 or more years, please describe ONE THING you want this plan to do for Lakeport**

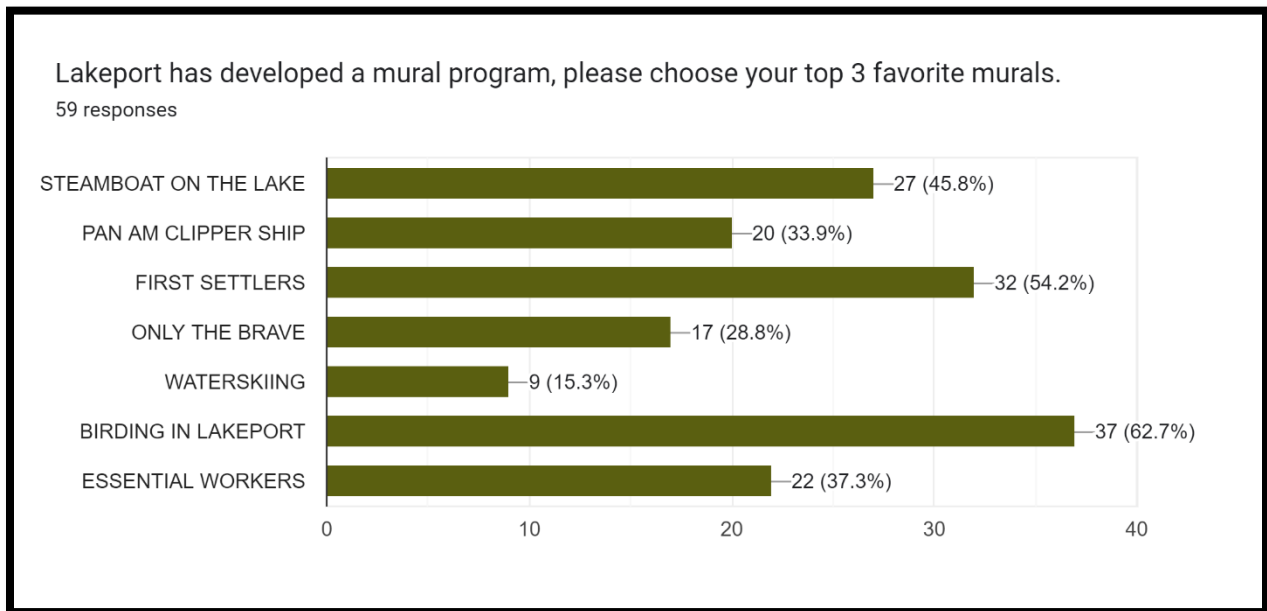
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| Reasonably priced art classes for adults and kids  |
| Create a more creative feel to downtown Lakeport. Parklets that look interesting, street dances, bike events leading up to a creative event, more murals, maybe creative bright bike lanes instead of such a huge wide main street, ticket give aways to artistic events, the library moved closer into the main area of town. |
| I want this plan to specifically identify locations including art in Lakeport that would highlight the artists and vision/reasoning behind each piece of art.  |
| Finish the Soper Reese Community Theatre   |
| Involve young adult, teens, and children in the community activities   |
| I would like the plan to be representative of all people, races, and culture. It would be nice to have an equitable component in the plan so that all members of the community are included with the planning no matter how small the population that exist.   |
| To produce a vibrant art community   |
| Preserve and maintain our parks by keeping them clean and free from vagrants.  |
| Make arts increasingly prevalent in Lakeport   |
| Creating an art-atmosphere that is inclusive of ALL residents  |
| 1st, Art is color/"inclusive" blind ... ANYONE who wants to create/contribute is WELCOME   |
| Attract more business, tourism   |
| Be inclusive and welcoming. As a longtime resident of Lakeport, I personally don't feel welcomed in many local groups.   |
| Raise the bar on the quality of art represented throughout Lakeport & the county   |
| be much more respectful of ethnic, cultural, and language diversity of practicing artists  |
| Establish a subsidized arts camp for children plus on going affordable art classes for all at the community college  |
| Cultural diversity   |
| Enhance our local, bohemian brand through increasing visibility of arts community  |
| Bring the community together.  |
| having on going (annual) art events and monthly art activities to engage with  |
| Make Lakeport a destination for the people who make quirky, fun, thought-provoking, and amazing art, music, and film.  |
| Make Lakeport (and Lake County) an 'Art' destination   |
| bring in upscale tourism   |
| More creative entertainment  |
| Increase arts and business to wide groups of people.   |
| Bring in artists from all over the state to show in local areas  |

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| To make sure all art programs are as inclusive as possible for community members (children and adults) and that as a tourist area we make those visiting feel that the activities we have available cause them to feel welcome to participate. |
| More outdoor activities, parks, garden, trails, etc.   |
| I would love to feel like lakeport was an artistic haven with opportunities for youth and adults to explore and experience various artistic methods and mediums.   |
| enrich the artistic, historical and cultural representation of the community   |
| Become a destination arts location   |
| Enhance the local economy  |
| To provide a more vibrant and creative community   |
| Provide events that gather more community attendance and interest  |
| Provide cultural entertainment that draws visitors from outside Lake County.   |
| You are doing a fabulous job, just keep going and providing great art opportunities for the community! Thank you.  |
| Increase in musical theatre  |
| implement an interactive creative experience for residents and tourists  |
| Put Lake County on the "arts" map--not just Lakeport.  |
| finalize Soper-Reese as a cultural arts center, and establish smaller feeder venues such as the new riverside park or the Carnegie Library   |
| Elevate the local artist that are successfully creating in Lake County!  |
| Maintain and promote cultural and art programs- theatre, dance, fine art, art in public places.  |
| Make Lakeport known for great and cultural art and activities  |
| Make Lakeport a Mecca for artists of every kind.   |
| More art in public spaces  |
| More opportunities for local artists to show their talents and for residents and visitors to enjoy them  |
| Encourage participation in arts and cultural programming with incentives from donors.  |
| Literary / arts center--like Middletown Arts Center. Various classes & activities for all age groups. Learning as a community.   |
| Be more culturally inclusive. Would like to see more cultures being shown and celebrated. I also would like to see the youth being inspired to be creative and have fun with whatever they make.   |
| More hours for art programs and exhibits to be open to public.   |

**Question 10:**



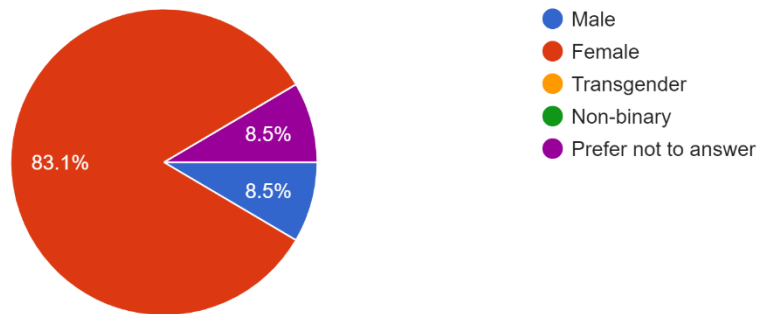
**Question 11:**



**Question 12:**

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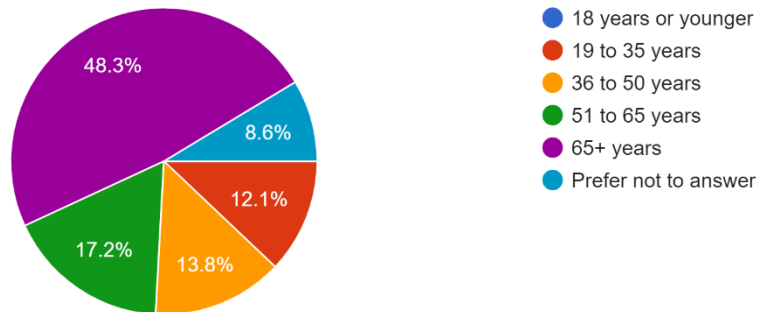
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**Question 13:**

What is your age group?

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**Question 14:**

In describing your heritage and background, which of the following groups do you most identify with?

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